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To: All Parties to Hearing Order RH-002-2017

**TransCanada PipeLines Limited (TransCanada) Application for Approval of
Herbert Long Term Fixed Price (Herbert LTFP) Service
RH-002-2017 Decision with Reasons to Follow**

On 30 November 2016, the National Energy Board (Board) received TransCanada's Notice of Intent to File an Application for the Herbert LTFP service. The Board established a modified version of the Streamlined Regulatory Process set out in Appendix IV of its RH-003-2011 Decision, including written evidence and information requests, as well as oral argument. The Board granted Intervenor standing to all seven parties that submitted Applications to Participate.

On 4 January 2017, TransCanada filed, under Parts I and IV of the *National Energy Board Act*, an application for approval of a new long-term fixed price service to Herbert, Saskatchewan (Application). TransCanada negotiated the Herbert LTFP service with TransGas Limited to serve a gas-fired power plant to be constructed near Swift Current, Saskatchewan. The Application requested an order of the Board:

- approving the proposed Herbert LTFP service and the related toll methodology;
- approving the Herbert LTFP Contract, Herbert LTFP Toll Schedule and other consequential amendments to the Canadian Mainline Gas Transportation Tariff; and
- granting such further and other relief as TransCanada may request or the Board may consider appropriate.

On 12 May 2017 oral argument was completed and the evidentiary record for this proceeding was closed.

The Board approves the Herbert LTFP Service application as filed.

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The Board will issue the reasons for this decision at a later date.



R. R. George
Presiding Member



L. Mercier
Member



J. Gauthier
Member

Calgary, Alberta
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