

March 11, 2016

Pacific NorthWest LNG Project
Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency (CEAA)
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Re: Pacific Northwest LNG Project CEAA invitation for public comment

Dear Sir or Madam,

Today is the last day to comment on the CEAA report for the project mentioned above dated Feb. 10 with a deadline of Mar. 11, 2016. I wish to make the following submission after much thought and careful consideration.

At a time when the unemployment rate last month is near three year high (Statistics Canada) with sluggish economic outlook, as a Canadian citizen greatly concerned for our nation's economy and our people's living, I believe we need to seize this opportunity to capitalize on our LNG export potential. "The export of LNG could facilitate Canadian natural gas production growth and result in significant investment, jobs and economic growth", as indicated by Natural Resources Canada.

Meanwhile, we recognize that Lelu Island has been a particular contentious aspect of the project over concerns that it will harm juvenile salmon habitat. "A worse location is unlikely to be found for PNW LNG with regards to potential risks to fish and fisheries," according to the letter sent by a group of scientists.

We know the analysis of replacing coal or diesel in Asia by LNG is outside CEAA's scope, but it is our pride and responsibility to help fight climate change on a global scale by reducing greenhouse gas emissions. I urge all sides to weigh the benefits against the potential impacts and at the same time, address the environmental concerns.

Thank you for your consideration.

Yours truly,

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