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GASCADE Tenders Fuel Gas

■ *Estimated fuel gas demand of around 1 TWh*

Kassel. To operate their supra-regional gas transmission networks, GASCADE Gastransport GmbH (GASCADE) and NEL Gastransport GmbH (NGT) require fuel gas. Natural gas suppliers are invited to participate in the tender process conducted by GASCADE and to submit bids for fuel gas quantities for GASCADE and NGT.

The terms and conditions of the tender issued by GASCADE shall apply. For the delivery year 2027, GASCADE and NGT expect a combined fuel gas demand of approximately 960,000 MWh.

Fuel gas quantities for GASCADE and NGT are tendered exclusively in the form of high calorific value (CV) natural gas for the 2027 calendar year.

All documents required for prequalification must be received by email by 12:00 CET on 25 September 2026. The tendering and bidding phase ends at 12:00 CET on 2 October 2026. The contract award phase is expected to end at 12:00 CET on 9 October 2026.

All information relating to the tender process can be found in the attached document and on the websites of www.gascade.de and www.nel-gastransport.de

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About GASCADE

We supply Germany and connect Europe – with the energy of tomorrow.

GASCADE Gastransport GmbH, based in Kassel, operates one of the largest transmission networks in Germany, covering around 4,200 kilometers, and stands for reliable and high-performance transport solutions for natural gas and hydrogen. Through its pipeline system, GASCADE connects central energy flows in the heart of Europe and acts as an international hub – with direct connections to numerous neighboring countries. GASCADE has already converted 400 kilometers of its network to hydrogen. With a clear focus on decarbonization and security of supply, the hydrogen network operator is involved in key onshore and offshore hydrogen projects to develop import corridors in the North Sea and Baltic Sea and secure Europe's hydrogen supply.

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About NEL Gastransport GmbH

NEL Gastransport GmbH, based in Kassel, is the network operator of the North European Natural Gas Pipeline – known as NEL for short – and is responsible for the safe and reliable transport of natural gas via the NEL. The NEL is jointly owned by NEL Gastransport GmbH, Gasunie Deutschland Transport Services GmbH and Fluxys Deutschland GmbH. Über GASCADE

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