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Subject: [EXTERNAL] Safeguarding American Energy: Oppose Saguaro LNG Extension

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## Dear U.S. Department of Energy,

It is imperative to prioritize American interests by rejecting Mexico Pacific Limited's request for a seven-year extension of the Saguaro LNG export permit.

## \*\*Risks to U.S. Economic Interests:\*\*

- Diverting LNG exports to Asia compromises U.S. gas availability for domestic consumers and industries.
- This project competes with American Gulf Coast LNG facilities, impacting local energy investments.
- Redirecting natural resources from the Permian Basin to foreign markets diminishes the U.S. energy wealth.
- \*\*Threats to Energy Security:\*\*
- Prioritizing exports through Mexican terminals undermines U.S. energy independence.
- Allocating Permian gas to Asian markets depletes domestic reserves, weakening our strategic position.
- Supporting competitors like China with American resources harms national interests.
- \*\*Legal Concerns with Mexican Authorizations:\*\*
- ASEA approved project modifications without required environmental assessments.
- Mexican federal court has suspended project activities, with multiple lawsuits questioning permit legitimacy.
- SEMARNAT has confirmed the absence of environmental authorization for this venture.

## \*\*Call to Action:\*\*

Denying this extension is crucial. The project's legal setbacks and questionable benefits to U.S. interests do not justify approval. Emphasizing American LNG infrastructure is essential for safeguarding strategic energy resources.

Thank you for addressing this critical issue promptly.

Best regards, Moa ************************************
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