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VIA Electronic Mail

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Dear Mr. Junge:

Based on the lack of progress in the pre-filing review process for Fourchon LNG LLC's (Fourchon LNG) proposed liquified natural gas (LNG) terminal at Port Fourchon (Project) in Lafourche Parish, Louisiana, I am terminating my staff's participation in the pre-filing review of the Project. Further, the Commission's Secretary will close the administrative record for the Project.

Fourchon LNG's August 3, 2017 request to enter into the pre-filing review process indicated that it planned to file a formal application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) no later than February 2018. However, Fourchon LNG's November 30, 2023 pre-filing monthly progress report states that "Fourchon LNG continued its reassessment of the Project." After approximately 75 months in pre-filing, Fourchon LNG has still not filed all of its draft Resource Reports. Further, Fourchon LNG has not identified any factors that may be hindering its ability to move forward with the development of the Project.

This dismissal is without prejudice to Fourchon LNG filing a new pre-filing request in the future if the Project progresses to a point where you are able to provide the resource reports and information needed to quantify potential environmental impacts, and Fourchon LNG demonstrates its ability to make further progress in stakeholder engagement.

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If you have any questions, please contact James Martin, Branch Chief in the Office of Energy Projects, at (202) 502-8045.

Sincerely,

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