Memo

To: Shale Gas & LNG - Spring 2015

From: Prof. Sakmar

Date: March 31, 2015

Re: 4th Research Assignment - LNG Reading and Paper Presentations

Due Date: 4th Class Sessions - April 24/25

1. Discussion of Class Paper Topics

Please be prepared to share and discuss your paper topic with the class. Each student will have several minutes to identify their topic and share a few key issues/insights about the topic. Students should be prepared on Friday although some students might not present until Saturday.

2. LNG Reading - Book

Chapter 6: LNG contracts and trading - Read and be ready to discuss

Chapter 11: US LNG exports - Read and be ready to discuss

Our last two classes will focus on LNG contracts and trading and the prospects for US LNG exports. Please read these chapters and have a general idea of the key contracts used in the LNG industry. Please also review the regulatory framework for US LNG exports and have an understanding of the regulatory process for approving export applications in the US.

Chapters 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, & 12 - Please skim these chapters. Some of them have previously been assigned. I want you to have a general idea of the overall LNG market - who are the key suppliers? Key demand centers? Emerging issues.

** Please be sure to bring your LNG book to class and your computer/phone to look up information if need be.

3. Current Event 4

Please turn in a current event related to your paper topic. This can be a news article or a key source you intend to use for your paper. Please turn in a hard copy in class and also email Melissa so she can add it to the class list to be circulated.