UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

OFFICE OF FOSSIL ENERGY AND CARBON MANAGEMENT

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TOTALENERGIES GAS & POWER)	DOCKET NOS. 08-152-LNG
NORTH AMERICA, INC.	10-36-LNG
(formerly Total Gas & Power North)	10-37-LNG
America, Inc.	10-38-LNG
	21-6-NG

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO AMEND AUTHORIZATIONS TO IMPORT AND EXPORT NATURAL GAS, AND TO IMPORT LIQUEFIED NATURAL GAS TO REFLECT CORPORATE NAME CHANGE

DOE/FECM ORDER NOS. 2609-A 2781-A 2783-A 2784-A 4652-A On February 9, 2009, the Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management (FECM) of the Department of Energy (DOE) issued DOE/FE Order No. 2609 (Docket No. 08-152-LNG), under section 3 of the Natural Gas Act (NGA). That order granted the entity known at the time as Total Gas & Power North America, Inc. (Total Gas & Power) authorization to import liquefied natural gas (LNG) by vessel from the State of Qatar, in a total volume equivalent to 101.3 billion cubic feet (Bcf) of natural gas per year, for a term of 25 years that began on April 1, 2009, and extends through May 31, 2034.

On April 22, 2010, DOE issued DOE/FE Order No. 2781 (Docket No. 10-36-LNG), granting Total Gas & Power authorization to import LNG by vessel from Norway, in a total volume equivalent to 40 Bcf of natural gas per year, for a term of 20 years that began on April 22, 2010, and extends through April 21, 2030.

On April 28, 2010, DOE issued DOE/FE Order No. 2783 (Docket No. 10-37-LNG), granting Total Gas & Power authorization to import LNG by vessel from Nigeria, in a total volume equivalent to 59 Bcf of natural gas per year, for a term of 20 years that began on April 28, 2010, and extends through April 27, 2030.

Also on April 28, 2010, DOE issued DOE/FE Order No. 2784 (Docket No. 10-38-LNG), granting Total Gas & Power authorization to import LNG from Yemen, in a total volume equivalent to 105 Bcf of natural gas per year, for a term of 20 years that began on April 28, 2010, and extends through April 27, 2030.

¹ Authority to regulate the imports and exports of natural gas, including liquefied natural gas, under section 3 of the NGA (15 U.S.C. § 717b) has been delegated to the Assistant Secretary for FECM in Redelegation Order No. S4-DEL-FE1-2021, issued on March 25, 2021. On July 4, 2021, the Office of Fossil Energy changed its name to the Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management.

Finally, on February 11, 2021, DOE issued DOE/FE Order No. 4652 (Docket No. 21-6-NG), granting Total Gas & Power authorization to import and export natural gas from and to Canada and Mexico by pipeline, and to import LNG from various international sources by vessel, in a combined total volume equivalent to 765 Bcf of natural gas, for a two-year term that began on February 22, 2021, and extends through February 21, 2023.

On August 5, 2021, DOE was notified that Total Gas & Power's corporate name had been changed to "TotalEnergies Gas & Power North America, Inc." (TotalEnergies Gas & Power), effective August 1, 2021. TotalEnergies Gas & Power states that this is only a company name change.²

DOE finds that TotalEnergies Gas & Power's request to amend the specified authorizations to reflect its corporate name change is consistent with the public interest, pursuant to NGA section 3.

ORDER

Pursuant to section 3 of the Natural Gas Act, it is ordered that:

A. The name of the authorization holder of DOE/FE Order Nos. 2609, 2781, 2783, 2784, and 4652 is amended, in each order, to TotalEnergies Gas & Power North America, Inc.

² See Letter from Rochelle M. Pleasant, Assistant Secretary and Assistant Treasurer, TotalEnergies Gas & Power North America, Inc. to DOE (Aug. 5, 2021).

B. All obligations arising under DOE/FE Order Nos. 2609, 2781, 2783, 2784, and 4652 no longer apply to Total Gas & Power North America, Inc., and now apply to TotalEnergies Gas & Power North America, Inc.

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