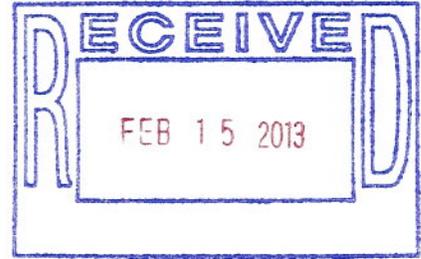


Secretary Steven Chu
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Dear Secretary Chu:

Hard work and intelligence can be attributed to the survival of York, Pennsylvania. In spite of dismal economic times, our small businesses have managed to maintain their operations. Actually, we have historically been lower in unemployment than most parts of the state even before the downturn. Still, other regions of the state would benefit from the exportation of liquefied natural gas to lands abroad.

While entitlements are good momentarily to prevent starvation, it is not a permanent solution for stable income. As an accountant for forty years, I understand the prudence of diligence in working and saving. I had planned to work until I was seventy years old, but Parkinson's forced me into retirement. Nonetheless, I live comfortably from pensions and IRAs. At some point you do have to try to get a job, otherwise your family has no resources for day to day living. If, however, we authorize this new conversion for shipping liquefied natural gas to other nations, we at least will provide opportunities for growth.

In view of the lack of employment opportunities, I cannot imagine a rationale Congressman Markey could invent to prevent the creation of positions like engineering, construction or manufacturing. We are optimizing the little we have to function within our community, which includes a Harley-Davidson plant, an air conditioning manufacturer and farming. There is no limit to the progress we will make with advancements in trading for profit the excessive reserves of natural gas we possess in the United States. I encourage you to approve this process to give the American population a chance to create their own wealth.

Thank you,

Robert Wills

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