

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
OFFICE OF FOSSIL ENERGY AND CARBON MANAGEMENT

ENESTAS, S. DE R.L. DE C.V.
(formerly Enestas, S.A. de C.V.)

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DOCKET NO. 23-41-NG

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO AMEND AUTHORIZATION
TO EXPORT NATURAL GAS TO MEXICO
TO REFLECT CORPORATE NAME CHANGE

DOE/FECM ORDER NO. 5003-A

AUGUST 16, 2024

On May 26, 2023, the Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management (FECM) of the Department of Energy (DOE) issued DOE/FECM Order No. 5003 (Docket No. 23-41-NG), under section 3 of the Natural Gas Act (NGA).¹ That order granted the entity known at the time as Enestas, S.A. de C.V. (Enestas) authorization to export up to 7.2 billion cubic feet of natural gas to Mexico by pipeline, for a two-year term that began on May 26, 2023, and extends through May 25, 2025.

On March 13, 2024, DOE was notified that Enestas' corporate name had been changed to "Enestas, S. de R.L. de C.V." (Enestas), effective June 9, 2023. Enestas states that this is a company name change.²

DOE finds that Enestas' request to amend the specified authorization to reflect its corporate name change is consistent with the public interest, pursuant to NGA section 3.

ORDER

Pursuant to section 3 of the Natural Gas Act, it is ordered that:

A. The name of the authorization holder of DOE/FECM Order No. 5003 is amended to Enestas, S. de R.L. de C.V.

¹ Authority to regulate the imports and exports of natural gas, including liquefied natural gas, under section 3 of the NGA (15 U.S.C. § 717b) has been delegated to the Assistant Secretary for FECM in Redelegation Order No. S4-DEL-FE1-2023, issued on April 10, 2023.

² See Emails from Estefanía Arriaga, Enestas, S. de R.L. de C.V. (Mar. 13, 2024 and Mar. 14, 2024).

B. All obligations arising under DOE/FECM Order No. 5003 no longer apply to Enestas, S.A. de C.V., and now apply to Enestas, S. de R.L. de C.V.

Issued in Washington, D.C., on August 16, 2024.

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