

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
OFFICE OF FOSSIL ENERGY AND CARBON MANAGEMENT

PETRO HARVESTER)
OPERATING COMPANY, LLC)
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DOCKET NO. 18-143-NG

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO VACATE LONG-TERM
AUTHORIZATION TO EXPORT NATURAL GAS TO CANADA

DOE/FECM ORDER NO. 4283-A

JANUARY 3, 2023

On October 25, 2018, the Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management (FECM) (formerly the Office of Fossil Energy)¹ of the Department of Energy (DOE) issued Order No. 4283² to Petro Harvester Operating Company, LLC (Petro Harvester) under section 3(c) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA).³ Under this order, Petro Harvester is authorized to export natural gas to Canada by pipeline in a volume up to 10.95 billion cubic feet per year (Bcf/yr) for a five-year term.

On October 19, 2022, Petro Harvester submitted a request asking DOE to vacate Order No. 4283 (Request), effective retroactively on September 1, 2022.⁴ In support of this Request, Petro Harvester states that the export of natural gas to Canada at the Portal crossing point was transferred to a different entity on September 1, 2022.⁵ DOE finds good cause to grant Petro Harvester's Request.

Accordingly, pursuant to NGA section 3(c), Petro Harvester's authorization granted in Order No. 4283 is hereby vacated, effective September 1, 2022.

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¹ The Office of Fossil Energy changed its name to the Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management on July 4, 2021.

² *Petro Harvester Operating Co., LLC*, DOE/FE Order No. 4283, Docket No. 18-143-NG, Order Granting Long-Term Authorization to Export Natural Gas to Canada (Oct. 25, 2018).

³ 15 U.S.C. § 717b. The authority to regulate the imports and exports of natural gas, including liquefied natural gas, under section 3 of the NGA has been delegated to the Assistant Secretary for FECM in Redelegation Order No. S4-DEL-FE1-2022, issued on June 13, 2022.

⁴ See *Petro Harvester Operating Co., LLC, Request to Vacate*, Docket No. 18-143-NG (Oct. 19, 2022), https://www.energy.gov/sites/default/files/2022-12/Vacate%20Req%20Order%204283%20Docket%20No%2018_143_N.pdf.

⁵ See *id.*