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Dear Sapphire Gas Solutions:

As a courtesy reminder, we are writing to notify you that Sapphire Gas Solutions has an upcoming deadline of **October 21, 2026**, to commence export operations under its existing authorization to export small-scale exports of liquefied natural gas (LNG), DOE/FECM Order No. 5186 (Docket No. 24-57-LNG).

Specifically, Ordering Paragraph D on page 11 of Order No. 5186 states: “For the authorization to non-FTA countries under the Small-Scale Rule, Sapphire must commence export operations using the Facilities no later than two years from the date of issuance of this Order.” See <https://www.energy.gov/sites/default/files/2024-10/ord5186.pdf>.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact our office via response to this email.

Sincerely,



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