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Attention: Natural Gas Reports

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**Re: Commonwealth LNG, LLC – Semi Annual Progress Report
DOE/FE Docket No. 19-134-LNG**

To: Office of Natural Gas Regulatory Activities:

Pursuant to Ordering Paragraph H of DOE/FECM Order No. 4521, please accept the following semi-annual progress report for Commonwealth LNG, LLC (“Commonwealth”). This report covers the period from October 1, 2024, through March 31, 2025.

- On October 17, 2024, DOE gave immediate effect to Commonwealth’s July 25, 2024, notice of change in control and amendment to its pending non-FTA application with respect to Commonwealth’s FTA authorization and pending non-FTA export application.
- On November 1, 2024, Commonwealth announced a commitment to obtain independent verification and certification of its total carbon emissions under the protocols developed by MiQ, the global leader in emissions certification. Commonwealth’s certification process will begin within one month of reaching full commercial operations, supporting Commonwealth and its parent company Kimmeridge’s commitment to deliver net zero cargoes of LNG.
- On November 1, 2024, Commonwealth announced a comprehensive package of community support initiatives for Camreron Parish, Louisiana, including:
 - the donation of a \$450,000 mobile healthcare unit to the Lower Cameron Hospital Service District;

- a \$200,000 foundational grant to Cameron Parish School Board to launch the Explorer Program to fund students traveling to participate in leadership skills training programs and enrichment opportunities in science, technology, engineering, and math;
 - a \$200,000 endowment for college tuition scholarships at SOWELA Technical Community College; and
 - a \$200,000 endowment for college tuition scholarships at McNeese State University.
- On November 14, 2024, Commonwealth received its Rivers and Harbors Act Section 408 Permit from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.
 - On November 27, 2024, FERC issued a Notice of Schedule for the preparation of a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) in response to the July 2024 remand, without vacatur, of Commonwealth's FERC Authorization by the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit. On February 14, 2025, FERC issued the draft SEIS, with issuance of the final SEIS scheduled for May 16, 2024.
 - On February 14, 2025, DOE issued Order No. 5238, conditionally granting long-term authorization for Commonwealth to export LNG to non-FTA countries.
 - Commonwealth is actively engaged in commercial discussions for the long-term sale of LNG and the planning and development of Commonwealth's facility is progressing.
 - Commonwealth continues to work cooperatively with FERC Staff as it moves towards initial site preparation and construction of its facility.

Consistent with Ordering Paragraph H, Commonwealth will continue to file semi-annual reports with DOE. If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact JD Morris at (713) 298-5479 or at jmorris@teamcpl.com.

Best regards,



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