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### **NGSA Urges Senate Support for Improved Decision Process for LNG Export Applications**

(Washington, DC) -- The Natural Gas Supply Association (NGSA) today voiced support for a provision in the Senate Energy and Natural Resource Committee's proposed "Energy Policy Modernization Act of 2015" that establishes a more efficient timeline for the Secretary of Energy to act on applications to export LNG.

Dena E. Wiggins, president and CEO of NGSA said:

"We commend Senators Murkowski and Cantwell for their recognition that an efficient approval process for LNG export applications is critical to energy legislation, as well as Senator Barrasso for his continued advocacy on behalf of an improved regulatory process for LNG exports. The bottom line is that we must have greater regulatory certainty for LNG export applications, which will in turn enable America to compete on a global level and will encourage investment here at home.

"Improving the decision-making process for LNG export applications from the United States can create tens of thousands of American jobs and reduce global greenhouse gas emissions, while preserving a competitive advantage for American manufacturers.

"We urge the Senate Energy Committee's support for a more efficient LNG export application process when it considers the Energy Policy Modernization Act."

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The Natural Gas Supply Association (NGSA) represents integrated and independent companies that supply natural gas. Established in 1965, NGSA encourages the use of natural gas within a balanced national energy policy, and promotes the benefits of competitive markets, thus encouraging increased supply and the reliable and efficient delivery of natural gas to U.S. customers. For more information, please visit [www.ngsa.org](http://www.ngsa.org) and [www.naturalgas.org](http://www.naturalgas.org).

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