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MORRISON UTILITY SERVICES SECURES SGN'S THREE YEAR EMERGENCY AND METERING SERVICES AGREEMENT

Morrison Utility Services has successfully secured a three year contract to provide first call emergency response services to Southern Gas Networks (SGN) for internal and external gas escapes, gas meter fault correction and meter replacements. The value of the contract is estimated to be £18 million over three years and includes an option for SGN to extend for a further year.

Work on the contract commences today, 5th October, and as the primary service provider for the South East of England, approximately 100 service engineers will provide an on-call service to SGN. Morrison Utility Services was the incumbent and was awarded the contract following a competitive tender process which began in the Summer.

Charles Morrison, Chief Executive, Morrison Utility Services, comments:

"I am delighted that we are continuing to work with SGN on this important contract. In this work it is essential that we are able to respond quickly when needed and provide excellent customer service to SGN's customers. It reaffirms our operational competence and metering capabilities which support our key clients in the energy sector."

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Morrison Utility Services is a leading service provider within the electricity, gas, telecommunications and water sectors. Our service offerings are centred on the provision, replacement, repair and maintenance of utility infrastructure, which our

clients own and utilise to deliver water, power, energy and communications to their customers.

We are committed to working closely with our clients to deliver cost effective solutions, which do not compromise safety, quality and service delivery.

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