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Natalie Wood Office of Natural Gas Regulatory Activities U.S. Department of Energy FE-34 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.¹ Development activities are continuing, and discussions are continuing with the Maritime Administration regarding an application for authorization to construct the Main Pass Energy HubTM 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 HubTM Deepwater Port to begin exporting LNG during the 2028 timeframe.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

<u>/s/ John S. Decker</u> John S. Decker Attorney for MPEH LLC

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¹ *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.