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Today marks another important milestone for the Nisga'a Nation on our path toward creating a sustainable economic base in the Nass Valley for many generations of Nisga'a to come.

I am pleased to announce that together with our partner, Western LNG LLC, we will be acquiring the PRGT pipeline project from TC Energy.

As you know, our Nation entered into an agreement with PRGT back in 2014 for the construction of the PRGT pipeline through our territories. By becoming a project owner, our Nation will be able to ensure this project creates even greater benefits for our people and for indigenous communities right along the right-of-way. This means more training, more priority hiring, more contracts and procurement for our workers and businesses, and more investment in our Nation. It is a historic development, and an opportunity for us to create a better quality of life for our children and grandchildren here in the Nass – and for First Nations all along the pipeline route.

The Nisga'a Nation's long-standing objectives have been to play a greater role in the major projects within our territories to ensure we are maximizing the upside for our people and minimizing any impacts. This acquisition will give us unprecedented opportunity to ensure this project proceeds in a way that properly reflects our values and protects what we most cherish.

Together with the Ksi Lisims LNG project, we are working towards successfully developing the infrastructure necessary to provide the world with the lowest emissions LNG anywhere in the world. LNG which is necessary for the continued global transition to a low carbon economy.

As we proceed with finalizing all the agreements necessary for this acquisition, we will continue to fully engage with all Nisga'a citizens, Nisga'a Urban Locals and Nisga'a Villages. The Nisga'a Nation Executive is very much focused on making sure that our people, Nisga'a businesses and communities make the most of these upcoming opportunities as we move through regulatory and construction milestones in the coming years.

It is a big day for our Nation and we look forward to working with our partners to making these plans a reality.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Eva Clayton', written over a blue horizontal line.

Eva Clayton,

President