

# **PARTIAL NATIONAL TEN-YEAR NETWORK DEVELOPMENT PROPOSAL 2025 OF THE INTEGRATED NATURAL GAS SYSTEM**

April 2025

## Partial Ten-year Network Development Proposal 2025

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- Pursuant to the **Resolution H402/2025** of the Hungarian Energy and Public Utility Regulatory Authority (hereinafter the Authority), in case of the demand for increased firm transmission capacity in the direction **Hungary>Slovakia**, the transmission system operator **shall initiate the approval of the Ten-year Network Development Plan** to be modified with the related investment needs **without any delay**.
- Pursuant to **Article 96(5)** of the Government Decree 19/2009 (I.30.) on the implementation of the Act XL of 2008 on Natural Gas Supply (hereinafter the **Implementation Decree**), FGSZ shall conduct a **public consultation** over the period of 29<sup>th</sup> April 2025 – 7<sup>th</sup> May 2025.
- Having closed the public consultation, the proposal and the **relating comments filed thereto** will be submitted by FGSZ to the Authority for approval.
- The development will be subject to the Authority's approval on the proposal as well as the respective modification of the transmission system operator's operational license.

# Upgrading the transmission capacity of the compressor station in Szada

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## PROJECT DESCRIPTION

- To increase the transmission capacity of the compressor station in Szada, FGSZ Ltd. has developed a technical solution - by replacing the compressor and gas turbine units with existing ones at other compressor stations and by purchasing new oil coolers - that will allow to increase the current technical capacity level of the cross-border interconnection point Vel'ké Zlievce/Balassagyarmat in the direction of Hungary>Slovakia from 400,000 m<sup>3</sup>/h to 500,000 m<sup>3</sup>/h (from 3.5 bcma to 4.38 bcma).
- The increased capacity is foreseen to be offered via capacity auctions in the calendar year 2025, after the completion of the necessary works and the NRA's approval of the amended operational license hold by FGSZ Ltd.

## PROJECT

