

## **Bunkerworld**

### **Chemoil announces corporate changes**

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**Chemoil** has announced that effective immediately, Jim Baker has been appointed General Counsel for the company.

He will be based in Singapore and will be reporting directly to Chemoil CEO Tom Reilly.

According to an email sent to Bunkerworld, Baker will be responsible for all of Chemoil's global legal matters.

Baker graduated from **Texas Tech University** with a BBA in Finance in 1972 and a Juris Doctorate in 1976. He then went on to gain his MBA from the **University of Houston** in 1994.

In 1984 he joined **Valero Energy Corporation** in Houston as Senior Counsel for the refining and marketing division. While with Valero, Baker moved to the business sector assuming the positions of Manager of Transportation and Manager of Marine Sales.

In 2000, he joined **Fuel and Marine Marketing LLC (FAMM)** as its General Counsel and in 2001 took the position of Vice President of Fuels - Europe. He joined **Mercuria Energy** in 2004 as the Group Chief Legal Counsel and BP Plc in 2008 as Senior attorney for the IST trading group with assignments in Chicago and Singapore.

Chemoil also announced that effective immediately, Kasper Soje will join Chemoil's marketing team where he will be reporting to Peter Grunwaldt, Chemoil's Director of Sales.

Soje will be located in London responsible for bunker marketing and sales.

According to the company, Soje has extensive experience in bunkers and derivatives purchasing for the largest bunker purchaser in the world, **A.P Moeller Maersk** and holds a Masters Degree in Business from the University of Copenhagen.

Grunwaldt said: "The addition of Kasper to our global team is another step in becoming the most dynamic bunker team globally."