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Uniper books additional capacity at Gate terminal

As from 1 October 2022, Uniper will increase its capacity rights at Gate, Rotterdam, (a 50/50 Gasunie-Vopak JV) by 1 bcm per year for a period of three years.

This deal builds on a long-lasting relationship between both companies and complements the announcement made last year. In anticipation of a tight gas market Uniper and Gate then committed to a capacity increase of 1 bcm/a starting 1 October 2024. Both above mentioned transactions supplement the existing capacity of 3 bcm/a that Uniper holds since the start of Gate.

Uniper CCO, Niek den Hollander: "In these challenging times Uniper continues to broaden the access of its global LNG portfolio into Northwest Europe to fortify the security of supply for Germany and the Netherlands." Uniper's European regasification capacity includes bookings at Isle of Grain with 1.7 bcm/a, Gate with up to 5 bcm/a and market access in Spain. In 2021, Uniper traded more than 350 LNG cargoes worldwide.

Gate statement: "This transaction is a prime example of close German-Dutch cooperation with concrete action in times of emergency. We will continue to explore on a daily basis how to best help our customers and society in serving the LNG and gas markets. The LNG arriving at Gate is of great importance for the gas supply of the Netherlands and the whole of Northwest Europe."

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About Gate terminal

Gate terminal B.V. is a 50/50 joint-venture between N.V. Nederlandse Gasunie and Koninklijke Vopak N.V. The terminal is operational since September 2011. The imported LNG is unloaded at the terminal, stored and evaporated to natural gas before it is delivered to the transmission network for the European markets. The terminal's initial throughput capacity of 12 billion cubic meters per year (bcma) can in future be extended to 16 bcma. Gate terminal also offers a portfolio of other services including back-loading services for LNG vessels, ranging from small bunker vessel to large LNG carriers, and loading of LNG tank trucks and containers.





About Uniper

Uniper is a leading international energy company, has around 11,500 employees, and operates in more than 40 countries. The company plans for its power generation business in Europe to be carbon-neutral by 2035. Uniper's roughly 33 GW of installed generation capacity make it one of the world's largest electricity producers. The company's core activities include power generation in Europe and Russia as well as global energy trading and a broad gas portfolio, which makes Uniper one of Europe's leading gas companies. In addition, Uniper is a reliable partner for communities, municipal utilities, and industrial enterprises for planning and implementing innovative, lower-carbon solutions on their decarbonization journey. Uniper is a hydrogen pioneer, is active worldwide along the entire hydrogen value chain, and is conducting projects to make hydrogen a mainstay of the energy supply.

The company is based in Düsseldorf and is currently Germany's third-largest publicly listed energy supply company. Together with its main shareholder Fortum, Uniper is also Europe's third-largest producer of zero-carbon energy.

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