

Congress of the United States
Washington, DC 20515

January 12, 2017

The Honorable Ernest Moniz
Secretary, U.S. Department of Energy
1000 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20585

Dear Secretary Moniz,

We write to urge your immediate assistance in securing approval for the export of Compressed Gas Liquids (CGL) to non-Free Trade Agreement (FTA) countries by the Department of Energy's Office of Fossil Energy (DOE/FE). Located in Gulfport, MS, SeaOne has operated in good faith with DOE/FE since its initial request in 2013 and has provided materials to prove that CGL exports to the Caribbean are in the nation's interest, comply with environmental impact studies, and received no contrary comments in the public record. This application has been pending since September 2015.

As you may know, CGL is a more flexible and less environmentally intrusive way of transporting and delivering hydrocarbon products. CGL enables delivery of a full range of light petroleum products for use in petrochemicals, plastics, vehicle fuel, and home use in existing power plant burners in Caribbean countries. The deployment of CGL will both provide jobs here at home and provide clean and reliable energy for U.S. allies in the Caribbean region. DOE/FE's only argument for inaction, as of December 23, is that it seeks another environmental assessment (EA); however, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has already performed an EA and issued a Finding of No Significance (FONSI).

We seek your immediate and positive action to issue the license prior to your departure. For questions please contact Amy Murphy with Rep. Barton at 202-225-2002. Thank you for your attention to this critical issue.

Sincerely,



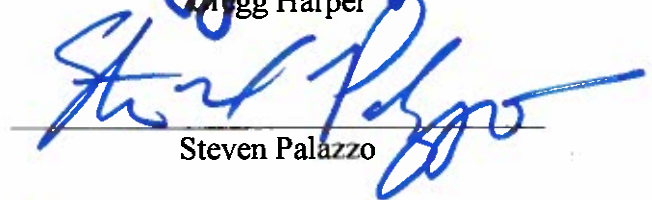
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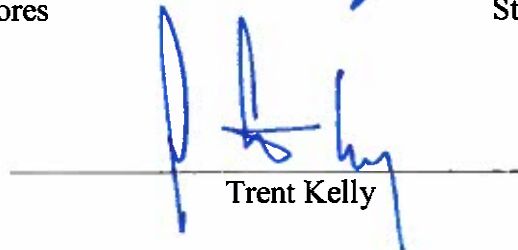
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