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To: LNGStudy

Subject: 2012 LNG Export Study

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To the US Department of Energy:

I have learned that a recent study by NERA found that exporting liquefied natural gas (LNG) could be great for the US economy. The study concluded that "the annual average increase in revenues from LNG exports ranges from about \$2.6 billion to almost \$32.9 billion". The additional gas production associated with exports would also generate billions of dollars annually in much needed federal and state government revenue. At a time when our country is experiencing record deficit levels, we can't afford to ignore such opportunities.

Thank you for your consideration, and please don't hesitate to contact my office (614 466-3488) with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Sean J. O'BrienState Representative 63rd House District