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Potential Gas Committee Report Shows Robust Growth

Natural Gas Resource Estimate Up 12%, Abundant Supply to Meet Future Demand

(Washington, D.C.) -- Today the Potential Gas Committee released its biennial estimate of future gas supply. Including proved reserves, the PGC reported a 12 percent increase in future gas supply in the span of just two years, estimating future supply at 2,817 trillion cubic feet (Tcf) as of year-end 2016 compared to its estimate of 2515 Tcf as of year-end 2014.

Dena E. Wiggins, president and CEO of the Natural Gas Supply Association (NGSA), made the following statement about the PGC's *Potential Supply of Natural Gas in the United States*.

“The 12 percent increase in the size of natural gas resources since the PGC’s last report two years ago is a testament to the strength of U.S. natural gas supply and American technological ingenuity. Even though close to 55 trillion cubic feet of natural gas was produced between the two reports, the estimates increased by more than 300 Tcf.

“The increase affirms the natural gas industry’s confidence in meeting future increased demand from electric utilities, industrial and commercial users, households and exports.”

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The Natural Gas Supply Association (NGSA) represents integrated and independent companies that supply natural gas. Established in 1965, NGSA encourages the use of natural gas within a balanced national energy policy, and promotes the benefits of competitive markets, thus encouraging increased supply and the reliable and efficient delivery of natural gas to U.S. customers. For more information, please visit www.ngsa.org and www.naturalgas.org.