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## **José Domínguez Abascal, Technical General Secretary of Abengoa, enters the Real Academia de Ingeniería**

- The inauguration took place at the headquarters of the Real Academia de Ingeniería (RAI) in Madrid, at a formal ceremony in which José Domínguez Abascal gave an address entitled, "Numeric Models in Ground-Structure Dynamics".
- The latest member of the Academy has had a solid and brilliant professional career based on teaching, research and business management.

Seville, February 28, 2012. José Domínguez Abascal, Technical General Secretary of Abengoa, the international company that applies innovative technology solutions for sustainable development in the energy and environment sectors, has today been inaugurated as a member of the Royal Academy of Engineering (Real Academia de Ingeniería; RAI), at a formal ceremony in which he gave an address entitled, "Numeric Models in Ground-Structure Dynamics".

The appointment by the RAI aims to recognize, "the solid and brilliant professional career" of its latest member. José Domínguez Abascal is a university educator, researcher and an active professional and joins the institution with an "extensive knowledge and a clear vision of the future" in terms of the R&D lines to pursue, especially the development of renewable energy as a staunch proponent of thermo-electric solar energy and first and second generation biofuels.

José Domínguez Abascal holds a doctorate in industrial engineering from the University of Seville and is currently Technical General Secretary of Abengoa. A great exponent of renewable energy, he has been at the head of Abengoa Research - the area that combines the company's R&D activities - since its creation in 2011.

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He has been Vice-chancellor of the University of Seville (1990-1992) and Director of its Engineering School (1993-1998). From 2004 to 2008 he was Secretary General of Universities, Research and Technology of the Regional Government of Andalusia.

## **About Abengoa**

Abengoa (MCE: ABG) is an international company that applies innovative technology solutions for sustainable development in the energy and environment sectors, generating electricity from the sun, producing biofuels, desalinating sea water and recycling industrial waste. ([www.abengoa.com](http://www.abengoa.com))

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