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August 22, 2025

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
888 First Street NE, Room 1A  
Washington, DC 20426

Re: Docket No. CP25-528-000; Appalachian Reliability Project (ARP)

To Whom It May Concern:

On behalf of Pipeliners Local Union 798, I am writing to express our strong support for Eastern Gas Transmission and Storage, Inc.'s (EGTS) proposed Appalachian Reliability Project (ARP). This project is vital to meeting the growing energy needs of customers across the Mid-Atlantic and Northeast regions, and it will do so by leveraging existing infrastructure while responsibly increasing capacity.

The ARP will add significant reliability to our nation's energy system by creating 550,000 dekatherms per day of incremental firm transportation capacity, connecting Armstrong County, PA to major pipeline networks in Pennsylvania and Ohio. In addition to improving energy security, the project includes critical upgrades to compressor stations and metering facilities that will modernize and strengthen the system.

Pipeliners Local Union 798 represents nearly 6,000 highly trained men and women who specialize in pipeline construction and maintenance. Our members have a proven track record of completing projects like the ARP safely, efficiently, and to the highest industry standards. We are committed to ensuring this project is built with the utmost respect for communities, the environment, and the integrity of the energy system.

Union labor brings unmatched skill, experience, and accountability to projects of this magnitude. When union crews are on the job, projects are completed on schedule, meet or exceed federal safety requirements, and deliver lasting benefits to the communities they serve. The ARP will create good-paying jobs for skilled tradespeople while also supporting local businesses in the project area.

For these reasons, Pipeliners Local Union 798 urges approval of the Appalachian Reliability Project. We are ready to provide the workforce necessary to complete this project safely and

responsibly, helping to deliver reliable, affordable energy to homes and businesses across the region.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Hendrix". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "D" and a stylized "H".

Daniel C. Hendrix  
Business Manager  
Pipeliners Local Union 798

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