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RE: 2012 LNG Export Study

To Whom It May Concern:

Jobs and the economy continue to be the central focus of state and federal governments. As a county supervisor, I understand the importance of this focus.

The study done by NERA on Liquefied Natural Gas concluded positive results for both America's economy and its gross domestic product. Increased production of Liquefied Natural Gas would not only lead to higher net economic benefits, but also more jobs. Additional jobs would be created in the fields of manufacturing, engineering and construction. Allowing for new trade agreements will make this possible.

Sincerely,

Phillip E. Dougherty  
Vice Chairman

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