

## **Public Tender for a Private Initiative Project on the Argentine National Gas Transportation System.**

Energía Argentina S.A. invites Argentine and foreign companies to participate in a public **national and international tender** for the execution of the first private initiative project related to the national **natural gas transportation system**.

The project consists of expanding the transportation capacity of the Perito Moreno Pipeline (GPM), which currently transports up to 26 million cubic meters of gas per day from **Vaca Muerta** (Neuquén) to Buenos Aires.

The planned works include the incorporation of **new additional compressor stations** at certain points along the pipeline route and the **upgrading of existing facilities**. This will allow for an additional 14 million cubic meters per day, enabling the Perito Moreno Pipeline to reach its maximum operational transportation capacity of up to 40 million cubic meters per day.

Energía Argentina will formalize a capacity reservation agreement with the selected bidder—who will also be responsible for the operation and maintenance of the GPM—for 14 million cubic meters of transportation capacity per day, for a **term of 15 years**. Once that period ends, the new facilities will revert to the National State.

This initiative, declared to be of public interest by the Argentine National Government, will help accelerate the development of assets in Vaca Muerta, generate fiscal savings, and provide benefits for the national trade balance.

- **Specification:** <https://www.energia-argentina.com.ar/en/>
- **Value of Statement:** NO COST.
- **Submission of Bids:** 7 of July of 2025 from 10.00h to 11.00h. (hour of the City of Buenos Aires, UTC/GMT-3), on Avenida Del Libertador 1068, Fl 3rd, office 301, Autonomous City of Buenos Aires, Argentina.
- **Opening of Tenders:** 7 of July of 2025 at 11.30 am. (hour of the City of Buenos Aires, UTC/GMT-3) on Avenida del Libertador 1068, Fl 14th, Autonomous City of Buenos Aires, Argentina.
- **Warranty maintenance for offer to be:** For the amount of US\$ 5,000,000 (US DOLLARS FIVE MILLION), in accordance with article 12 of the Statement.
- **Query:** should be sent by email to the following address: [mesadeentrada@energia-argentina.com.ar](mailto:mesadeentrada@energia-argentina.com.ar) by a note signed, and on letterhead, according to article 7 of the terms and conditions, and up to 5 (FIVE) business days prior to the deadline for submission of bids.