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DATE: FEBRUARY 27, 2015

SUBJECT: ATLAS PIPELINE PARTNERS L.P. - CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT

OPTION SYMBOL: APL
NEW SYMBOL: NGLS1
FUTURES SYMBOL: APL1D
NEW SYMBOL: APL2D

DATE: 3/2/15

**Contract Adjustment** 

DATE: March 2, 2015

OPTION SYMBOL: APL changes to NGLS1

STRIKE DIVISOR: 1

CONTRACTS

MULTIPLIER: 1

NEW MULTIPLIER: 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150; a strike of 28.00 yields \$2,800.00)

NEW DELIVERABLE

PER CONTRACT: 1) 58 Targa Resources Partners LP (NGLS) Common Units

2) Cash in lieu of 0.46 fractional NGLS units

3) \$126.00 Cash

CUSIP: NGLS: 87611X105

# **PRICING**

Until the cash in lieu amount is determined, the underlying price for NGLS1 will be determined as follows:

NGLS1 = 0.5846 (NGLS) + 1.26

### **DELAYED SETTLEMENT**

The NGLS component of the NGLS1 deliverable will settle through National Securities Clearing Corporation (NSCC). OCC will delay settlement of the cash portion of the NGLS1 deliverable until the cash in lieu of fractional NGLS units is determined. Upon determination of the cash in lieu amount, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees to deliver the appropriate cash amount.

### **Futures Contract Adjustment**

DATE: March 2, 2015

FUTURES SYMBOL: APL1D changes to APL2D

NUMBER OF

CONTRACTS: No Change

MULTIPLIER 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150)

NEW DELIVERABLE

PER CONTRACT: 1) 58 Targa Resources Partners LP (NGLS) Common Units

2) Cash in lieu of 0.46 fractional NGLS units

3) \$126.00 Cash

CUSIP: NGLS: 87611X105

## **PRICING**

The underlying price for the APL2D Futures contract deliverable, expressed in term of current market value, would be calculated as follows:

APL2D = 0.5846 (NGLS) + 1.26

Please note that the valuation would apply only to the APL2D deliverable in terms of current market value of the deliverable securities. The resulting price would <u>not</u> be equivalent to the daily settlement price of a futures contract month, whose determination would include cost of money carrying charges, adjustment for dividends, and other factors.

## **DELAYED SETTLEMENT**

The APL component of the APL2D deliverable will settle through National Securities Clearing Corporation (NSCC). OCC will delay settlement of the cash portion of the APL2D deliverable until the cash in lieu of fractional NGLS units is determined. Upon determination of the cash in lieu amount, OCC will require delivery of the appropriate cash amount.

### **BACKGROUND**

On February 20, 2015, Unitholders of Atlas Pipeline Partners L.P. (APL) voted concerning the proposed merger with Targa Resources Partners LP (NGLS). The merger was approved and subsequently consummated on February 27, 2015. As a result, each existing APL Common Unit will be converted into the right to receive 0.5846 NGLS Common Units plus \$1.26 Cash. Cash will be paid in lieu of fractional NGLS units.

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