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**Evolution Markets Launches European Natural Gas Brokerage Desk**  
**-- London-based Desk Rounds Out Global Natural Gas Coverage --**

**London, England (November 11, 2019):** Evolution Markets announces the launch of a brokerage desk serving European natural gas trading markets. The London-based desk offers trade execution services for major European natural gas trading points, including TTF in the Netherlands and NBP in the United Kingdom.

The European Natural Gas Desk is the latest in Evolution Markets continued expansion in global energy markets, and the group will be integrated with the firm's natural gas brokers in the United States and Asia to create global hedging and trading opportunities for clients.

"The European natural gas market has for some time been an important part of the European energy trading complex, but recently it has also emerged as a vital hub of liquidity for the nascent global gas market," said Andrew Ertel, President and CEO of Evolution Markets Inc. "We will now be able to marry our industry-leading LNG and U.S. natural gas fixed price and options brokerage teams with the launch of our desk in London serving clients in the U.K. and the European Continent to create a truly global team. This will match our clients increasingly complex trading and hedging needs."

The Evolution Markets European Natural Gas Desk will offer both prompt and curve service for various virtual trading points, including TTF, NBP, CEG, Gaspool, NCG, PSV, and Zebbrugge. The team will also specialize in options, structured products, and facilitating trades in the less liquid locations across Europe. The team offers market access, in part, through the Trayport broker gateway.

In conjunction with the formal launch of the desk, Evolution Markets also announces that Mark Willcox has joined the European natural gas brokerage team. Mr. Willcox was previously a broker with Tullett Prebon where he focused on NBP and Continental natural gas markets, as well as managed the team's efforts in global LNG markets. Mr. Willcox has deep market expertise, with more than 20 years of experience in European natural gas markets.

"The European markets are highly liquid and continue to innovate, and we have built one of the industry's most experienced teams to facilitate market access and assist in risk management," added Mr. Ertel. "Our brokers have a combined tenure in these markets exceeding 60 years, and they have the market knowledge and transactional experience to serve the increasingly global market for natural gas."

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Evolution Markets Inc. provides strategic financial and industry-leading transactional services to participants in global environmental markets and the energy sector. Formed in 2000, the company has become the green markets leader, leveraging its unrivaled experience and knowledge on behalf of participants in the global carbon, U.S. emissions, renewable energy, weather derivative, and over-the-counter (OTC) oil, coal, natural gas, power, nuclear fuel, biomass, and biofuels markets. Based in White Plains, NY, Evolution Markets serves clients on six continents from offices in New York, Houston, London, and Singapore. [www.evomarkets.com](http://www.evomarkets.com)

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