## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND Greenbelt Division

DOMINION ENERGY COVE POINT LNG, LP,

Plaintiff,

V.

BOARD OF APPEALS OF CHARLES COUNTY, MARYLAND, et al.,

Defendants.

CASE NO. 8:18-cv-00873-PJM

## DOMINION ENERGY COVE POINT LNG, LP'S STATUS REPORT PURSUANT TO MOTION FOR A TEMPORARY STAY

The Plaintiff, Dominion Energy Cove Point LNG, LP ("DECP"), by counsel, submits the following status report pursuant to its pending Motion for a Temporary Stay (ECF No. 42) ("Stay Motion").

DECP's Stay Motion described its ongoing efforts to find alternatives to constructing the Charles Station Compressor Facilities at the Charles Station site at issue in this case. Although DECP has not yet found a suitable alternative, it has not exhausted its search efforts and believes that at least another 30-45 days will be required to do so. In light of this, for the reasons stated in its pending Motion for a Temporary Stay, DECP continues to believe that this action should be temporarily stayed. And because the search efforts are expected to continue for at least another 30 days, DECP believes that the hearing on the pending motions before this Court (ECF Nos. 24 & 25 [DECP Mot. for Partial Summary Judgment] and ECF No. 31 [Motion to Intervene]) scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on September 24, 2018, should be postponed for at least 30 days after the presently scheduled date.

DECP has contacted counsel for each of the Defendants and counsel for the Movant Intervenors and provided them with a draft of this Status Report. Each has responded that they have no objection to DECP's request for a temporary stay, or to the postponement of the September 24 hearing for at least 30 days.

Dated: August 30, 2018.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to Local Rule 102(1)(c), I certify that, on August 30, 2018, a copy of the foregoing was sent by email to counsel for the Defendants:

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Movant Intervenors' motion to intervene, which DECP has opposed, remains pending and unresolved.