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NGSA's Applauds President Bush's Choice of

Curt Hebert for Chairman of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Washington, DC – January 23, 2001 – R. Skip Horvath, President of the Natural Gas Supply Association, released the following statement regarding the decision by president George W. Bush to name Curt Hebert the next Chairman of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission:

“NGSA commends president Bush on his selection of Curt Hebert for Chairman of FERC. Hebert brings a wealth of energy experience on energy issues and Hebert’s market oriented nature gives him a good understanding of the issues facing natural gas producers. We look forward to working with him to ensure that natural gas continues to be a vital part of our energy future.”

NGSA represents integrated and independent companies that produce and market the majority of the natural gas produced in the United States. NGSA is actively involved in pursuing regulatory and legislative issues that affect the association’s members. Established in 1965, NGSA encourages expanded use of natural gas and supports regulatory and legislative actions that foster competitive markets.