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## Center for LNG Statement on Proposed Methane Rule

(Washington, D.C.) – The Center for LNG (CLNG) issued the following statement today following the release of a proposed methane rule by the Environmental Protection Agency.

Charlie Riedl, Executive Director of the Center for LNG (CLNG), said:

"The U.S. LNG industry wholeheartedly agrees that it is essential to reduce methane emissions. We are proud of the strides we have made and are committed to further reductions as we work toward the promise of a clean energy future.

"We look forward to reviewing the proposed rule and engaging with EPA in developing a sound framework that enables the world to further benefit from the environmental and economic advantages of natural gas.

"We believe that well-designed methane regulations must be cost-effective and provide the flexibility for our industry to continue to invest in and implement innovative technology and processes to address emissions from our supply chain. A framework based on those principles will help us achieve our goals with the added benefit of greater regulatory certainty for LNG facility builders, operators, shippers, buyers and sellers."

In January, CLNG adopted a set of six principles to address methane emissions, including investing in technologies and processes, improving data quality, and supporting voluntary efforts and well-designed government policies. Read the <u>full text of CLNG's Methane Principles here</u>. CLNG's members represent all aspects of the U.S. LNG supply chain, including all six large-scale LNG export facilities in the United States, shippers, and multinational developers.

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The Center for Liquefied Natural Gas (CLNG) advocates for public policies that advance the use of liquefied natural gas (LNG) in the United States, and its export internationally. A committee of the Natural Gas Supply Association (NGSA), CLNG represents the full LNG value chain, including all six large-scale LNG export facilities in the United States, shippers, and multinational developers, providing it with unique insight into the ways in which the vast potential of this abundant, clean and versatile fuel can be fully realized.

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