In Conclusion: FERC said to file a Petition for Declaratory Order

An email was sent to FERC, outlining the salient terms of the proposed Strom, Inc., LNG export project. FERC responded as follows: On May 23, 2018 at 10:54 AM Sarah McKinley < Sarah.McKinley@ferc.gov > wrote: Is this e-mail meant to serve as a Petition for Declaratory Order? If that's what you are proposing I recommend that you contact the Secretary's Office to find out how to properly file that petition.

In 2015, when pressed on the fact that the Hialeah LNG export facility was not eligible to claim a B5.7 Categorical Exclusion from NEPA review because the facility was "new construction," John Anderson, Director of FE at the DOE, told the writer that "they had found a loophole."

Expecting citizens to continue policing these small-scale inland LNG export operations without FERC's guidance and support is dangerous and unfair. Your consideration of this *Petition for a new Rulemaking* is strongly encouraged.

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¹MOU FERC AND DOT, 08/31/2018

https://www.phmsa.dot.gov/sites/phmsa.dot.gov/files/docs/news/64706/ferc-phmsa-mou.pdf

²CFR Title 49, 08/02/2022

https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-49/subtitle-B/chapter-I/subchapter-D/part-193

³MOU FERC AND DOT (see footnote 1)

⁴Regulating LNG Facilities: FERC

https://www.phmsa.dot.gov/pipeline/liquified-natural-gas/lng-regulatory-documents

⁵133 FERC ¶ 61,054: **Weaver's Cove Energy LLC**, Docket No. CP04-36-006, "...terminal property and falls within the thermal exclusion zone [Part 193.2057]"

FERC OEP/DG2E/LNGE, Docket No. CP08-13-000: **Floridian Natural Gas Storage Company, LLC**, authorization will only be granted if the facilities are in compliance with PHMSA's, Subpart B, Part 19

112 FERC ¶ 61,028 (2005), order on reh'g, 114 FERC ¶ 61,054 (2006): **Keyspan LNG, L.P.**: Exclusion Zones would extend offsite.

https://cms.ferc.gov/sites/default/files/2020-05/DC06-1097KeySpan.pdf

⁶MOU FERC AND DOD

 $\frac{https://www.ferc.gov/sites/default/files/202004/MOUwith the Secretary of Defense to ensure coordination}{of LNG facilities that may affect an active military installation.pdf}$