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Attention: fergas@hq.doe.gov

Re: Southern LNG Company, L.L.C.
DOE Semi-Annual Report No. 14
DOE/FE Order No. 3106 – FE Docket No. 12-54-LNG
DOE/FE Order No. 3956 – FE Docket No. 12-100-LNG
DOE/FE Order No. 4206 – FE Docket No. 18-15-LNG

To: Office of Natural Gas Regulatory Activities

On June 15, 2012, the Department of Energy's Office of Fossil Energy ("DOE/FE") issued an order in Docket No. 12-54-LNG authorizing Southern LNG Company, L.L.C. ("SLNG") to export domestically produced LNG by vessel from its Elba Island Terminal in Savannah, Georgia to any country with which the United States has, or in the future may enter into a Free Trade Agreement ("FTA Order").¹ DOE/FE has also issued to SLNG the following orders: 1) authorization issued on December 16, 2016 to export domestically produced LNG by vessel to non-FTA countries up to a volume equivalent ("Non-FTA Order")² and 2) short-term, blanket authorization issued on July 6, 2018 to export, prior to the commencement of commercial operation, to any country with the capacity to import LNG via ocean-going carrier and with which trade is not prohibited by U.S. law or policy, whether or not the country has a Free Trade Agreement with the United States requiring national treatment for trade in natural gas.³ Paragraph (I) of the FTA Order and Paragraph O of the Non-FTA Order require that SLNG file with the Office of Natural Gas Regulatory Activities information on the progress of the proposed LNG liquefaction project at the Elba Island Terminal, the date the facility is expected to be operational, and the status of the long-term contracts associated with the long-term export of LNG and any

¹ DOE/FE, Order Granting Long-Term Multi-Contract Authorization to Export Liquefied Natural Gas by Vessel from the Elba Island Terminal in DOE/FE Docket No. 12-54-LNG (2012).

² DOE/FE, Opinion and Order Granting Long-Term Multi-Contract Authorization to Export Liquefied Natural Gas by Vessel from the Elba Island Terminal in Chatham County, Georgia to Non-Free Trade Agreement Nations DOE/FE Docket No. 12-100-LNG (2016).

³ DOE/FE, Order Granting Blanket Authorization to Export Liquefied Natural Gas by Vessel from the Elba Island Terminal in Chatham County, Georgia to Free Trade Agreement and Non-Free Trade Agreement Nations DOE/FE Docket No. 18-15-LNG (2018).

long-term supply contracts. SLNG hereby submits this letter to provide the Semi-Annual Report for April 1, 2019 through September 30, 2019.

On June 1, 2016, FERC issued the Order Granting Section 3 and Section 7 Authorizations (“FERC Order”). The FERC Order authorizes SLNG and Elba Liquefaction Company, L.L.C. (“ELC”) to construct, modify and operate the Elba Liquefaction Project at the existing Elba Island Terminal subject to conditions provided in Appendix B to the FERC Order. On June 27, 2016, ELC and SLNG filed their Implementation Plan with FERC (“June 27 IP”) pursuant to Condition 8 of Appendix B to the FERC Order. ELC and SLNG continued to file additional information to supplement the June 27 IP. SLNG and ELC also continued to respond to engineering data requests from FERC staff to further facilitate FERC’s review and processing of the June 27 IP.

On September 30, 2019, SLNG and ELC received authorization and placed the Balance of Plant, Terminal Upgrades, and MMLS Unit No. 1 in-service. SLNG and ELC anticipate the remaining nine MMLS units to be placed into service sequentially throughout the remainder of 2019 and early 2020.

Shell NA LNG LLC has fully subscribed for the liquefaction service for a 20 year term to be utilized in its global LNG portfolio.

Please let the undersigned know if you have any questions regarding this report.

Very truly yours,



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