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### DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

#### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Alaska Gasline Development Corporation

Docket Nos. CP17-178-000

PF14-21-000

#### Notice of Application

Take notice that on April 17, 2017, Alaska Gasline Development Corporation (AGDC), Suite 200, 3201 C Street, Anchorage, Alaska 99503, filed in the above referenced docket an application pursuant to section 3 of the Natural Gas Act (NGA) for its proposed Alaska LNG Project. Specifically, AGDC proposes: (i) a liquefaction facility designed to produce up to 20 million metric tons per annum of liquefied natural gas; (ii) an approximately 807-mile, 42-inch-diameter pipeline with a peak day capacity of 3.3 billion cubic feet per day; (iii) a gas treatment plant; (iv) an approximately one-mile, 60-inch-diameter pipeline; (v) an approximately 63-mile, 32-inch-diameter pipeline; and (vi) eight compressor stations, all within the State of Alaska, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. The filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's website web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC at FERCOonlineSupport@ferc.gov or call toll-free, (886) 208-3676 or TYY, (202) 502-8659.

Any questions concerning this application may be directed to Frank T. Richards, P.E., Senior V.P., Program Management, Alaska Gasline Development Corporation, Suite 200, 3201 C Street, Anchorage, Alaska 99503, by telephone at (907) 330-6532 or by email at [FRichards@agdc.us](mailto:FRichards@agdc.us) and Howard L. Nelson and Kenneth M. Minesinger, Greenberg Traurig, 2001 L Street, NW, Suite 1000, Washington, DC 20037 by telephone at (202) 331-3163 and (202) 530-8572 or by email at [nelsonh@gtlaw.com](mailto:nelsonh@gtlaw.com) or [minesingerk@gtlaw.com](mailto:minesingerk@gtlaw.com).

On September 12, 2014, Commission staff granted AGDC's request to utilize the Pre-Filing Process and assigned Docket No. PF14-21-000 to staff activities involved in the Alaska LNG Project. Now, as of April 17, 2017 application, the Pre-Filing Process for this project has ended. From this time forward, this proceeding will be conducted in Docket No. CP17-178-000, as noted in the caption of the Notice.

Pursuant to section 157.9 of the Commission's rules (18 CFR 157.9), within 90 days of this Notice, the Commission staff will issue a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review. If a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review is issued, it will indicate, among other milestones, the anticipated date for the Commission staff's issuance of the final environmental impact statement (FEIS) for this proposal. The issuance of a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review will serve to notify federal and state agencies of the timing for the completion of all necessary reviews, and the

subsequent need to complete all federal authorizations within 90 days of the date of issuance of the Commission staff's FEIS.

There are two ways to become involved in the Commission's review of this project. First, any person wishing to obtain legal status by becoming a party to the proceedings for this project should, on or before the comment date stated below file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 or 385.211) and the Regulations under the NGA (18 CFR 157.10). A person obtaining party status will be placed on the service list maintained by the Secretary of the Commission and will receive copies of all documents filed by the applicant and by all other parties. A party must submit seven copies of filings made in the proceeding with the Commission and must mail a copy to the applicant and to every other party. Only parties to the proceeding can ask for court review of Commission orders in the proceeding.

However, a person does not have to intervene in order to have comments considered. The second way to participate is by filing with the Secretary of the Commission, as soon as possible, an original and two copies of comments in support of or in opposition to this project. The Commission will consider these comments in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but the filing of a comment alone will not serve to make the filer a party to the proceeding. The Commission's rules require that

persons filing comments in opposition to the project provide copies of their protests only to the party or parties directly involved in the protest.

Persons who wish to comment only on the environmental review of this project should submit an original and two copies of their comments to the Secretary of the Commission. Environmental commentors will be placed on the Commission's environmental mailing list, will receive copies of the environmental documents, and will be notified of meetings associated with the Commission's environmental review process. Environmental commentors will not be required to serve copies of filed documents on all other parties. However, the non-party commentors will not receive copies of all documents filed by other parties or issued by the Commission (except for the mailing of environmental documents issued by the Commission) and will not have the right to seek court review of the Commission's final order.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings of comments, protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at <http://www.ferc.gov>. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and seven copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426.

Comment Date: 5:00pm Eastern Time on May 22, 2017.

Dated: May 1, 2017.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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