



In Prague on March 3, 2017

**Re: Capacity Auction to Take Place on March 6, 2017**

Reference is made to the template "Contract for Provision of Gas Transmission Service" published on the website of NET4GAS, s.r.o. on February 21, 2017 (hereinafter the "**Template**").

Pursuant to Section 2.2 of the Template, NET4GAS, s.r.o. is to inform the respective contracting party by today about the status of the conditions set out in the said Section, and whether, on that basis, it intends to hold the Auction (as defined in the Template).

For the sake of completeness, NET4GAS, s.r.o. confirms also by means of this public statement that the conditions set out in Section 2.2 of the Template have been fulfilled and that, on that basis, NET4GAS, s.r.o. intends to hold the Auction (as defined in the Template), i.e. to offer the new capacities referred to in the Template on the PRISMA platform in the auction to take place on March 6, 2017.