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U.S. Department of Energy
Hydrocarbons and Geothermal Energy Office
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Attention: Natural Gas Reports

**Re: Argent LNG, LLC – Semi Annual Progress Report
DOE/HGEO Docket No. 26-28-LNG**

To: Office of Natural Gas Regulatory Activities:

Pursuant to Ordering Paragraph H of DOE/HGEO Order No. 5447, please accept the following semi-annual progress report for Argent LNG, LLC ("Argent LNG"). This report covers the period from April 1, 2026, to October 1, 2026.

- On July 7, 2026, Argent LNG announced that it had awarded a marine, environmental, and site engineering services contract to GIS Engineering, consistent with its Louisiana First procurement strategy.
- On July 23, 2026, DOE/HGEO issued Order No. 5447, granting Argent LNG long-term authorization to export domestically produced LNG to FTA nations in a volume equivalent to 1,293.75 Bcf/yr of natural gas (approximately 25 MTPA), for a 20-year term commencing on the date of first commercial export, plus a three-year make-up period. The non-FTA portion of Argent LNG's application remains pending.
- On August 3, 2026, Argent LNG announced that it had submitted its Waterway Suitability Assessment to the U.S. Coast Guard under 33 C.F.R. Part 127.
- During the reporting period, Argent LNG completed the full suite of thirteen draft FERC Resource Reports 1-13 and has continued its active project engagement through monthly pre-filing interagency conference calls with FERC Staff, cooperating federal and state agencies, and its third-party contractor, Edge Engineering and Science, LLC.
- Argent LNG continues to progress commercially, having executed a non-binding heads of agreement with the Government of Bangladesh for up to 5 MTPA and a strategic cooperation agreement with EPIŞAŞ of Türkiye to strengthen U.S. supply, storage, and regional market integration across Southeast and Central Europe. During the reporting period, Argent LNG also signed non-binding memoranda of understanding with BOTAS of Türkiye, Naftogaz Group of Ukraine, and Transgaz of Romania. Additionally, Argent

LNG signed a non-binding Memorandum of Understanding with the Government of Albania regarding a separate onshore LNG import terminal of up to 5 MTPA.

- The Project is continuing to progress on schedule, anticipating construction by December 2027 and an in-service date of Q1 2030.

Consistent with Ordering Paragraph H of DOE/HGEO Order No. 5447, Argent LNG will continue to file semi-annual reports with DOE. If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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