



To : **Mr Andreas Schierenbeck, CEO UNIPER**

Brussels, 31 August 2020

UNIPER colleagues,

The family of Mr Klaus Schäfer.

Copy: Mr. James Watson, Secretary General, Eurogas

Ms Kavita Ahluwalia, VP/Head of EU Office, Uniper.

Dear Mr Schierenbeck and UNIPER staff,

Dear Schäfer family,

It is with deep sadness that we have learnt about the passing of our friend and respected colleague, Klaus Schäfer, former President of our Member Eurogas and UNIPER CEO. He will be remembered with deepest respect and highest recognition from his industry peers.

Personally, I will always remember the day I met Klaus over a great dinner on a nice summer evening in 2016 in Dusseldorf, just before he was appointed President of Eurogas. Together with my friend Sabine Augustin, they had invited me for dinner, and I met a man who spoke the truth, who was respectful and sincere. I will always remember him as such.

On behalf of all GasNaturally members, their companies and staff, I send our deepest condolences to you, family and colleagues. Our prayers and thoughts are with you in these difficult times.

Yours sincerely,

François-Régis Mouton

Chairman, GasNaturally and Regional Director Europe, IOGP.