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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2016 No. 364**

**GAS**

**The Gas (Designation of Pipelines)  
Order (Northern Ireland) 2016**

*Made - - - - 28th September 2016*

*Coming into operation 26th October 2016*

The Department for the Economy (“the Department”), in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 59(1), (2) and (5) of the Energy (Northern Ireland) Order 2003<sup>(1)</sup> (“the Energy Order”) and of every power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order.

The Department has consulted with the Northern Ireland Authority for Utility Regulation in accordance with Article 59(1) of the Energy Order and has given notice in accordance with Article 59(4) of that Order and has considered any representations or objections which are duly made and not withdrawn.

**Citation, commencement and interpretation**

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Gas (Designation of Pipelines) Order (Northern Ireland) 2016 and shall come into operation on 26th October 2016.

(2) In this Order—

“assigned” has the same meaning as in Article 12 of the Gas Order;

“the Energy Order” means the Energy (Northern Ireland) Order 2003;

“the Gas Order” means the Gas (Northern Ireland) Order 1996<sup>(2)</sup>; and

“the Insolvency Order” means the Insolvency (Northern Ireland) Order 1989<sup>(3)</sup>

**Designated pipeline**

2. The pipeline specified in column (1) of the Schedule, being a high pressure pipeline, is hereby designated as a pipeline to which Article 60 of the Energy Order applies for the period beginning on and including the date of commencement of this Order and ending on the date specified opposite thereto in column (2) of the Schedule.

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(1) [S.I. 2003/419 \(N.I. 6\)](#)

(2) [S.I. 1996/275 \(N.I. 2\)](#) as amended by [S.R. 2002 No.291](#) and the Energy Order (in particular Article 30)

(3) [S.I. 1989/2405 \(N.I. 19\)](#)