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**KazMunayGas announces the following changes in the company's management**

Ruslan Balykbayev has been appointed Deputy Chairman of the Management Board of NC KazMunayGas JSC. He has taken the charge of the major projects area.

R. Balykbayev graduated the Kazakh-British Technical University with a degree in Oil and Gas Field Development, and the Polytechnic University of Turin with a Master's degree in Petroleum Engineering.

From 2013 to 2024, R. Balykbayev held various positions at PSA LLP: a manager, chief manager, department director, general manager for the North Caspian project (member of the Management Board). For special merits in his work, he has been awarded a state award - the Yeren enbegi ushin medal, as well as the Munai-gaz salasynyn enbek sinirgen qyzmetkeri badge. Since 2019, he has been a member of the Presidential Youth Personnel Pool.