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**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission** Office of the Secretary 888 First Street NE Washington, DC 20426

Subject: Letter of Support for EGTS Capital Area Project – Docket No. CP25-29-000

Dear Secretary of the Commission,

The Energy Equipment and Infrastructure Alliance, Inc. (EEIA) is a trade association representing workers and businesses that build and operate natural gas infrastructure, including contractors and suppliers of equipment, services and supplies to energy projects of all types.

We write to express our strong support for your certification of the Capital Area Project (CAP) proposed by Eastern Gas Transmission and Storage, Inc. (EGTS) under Docket CP25-29-000.

This project promises to provide significant jobs and economic opportunities for our members during the construction phase, expanding capacity of the existing EGTS pipeline system by 67,500 dth/d of natural gas for delivery to regional VA/MD/DC market, which is vital to the area's energy security

EGTS is committed to safety on the job site and beyond, and works to ensure continuous safe operation of its assets through 24/7 monitoring by the Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) system, and operation of automatic emergency shutdown systems. EGTS has a long history of environmental stewardship of land, air and water in its areas of operation.

For these reasons, we urge FERC to approve the Capital Area Project and recognize its vital importance to the communities, economies and industries it will serve. Thank you for your consideration.

## Sincerely,

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