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15th November 2021

Re: Consultation on modifications to gas TSO licences relating to the Northern **Ireland Gas Capacity Statement**

Dear Nigel,

GNI (UK) Limited ("GNI (UK)") welcomes the opportunity to respond to the Consultation on modifications to gas TSO licences relating to the Northern Ireland Gas Capacity Statement, which was published by the Utility Regulator (the "UR") on 15th October 2021. Having reviewed the consultation in its entirety along with the reasons for, in addition to the effects of the proposed amendments, we have no objections with regard to what is being proposed.

Whilst you are in no doubt already aware, we feel it prudent to highlight that a modification to the NI Network Gas Transmission Code (16.1.2) will also be required in order to ensure that the Code remains aligned to any revised licence condition in relation to the proposed date for submission of Ten Year Statement.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

Áine Spillane,

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Gas Networks Ireland on behalf of GNI (UK) Limited.