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## **Press Release**

## Annual Maintenance Works of Nord Stream Pipeline will be performed in July 2022

- Annual scheduled maintenance activities are planned well in advance as part of the long-term pipeline integrity management strategy
- Maintenance schedule closely coordinated and agreed with upstream and downstream partners

From 11 to 21 July 2022, Nord Stream AG will temporarily shut down both lines of its gas pipeline system for routine maintenance works inclusive testing of mechanical elements and automation systems for ensuring reliable, safe, and efficient pipeline operations.

The schedule for the maintenance activities has been closely coordinated with Nord Stream's upstream and downstream partners. Maintenance information was appropriately disclosed in compliance with Regulation (EU) Nr.1227/2011 (Regulation on Wholesale Energy Market Integrity and Transparency -- REMIT).

## **About Nord Stream AG:**

Nord Stream AG, the operator of the twin offshore gas pipelines "Nord Stream", is a joint venture of Gazprom, Wintershall Dea, E.ON, Gasunie and Engie groups.

Nord Stream's natural gas pipelines run in parallel through the Baltic Sea for 1,224 kilometres from Portovaya Bay, near Vyborg on the Russian coast, to Lubmin, Germany. They are the shortest connection between the vast Russian natural gas reserves and the energy markets of the European Union.

The Nord Stream Pipeline was constructed following the most stringent industry standards and environmental requirements for offshore pipelines. Safety and reliability take the highest priority for operation and maintenance.

In 2021, the Nord Stream Pipeline transported 59.2 bcm of Russian natural gas to European consumers. More than 465 bcm of natural gas have been delivered through Nord Stream since its launch in 2011.

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