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Chairman Christie
Commissioner Rosner
Commissioner See
Commissioner Chang
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20426

Re: Meeting the Challenge of Resource Adequacy in Regional Transmission Organization
and Independent System Operator Regions, Docket No. AD25-7-000

Chairman and Commissioners:

On behalf of the thousands of companies who produce, transport, and deliver natural gas to the 189 million Americans and 5.8 million businesses that use it, the Natural Gas Council writes the following in reference to Docket No. AD25-7-000, "Meeting the Challenge of Resource Adequacy in Regional Transmission Organization and Independent System Operator Regions," and in response to the Commissioner-led technical conference that occurred on June 4-5, 2025.

It was apparent during the conference discussion that ensuring reliable natural gas supply is a critical component underpinning resource adequacy. While it is important for the electric industry to focus on needed investments in electric generation and transmission, it is equally important that the electric industry and stakeholders support investment in the expansion of natural gas pipeline capacity and storage to meet growing electric demand for natural gas. Natural gas is the single-largest source of energy used to generate electricity in the United States, making up over 40% of electricity generation. To that end, we urge the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC), the National Association of Regulatory Commissioners (NARUC), the State public utility commissions, the Regional Transmission Organizations (RTOs), Independent System Operators (ISOs) and their stakeholders to work together to find solutions to ensure there is adequate infrastructure to meet the electric industry's growing need for natural gas to ensure grid reliability.

The Natural Gas Council stands ready to work with FERC and all other stakeholders to help determine the best approaches to ensure that critical energy infrastructure is built to meet the demand for affordable, safe and reliable energy.

Sincerely,



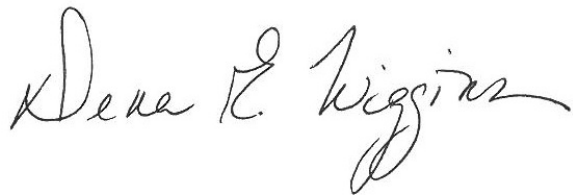
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