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The Honorable Steven Chu

Dear Secretary Chu:

The oil and gas industry is a bright spot in our economy. Please help our economy thrive by supporting the export of U.S. natural gas.

The proliferation of shale gas production should be a jackpot for the U.S. Currently, we can't take advantage of the opportunity because the abundant supply has saturated the market depressing domestic prices. Let's capitalize on this unexpected opportunity by allowing natural gas to be sold abroad, creating thousands of jobs and helping to stabilize the world gas market, for the benefit the global economy.

I disagree with Congressman Markey's objections and don't want our economy to be held hostage by protectionism.

Please support efforts to export natural gas for the benefit of our country and our economy.

Sincerely

Jan Sieving