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Ms. Amy Sweeney, Director Office of Regulatory and International Engagement Office of Fossil Energy Forrestal Building, FE-34, Room 3E-052 1000 Independence Ave., S.W. Washington, D.C. 20585

Re: In the Matter of Cheniere Marketing, LLC and Corpus Christi Liquefaction, LLC FE Docket Nos. 12-97-LNG & 12-99-LNG; DOE/FE Order Nos. 3164, 3164-A & 3638 Long-Term Supply Contract

Dear Ms. Sweeney:

Cheniere Marketing, LLC ("Cheniere Marketing") and Corpus Christi Liquefaction, LLC ("CCL") hereby submit¹ for filing under seal, a non-redacted copy of a NAESB Base Contract for Sale and Purchase of Natural Gas ("Base Contract") and associated Transaction Confirmation ("Confirmation"), entered into by CCL on March 27, 2017 and August 17, 2018 (respectively) with Wells Fargo Commodities, LLC ("WFC"). Under the Base Contract and Confirmation, WFC will sell and CCL will purchase natural gas on a long-term basis. CCL intends to liquefy the natural gas purchased from WFC at the Corpus Christi Liquefaction Project.

Cheniere Marketing and CCL are also filing herewith a public summary of the major provisions of the contract. This filing is being submitted in accordance with Department of Energy, Office of Fossil Energy ("DOE/FE") Order No. 3164, as amended by DOE/FE Order No. 3164-A,<sup>2</sup> and DOE/FE Order No. 3638.<sup>3</sup> Cheniere Marketing and CCL hereby request confidential treatment of the Base Contract and Confirmation filed herewith, as they contain commercially sensitive information.

Should you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at 713-375-5000.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Taylor Johnson

**Taylor Johnson** 

Cheniere Marketing, LLC and Corpus Christi Liquefaction, LLC

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Base Contract and Confirmation are being sent to DOE/FE by overnight mail.

Cheniere Marketing, LLC, DOE/FE Order No. 3164, Ordering Paragraph D, FE Docket No. 12-99-LNG (Oct. 16, 2012) (granting Cheniere Marketing authorization to engage in long-term exports of LNG to free trade agreement nations); Cheniere Marketing, LLC, DOE/FE Order Nos. 3538 and 3164-A, FE Docket Nos. 12-97-LNG and 12-99-LNG (Oct. 29, 2014) (authorizing the addition of CCL as an authorization holder under DOE/FE Order No. 3164).

Cheniere Marketing, LLC & Corpus Christi Liquefaction, LLC, DOE/FE Order No. 3638, Ordering Paragraph I, FE Docket No. 12-97-LNG (May 12, 2015) (granting Cheniere Marketing and CCL authorization to engage in long-term exports of LNG to non-free trade agreement nations).

## **Long-Term Supply Contract Major Provisions Summary**

# BASE CONTRACT AND CONFIRMATION BETWEEN CORPUS CHRISTI LIQUEFACTION, LLC AND WELLS FARGO COMMODITIES, LLC

### 1. DOE Order/FE Docket No(s):

DOE/FE Order Nos. 3164, 3164-A & 3638 FE Docket Nos. 12-97-LNG & 12-99-LNG

#### 2. Exact Legal Name of Parties/Counterparties to Contract:

Seller: Wells Fargo Commodities, LLC Buyer: Corpus Christi Liquefaction, LLC<sup>1</sup>

3. Contract Type (e.g. Purchase and Sale Agreement; Liquefaction Tolling Agreement, etc.):

NAESB Base Contract for Sale and Purchase of Natural Gas and Transaction Confirmation

#### 4. Date of the Contract:

Base Contract: March 27, 2017 Confirmation: August 17, 2018

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> There is no corporate affiliation between Corpus Christi Liquefaction, LLC and Wells Fargo.