

22(e)(8), (9) and (10)<sup>14</sup> as to the finality and accuracy of its daily settlement process and addressing the risks associated with physical deliveries.

Rule 17Ad-22(e)(2)(i) and (v)<sup>15</sup> requires each covered clearing agency to establish, implement, maintain, and enforce written policies and procedures reasonably designed to provide for governance arrangements that are clear and transparent and specify clear and direct lines of responsibility. ICC determined to accept the additional Sovereign Contracts for clearing in accordance with its governance process, which included review of the contract and related risk management considerations by the ICC Risk Committee and approval by its Board. These governance arrangements continue to be clear and transparent, such that information relating to the assignment of responsibilities and the requisite involvement of the ICC Board and committees is clearly detailed in the ICC Rules and policies and procedures, consistent with the requirements of Rule 17Ad-22(e)(2)(i) and (v).<sup>16</sup>

Rule 17Ad-22(e)(13)<sup>17</sup> requires each covered clearing agency to establish, implement, maintain, and enforce written policies and procedures reasonably designed to ensure it has the authority and operational capacity to take timely action to contain losses and liquidity demands and continue to meet its obligations by, at a minimum, requiring its participants and, when practicable, other stakeholders to participate in the testing and review of its default procedures, including any close-out procedures, at least annually and following material changes thereto. ICC will apply its existing default management policies and procedures for the additional Sovereign Contracts. ICC believes that these procedures allow for it to take timely action to contain losses and liquidity demands and to continue meeting its obligations in the event of clearing member insolvencies or defaults in respect of the additional single name, in accordance with Rule 17Ad-22(e)(13).<sup>18</sup>

#### *(B) Clearing Agency's Statement on Burden on Competition*

ICC does not believe the proposed amendments will have any impact, or impose any burden, on competition not necessary or appropriate in furtherance of the purposes of the Act. As discussed above, the purpose of the proposed rule

change is to adopt rules that will provide the basis for ICC to clear additional credit default swap contracts. The additional Sovereign Contracts will be available to all ICC participants for clearing. The clearing of the additional Sovereign Contracts by ICC does not preclude the offering of the additional Sovereign Contracts for clearing by other market participants. Accordingly, ICC does not believe that clearance of the additional Sovereign Contracts will impose any burden on competition not necessary or appropriate in furtherance of the purposes of the Act.

#### *(C) Clearing Agency's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change*

Written comments relating to the proposed rule change have not been solicited or received. ICC will notify the Commission of any written comments received by ICC.

### **III. Date of Effectiveness of the Proposed Rule Change and Timing for Commission Action**

Within 45 days of the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register** or within such longer period up to 90 days (i) as the Commission may designate if it finds such longer period to be appropriate and publishes its reasons for so finding or (ii) as to which the self-regulatory organization consents, the Commission will:

- (A) by order approve or disapprove such proposed rule change, or
- (B) institute proceedings to determine whether the proposed rule change should be disapproved.

### **IV. Solicitation of Comments**

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views, and arguments concerning the foregoing, including whether the proposed rule change is consistent with the Act. Comments may be submitted by any of the following methods:

#### *Electronic Comments*

- Use the Commission's internet comment form (<https://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>); or
- Send an email to [rule-comments@sec.gov](mailto:rule-comments@sec.gov). Please include file number SR-ICC-2023-010 on the subject line.

#### *Paper Comments*

Send paper comments in triplicate to Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549.

All submissions should refer to file number SR-ICC-2023-010. This file number should be included on the subject line if email is used. To help the

Commission process and review your comments more efficiently, please use only one method. The Commission will post all comments on the Commission's internet website (<https://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>). Copies of the submission, all subsequent amendments, all written statements with respect to the proposed rule change that are filed with the Commission, and all written communications relating to the proposed rule change between the Commission and any person, other than those that may be withheld from the public in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552, will be available for website viewing and printing in the Commission's Public Reference Room, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549, on official business days between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Copies of such filings will also be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of ICE Clear Credit and on ICE Clear Credit's website at <https://www.theice.com/clear-credit/regulation>.

Do not include personal identifiable information in submissions; you should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. We may redact in part or withhold entirely from publication submitted material that is obscene or subject to copyright protection. All submissions should refer to File Number SR-ICC-2023-010 and should be submitted on or before July 24, 2023.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.<sup>19</sup>

**Vanessa A. Countryman,**  
Secretary.

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## **DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

**[Public Notice: 12119]**

### **Plenary Meeting of the Binational Bridges and Border Crossings Group in Washington, DC**

**ACTION:** Notice of a meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Delegates from the U.S. and Mexican governments, the states of California, Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas, and the Mexican states of Baja California, Sonora, Chihuahua, Coahuila, Nuevo Laredo, and Tamaulipas will participate in a plenary meeting of the U.S.-Mexico Binational Bridges and Border Crossings Group on

<sup>14</sup> *Id.*

<sup>15</sup> 17 CFR 240.17Ad-22(e)(2)(i) and (v).

<sup>16</sup> *Id.*

<sup>17</sup> 17 CFR 240.17Ad-22(e)(13).

<sup>18</sup> *Id.*

<sup>19</sup> 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

Friday, July 21, 2023, in Washington, DC. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss operational matters involving existing and proposed international bridges and border crossings and their related infrastructure and to exchange technical information as well as views on policy. This meeting will include a public session on Friday, July 21, 2023, from 8:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. This session will allow proponents of proposed bridges and border crossings and related projects to make presentations to the delegations and members of the public.

**DATES:** July 21, 2023.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For further information on the meeting and to attend the public session, please contact Hillary Quam, Border Coordinator, in the Office of Mexican Affairs' Border Affairs Unit via email at [WHA-BorderAffairs@state.gov](mailto:WHA-BorderAffairs@state.gov), by phone at 202-647-9894, or by mail at the Office of Mexican Affairs, Room 3924, Department of State, 2201 C Street NW, Washington, DC 20520.

**Christopher Bodington,**

*Border Affairs Officer, Office of Mexican Affairs, Department of State.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Maritime Administration

[Docket No. MARAD-2023-0119]

#### Deepwater Port License Application: Grand Isle LNG Operating Company, LLC; Notice of Intent; Notice of Public Meeting

**AGENCY:** Maritime Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Coast Guard (USCG), in coordination with the Maritime Administration (MARAD), will prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) as part of the environmental review of the Grand Isle LNG Operating Company, LLC (Applicant) deepwater port license application. The application proposes the ownership, construction, operation, and eventual decommissioning of an offshore natural gas export deepwater port, known as the Grand Isle LNG Export Deepwater Port Development Project, that would be located in Federal waters approximately 11.3 nautical miles (13 statute miles, or 20.9 kilometers) offshore Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana in a water depth of approximately 68 to 72 feet (20.7 to 21.9

meters). The deepwater port would allow for the loading of liquefied natural gas (LNG) trading carriers. This Notice of Intent (NOI) requests public participation in the scoping process, provides information on how to participate and announces an informational open house and public meeting. Pursuant to the criteria provided in the Deepwater Port Act of 1974, as amended, Louisiana is the designated Adjacent Coastal State (ACS) for this application.

**DATES:** Comments must be received on or before 30 days from the date of publication of this **Federal Register** notice. MARAD and USCG will hold one in-person Public Meeting in connection with scoping for the Grand Isle LNG Export Deepwater Port Development Project.

The in-person public meeting will be held on July 27, 2023, at the Grand Isle Multiplex, 3101 LA-1, Grand Isle, LA 70358 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Central Daylight Time (CDT). The public meeting will be preceded by an open house from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. CDT. The public meeting may end later than the stated time, depending on the number of persons who wish to make a comment on the record.

Additionally, materials submitted in response to this request for comments on the Grand Isle LNG Export Deepwater Port Development Project deepwater port license application must be submitted to the [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) website or the Federal Docket Management Facility as detailed in the **ADDRESSES** section below by the close of the comment period.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments identified by DOT Docket Number MARAD-2023-0119 by any one of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* Go to <http://www.regulations.gov>. Search MARAD-2023-0119 and follow the instructions for submitting comments.

- *Mail or Hand Delivery:* The Docket Management Facility is in the West Building, Ground Floor of the U.S. Department of Transportation. The Docket Management Facility location address is U.S. Department of Transportation, MARAD-2023-0119, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, West Building, Room W12-140, Washington, DC 20590. Call 202-493-0402 to determine facility hours prior to hand delivery.

**Note:** If you mail or hand-deliver your comments, we recommend that you include your name and a mailing address, an email address, and/or a telephone number in a cover page so that we can contact you if we have questions regarding your submission.

**Instructions:** All submissions received must include the agency name and specific docket number. All comments received will be posted without change to the docket at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov), including any personal information provided. For detailed instructions on submitting comments, see the section entitled Public Participation.

For assistance, please contact either the Maritime Administration via email at [Deepwater.Ports@dot.gov](mailto:Deepwater.Ports@dot.gov), or the U.S. Coast Guard via email at [DeepwaterPorts@uscg.mil](mailto:DeepwaterPorts@uscg.mil). Include "MARAD-2023-0119" in the subject line of the message. This email will not be relied on for the intake of comments for this deepwater port license application. To submit written comments and other material submissions, please follow the directions above. Please do not submit written comments or other materials to the email addresses in this section. Improperly submitted comments interfere with MARAD and USCG's ability to help others seeking assistance with comment submission or public meeting attendance.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Public Meetings and Open House

We encourage you to attend the informational open house and public meeting to learn about, and comment on, the proposed deepwater port. You will have the opportunity to submit comments on the scope and significance of the issues related to the proposed deepwater port that should be addressed in the EIS.

In order to allow everyone a chance to speak at a public meeting, we may limit speaker time, extend the meeting hours, or both. You must identify yourself, and any organization you represent, by name. Your remarks will be recorded and/or transcribed for inclusion in the public docket.

You may submit written material through docket submission either in place of, or in addition to, speaking. Written material should include your name and address and will be included in the public docket.

Public docket materials will be made available to the public on the Federal Docket Management Facility website (see **ADDRESSES**).

If you plan to participate in the open house or public meetings and require special assistance such as sign language interpretation, non-English language interpretation services or other reasonable accommodation, please notify MARAD or the USCG (see **ADDRESSES**) at least 5 business days in advance of the public meetings. Include