



## *Press Release*

### *Gas TSOs of the Southern Corridor Region publish the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of their Gas Regional Investment Plan*

(Brussels, 6 May 2020, PR0206-20) **The TSOs of the Southern Corridor Region are pleased to announce the publication of the fourth edition of their Gas Regional Investment Plan (SC GRIP) which provides a specific regional view of supply, demand, and capacity developments in the SC region for the upcoming decade.**

The GRIPs are prepared to promote regional cooperation as enshrined in EU Directive 2009/73/EC, Article 7 and further detailed by Regulation 715/2009, Article 12. The aim of the SC GRIP is to supplement ENTSOG's EU-wide Ten-Year Network Development Plan 2018 (TYNDP 2018) by providing additional information, focusing on the Southern Corridor region. It also assesses the basis for identification of potential future gas infrastructure needs in the region.

The SC GRIP is the result of close cooperation between 11 TSOs, from 9 countries, of the Southern Corridor Region, under the coordination of DESFA.

All involved TSOs hope that this report will provide useful information to all stakeholders on the prospects of infrastructure development and the regional gas market. The Region's TSOs would welcome any comments, advice or feedback that could assist in improving the effectiveness of the future editions of this report.

For any further queries or suggestions, all interested parties are kindly requested to contact Mr. J. Florentin ([j.florentin@desfa.gr](mailto:j.florentin@desfa.gr)) and Mrs. A. Spyropoulou ([a.spyropoulou@desfa.gr](mailto:a.spyropoulou@desfa.gr)).

The full report, including annexes A, B, C and D, is available on [ENTSOG's website](#).

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#### Editorial notes

- > **European Network of Transmission System Operators for Gas (ENTSOG)** was founded on 1 December 2009 in line with Regulation (EC) 715/2009 to promote the completion of the internal market for gas by facilitating cooperation between national gas transmission system operators (TSOs) across Europe and in line with European Union energy goals. More information can be found on the ENTSOG website – [www.entsog.eu](http://www.entsog.eu). The current number of Members, Associated Partners and Observers can be found at [www.entsog.eu/members](http://www.entsog.eu/members).
- > The SC GRIP region covers 9 countries, with the involvement of 11 TSOs from Austria, Bulgaria, Croatia, Hungary, Greece, Italy, Romania, Slovakia, and Slovenia.