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Natalie Wood  
Office of Natural Gas Regulatory Activities  
U.S. Department of Energy  
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P.O. Box 44375  
Washington, DC 20026

Re: *MPEH LLC*, DOE/FE Docket No. 13-26-LNG  
Semi-Annual Report

Dear Ms. Wood:

Pursuant to Ordering Paragraph I of DOE/FE Order No. 3290, MPEH LLC (“MPEH”) hereby submits its semi-annual report describing the progress of the proposed liquefaction facility.<sup>1</sup> Development activities are continuing, and discussions are continuing with the Maritime Administration regarding an application for authorization to construct the Main Pass Energy Hub™ Deepwater Port. MPEH is exploring commercialization arrangements for the project and expects the first floating liquefaction storage and offloading vessel at the Main Pass Energy Hub™ Deepwater Port to begin exporting LNG during the 2028 timeframe.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ John S. Decker  
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<sup>1</sup> *Freeport-McMoRan Energy LLC*, DOE/FE Order No. 3290 (May 24, 2013). On November 15, 2016, MPEH filed a Notice of Change in Control in the captioned docket.