

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

OFFICE OF FOSSIL ENERGY

SMALL VENTURES U.S.A., L.L.C.

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FE DOCKET NO. 01-54-LNG

ORDER VACATING AUTHORIZATION TO
IMPORT LIQUEFIED NATURAL GAS FROM
VARIOUS INTERNATIONAL SOURCES BY VESSEL

DOE/FE ORDER NO. 1718-A

On October 16, 2001, the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) granted blanket authorization to Small Ventures U.S.A., L.L.C. (Small Ventures) in DOE/FE Order No. 1718 to import liquefied natural gas (LNG) from various international sources by vessel, up to a total volume equivalent to 80 billion cubic feet of natural gas, over a two-year term beginning on the first date of delivery.

On December 2, 2016, Small Ventures notified DOE/FE that it is no longer engaged in the business of importing LNG and no longer needs the current blanket authorization. No deliveries of LNG have begun. Small Ventures therefore requests that DOE/FE vacate Order No. 1718 retroactively, effective November 30, 2016. DOE/FE finds good cause to do so.

Accordingly, pursuant to section 3 of the Natural Gas Act, the authorization to import LNG from various international sources by vessel granted to Small Ventures in DOE/FE Order No. 1718 is hereby vacated, effective November 30, 2016.

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