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Edward B. Myers
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Re: **DOE/FE Docket No. 11-161-LNG**

Dear Mr. Myers:

Pursuant to 10 CFR § 590.304(f), Freeport LNG Expansion, L.P. and FLNG Liquefaction, LLC hereby request a fifteen day extension of time to file Answers to the Motions to Intervene and Protests filed by the Gulf Coast Environmental Labor Coalition, the American Public Gas Association, and the Sierra Club in the above-referenced docket. The issues raised by these Protests are sufficiently complex that additional time is required to properly respond to them.

The requested extension would adjust the deadline from April 30, 2012 to May 15, 2102. Your professional courtesy in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,



Les LoBaugh