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**Re: Request for Extension-The Proposed West Delta Deepwater Port LONG Export
Development Project (Docket # MARAD-2019-0095)**

Thank you for granting us an extension this past April. Your continued understanding and support have been instrumental in our efforts.

We are actively engaged in discussions with new equity providers and are finalizing the details of a lease for an onshore gas pre-treatment facility—a critical component of the project. Progress has been delayed due to the property owner's legal issues and broader challenges in the LNG industry, but we are making meaningful strides toward resolving these issues.

To ensure we can fully address these matters and meet the project's requirements, we respectfully request an additional six-month extension.

We appreciate your consideration and remain committed to advancing this important project. Please feel free to reach out with any questions or for additional updates.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John Schiller".

John Schiller
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