



URGENT NOTICE

February 8, 2007

Re: NGX Announces a System Constraint Period at Empress due to TCPL EGAT IT Restrictions

NGX is declaring a system constraint period (SCP) at Empress and Empress Transport markets on NGX, effective Gas Day Feb 9, 2007. The SCP is in reference to the announcement by TransCanada Pipelines (TCPL) of potential restrictions of interruptible transportation on the EGAT region, which includes the Empress border point, transacted on the NGX Trading System.

Please note that all transactions completed on NGX are considered to be firm, and all counterparties are expected to meet any physical delivery or receipt obligations.

The SCP is referenced in Article 5 of the NGX Contracting Parties Agreement, and states that physical failure of delivery obligations during system constraint periods will result in financial penalties by the Exchange.

Details of TCPL's procedures for the EGAT IT restrictions can be found at http://www.transcanada.com/Alberta/EGAT_IT_Restrict_Procedures.pdf. Counterparties are strongly urged to utilize the procedures provided to minimize the physical failures of all Empress transactions completed on NGX.

The SCP will be in effect until further notice from NGX.

Please contact your NGX Marketing Representative or the NGX Operations Desk at 403-974-4357 with any questions or concerns.