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## NGSA Statement on White House Halt of U.S. LNG Export Authorizations

(Washington, D.C.) – The Natural Gas Supply Association (NGSA) issued the following statement following the announcement that the Department of Energy (DOE) is pausing the reviews of U.S. LNG export applications.

## Dena Wiggins, President and CEO of NGSA, said:

"This is an ill-advised action that destabilizes energy markets and damages U.S. relations with our allies, energy security and shared climate goals. It endangers future natural gas projects and the jobs associated with them here in the United States, while slowing the global transition away from coal.

"This halt of authorizations undermines the ability of future natural gas projects to move forward, Natural gas has been instrumental to reducing America's own emissions, while strengthening our energy independence and fueling innovation. Our LNG exports are accelerating the adoption of more reliable, cleaner fuels in growing and developing economies around the world."

In addition to visiting NGSA.org, please visit the Center for LNG's <u>website</u> to see how the <u>U.S. LNG industry is</u> reducing emissions, LNG's environmental benefits and the economic benefits of exports.

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The Natural Gas Supply Association (NGSA) represents integrated and independent companies that supply natural gas. Founded in 1965, NGSA is the only national trade association that solely focuses on producer-marketer issues related to the downstream natural gas industry. NGSA advocates for well-functioning markets that foster a growing, competitive market for natural gas. NGSA is dedicated to achieving a cleaner future through strong partnerships with renewables and supporting innovative technologies and market solutions that reduce emissions. For more information, please visit <a href="https://www.ngsa.org">www.ngsa.org</a>.

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