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U.S. Department of Energy
Office of Fossil Energy
Natural Gas Regulatory Activities
P.O. Box 44375
Washington, D.C. 20026-4375
Attention: Ms. Larine Moore, Docket Room FE-34

**Re: Port Arthur LNG Phase II, LLC
DOE/FE Order No. 4562
FE Docket No. 20-23-LNG
Semi-Annual Report**

Dear Ms. Moore,

On July 14, 2020, in DOE/FE Order No. 4562, the U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Fossil Energy (“DOE/FE”), granted to Port Arthur LNG Phase II, LLC (“PALNG Phase II”) a long-term, multi-contract authorization to export liquefied natural gas (“LNG”) to nations that have free trade agreements with the United States requiring national treatment in the trade of natural gas (“FTA countries”). One of the conditions of DOE/FE authorizations is that PALNG Phase II file semi-annual written reports (on or before April 1 and October 1 of each year) describing the progress of the planned liquefaction facility from which PALNG Phase II will export LNG (“Liquefaction Project”). PALNG Phase II hereby submits the semi-annual report covering the period October 1, 2020 through March 31, 2021.

On February 19, 2020, PALNG Phase II filed an application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (“FERC”) requesting authorization under sections 3 of the Natural Gas Act authorizing PALNG Phase II to site, construct, and operate the Liquefaction Project. On January 15, 2021, the FERC issued an environmental assessment associated with the application of PALNG Phase II. PALNG Phase II continues to progress permitting, commercial and marketing activities. Based on the anticipated timing of receipt of necessary authorizations and the current project schedule, Port Arthur LNG Phase II estimates that it will begin exports from the Liquefaction Project as soon as 2027.

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Please contact me with any questions regarding this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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