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General Comment

RE: Comment for Gulf LNG Liquefaction Company, LLC: Request for Extension of Export Commencement Deadline (Docket No. 12-101-LNG)

Dear Secretary Wright,

On behalf of all of our youth clients, including our clients in *Lighthiser v. Trump* and *Venner v. EPA*, and in the interest of America's children and youth, Our Children's Trust provides these comments on the Hydrocarbons and Geothermal Energy Office, Department of Energy (DOE) "Gulf LNG Liquefaction Company, LLC: Request for Extension of Export Commencement Deadline" notice of a request by Gulf LNG Liquefaction Company, LLC asking the DOE to amend its existing authorization to export domestically produced liquefied natural gas (LNG), specifically to extend its current export commencement deadline, which would facilitate fossil fuel development that is unjustified by law, science, economic prosperity, energy security, or any other reason. In addition to being illegal, the authorization would unleash gas development, worsening the adverse health effects of fossil fuel pollution our clients are currently suffering directly through their inhalation and exposure to the localized pollution and the heat-trapping greenhouse gases from fossil fuels, resulting in further dangerous disruptions of the climate system on which these youths' health and lives depend.

As the Nation's only law firm dedicated to representing children and youth whose constitutional rights are being infringed by government conduct that causes and contributes to climate change, we write to advise you that your proposed action is an unconstitutional decision to implement the President's Executive Orders 14154, 14156, and 14261, in violation of U.S. Const. amend. V, XIV, § 1. Your multiplicity of actions pursuant to those Executive Orders, including this effort to support LNG exports, also violate the separation of powers, by exceeding the authority the DOE has been delegated by Congress and by engaging in conduct that has a significant effect on U.S. public health, welfare and the economy, while

lacking any scientific integrity as Congress has mandated. The DOE has no statutory authority to allow pollution that deprives children and youth of their fundamental rights to life, personal security, family autonomy, bodily integrity, the practice and transmission of cultural and religious traditions, and children's equal protection of the law. U.S. Const. amend. V, XIV, § 1.

Please see the attached comment letter.

Sincerely,

/s/

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