## **HYDROGEN GLOBAL**



## LETTER OF VOLUNTARY COMMITMENT

To: Secretary General & CEO World Energy Council



Dear Dr Angela Wilkinson,

I am pleased to confirm that Snam SpA supports the Hydrogen Global Charter.

Whilst we understand that **this charter is not legally binding**, we champion this effort.

It is critically important for the business community, policy makers, innovators and investors to understand the importance of supply diversity in our pursuit toward mitigating the negative impacts of climate change notably through hydrogen.

Snam SpA will make as below a clear statement of this commitment to its stakeholders and the general public.

"Snam is heavily involved in the energy transition, and has committed € 850 million of investment, which is aimed at increasing efficiency and reducing emissions, promoting innovation and new "green" activities. Concerning hydrogen Snam is committed to verifying the full readiness of its infrastructure to transport increasing amounts of hydrogen mixed with natural gas, as well as studying the implications on underground storage fields and main instruments and components. By the end of the year a second test on a portion of the network will be made, bringing the amount of hydrogen in the mix supplied from 5% to 10%. We are also evaluating, together with other operators in the value chain, possible opportunities to scale up clean h2 production in Europe. Lastly, we aim to provide a European network for ideas, policies and technological dissemination to spur policymakers, businesses and consumers to start working through all the challenges in hydrogen's path, leveraging its full potential"

We commit to annually submitting our progress towards enabling and consuming low carbon hydrogen to the World Energy Council.

Together we can work to enable a better, faster and successful energy transition.

Kind regards,

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