
**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

**CURRENT REPORT
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d)
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 10, 2025

CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.
(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

001-33366
(Commission
File Number)

20-5913059
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

845 Texas Avenue, Suite 1250
Houston, Texas 77002
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(713) 375-5000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Units Representing Limited Partner Interests	CQP	NYSE

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company ☐

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. ☐

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On July 10, 2025 (the “Issue Date”), Cheniere Energy Partners, L.P. (“Cheniere Partners”) closed the sale of its previously announced offering of \$1.0 billion aggregate principal amount of 5.550% Senior Notes due 2035 (the “Notes”). The sale of the Notes was not registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “Securities Act”), and the Notes were sold on a private placement basis in reliance on Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act and Rule 144A and Regulation S thereunder.

Tenth Supplemental Indenture

The Notes were issued on the Issue Date pursuant to the indenture, dated as of September 18, 2017 (the “Base Indenture”), by and among Cheniere Partners, the guarantors party thereto (the “Guarantors”) and The Bank of New York Mellon, as trustee (the “Trustee”), as supplemented by the tenth supplemental indenture, dated as of the Issue Date, among Cheniere Partners, the Guarantors and the Trustee, relating to the Notes (the “Tenth Supplemental Indenture”). The Base Indenture as supplemented by the Tenth Supplemental Indenture is referred to herein as the “Notes Indenture.”

Under the terms of the Tenth Supplemental Indenture, the Notes will mature on October 30, 2035 and will accrue interest at a rate equal to 5.550% per annum on the principal amount from the Issue Date, with such interest payable semi-annually, in cash in arrears, on April 30 and October 30 of each year, beginning on April 30, 2026.

The Notes are Cheniere Partners’ senior unsecured obligations, ranking equally in right of payment with Cheniere Partners’ other existing and future unsubordinated debt and senior in right of payment to any of its future subordinated debt. The Notes are unconditionally guaranteed by each of Cheniere Partners’ current and future subsidiaries that guarantee Cheniere Partners’ revolving credit facility from time to time.

At any time or from time to time prior to April 30, 2035 (the “Par Call Date”), Cheniere Partners may, at its option, redeem all or part of the Notes at a redemption price equal to the greater of (i) 100% of the principal amount of the Notes to be redeemed and (ii) a specified make-whole redemption price set forth in the Tenth Supplemental Indenture, in either case plus accrued and unpaid interest to the redemption date. On and after the Par Call Date, Cheniere Partners may redeem the Notes at its option, in whole at any time or in part from time to time at a redemption price equal to 100% of the principal amount of the Notes redeemed plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any, to (but not including) the applicable redemption date.

The Notes Indenture also contains customary terms and events of default and certain covenants that, among other things, limit the ability of Cheniere Partners and the Guarantors to incur liens, enter into sale-leaseback transactions and consolidate, merge or sell, lease or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of the applicable entity’s properties or assets. The Notes Indenture covenants are subject to a number of important limitations and exceptions.

The foregoing description of the Tenth Supplemental Indenture is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Tenth Supplemental Indenture, which is filed as Exhibit 4.1 hereto and is incorporated by reference herein. The foregoing description of the Base Indenture is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Base Indenture, which is incorporated by reference herein. A copy of the Base Indenture was filed as Exhibit 4.1 to the Current Report dated September 18, 2017, filed by Cheniere Partners on Form 8-K. Any capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined have the meaning ascribed to them in the Notes Indenture.

Registration Rights Agreement

In connection with the issuance of the Notes, Cheniere Partners, the Guarantors and Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, RBC Capital Markets, LLC, CIBC World Markets Corp., HSBC Securities (USA) Inc., Santander US Capital Markets LLC and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, as representatives of the initial purchasers, entered into a Registration Rights Agreement dated as of the Issue Date (the “Registration Rights Agreement”). Under the terms of the Registration Rights Agreement, Cheniere Partners and the Guarantors have agreed to use commercially reasonable efforts to file with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and cause to become effective a registration statement with respect

to an offer to exchange any and all of the Notes, for a like aggregate principal amount of debt securities of Cheniere Partners issued under the Notes Indenture and identical in all material respects to the respective Notes sought to be exchanged (other than with respect to restrictions on transfer or to any increase in annual interest rate), and that are registered under the Securities Act. Cheniere Partners and the Guarantors have agreed to use commercially reasonable efforts to cause such registration statement to become effective within 360 days after the Issue Date. Under specified circumstances, Cheniere Partners and the Guarantors have also agreed to use commercially reasonable efforts to cause to become effective a shelf registration statement relating to resales of the Notes. Cheniere Partners will be obligated to pay additional interest if it fails to comply with its obligations to register the Notes within the specified time periods.

This description of the Registration Rights Agreement is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Registration Rights Agreement, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 10.1 hereto and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 2.03 Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.

The information included in Item 1.01 of this report regarding the Notes is incorporated by reference into this Item 2.03.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
4.1*	<u>Tenth Supplemental Indenture, dated as of July 10, 2025, among Cheniere Energy Partners, L.P., the guarantors party thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon, as Trustee under the Indenture.</u>
10.1*	<u>Registration Rights Agreement, dated as of July 10, 2025, among Cheniere Energy Partners, L.P., the guarantors party thereto, Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, RBC Capital Markets, LLC, CIBC World Markets Corp., HSBC Securities (USA) Inc., Santander US Capital Markets LLC and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC.</u>
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document).

* Filed herewith.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.

By: CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS GP, LLC,
its general partner

Dated: July 10, 2025

By: /s/ Zach Davis
Name: Zach Davis
Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.
as Partnership,

and

any Subsidiary Guarantors party hereto

and

THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON,
as Trustee

TENTH SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE

Dated as of July 10, 2025
to
Indenture dated as of September 18, 2017

5.550% Senior Notes due 2035

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THIS TENTH SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE dated as of July 10, 2025 (this “*Tenth Supplemental Indenture*”), is among Cheniere Energy Partners, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership, as issuer (the “*Partnership*”), Cheniere Energy Investments, LLC, Sabine Pass LNG- GP, LLC, Sabine Pass LNG, L.P., Sabine Pass Tug Services, LLC, Cheniere Creole Trail Pipeline, L.P. and Cheniere Pipeline GP Interests, LLC, as subsidiary guarantors (collectively, the “*Subsidiary Guarantors*”), and The Bank of New York Mellon, as trustee (the “*Trustee*”).

RECITALS:

WHEREAS, the Partnership and the Subsidiary Guarantors have executed and delivered to the Trustee an Indenture, dated as of September 18, 2017 (as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified prior to the date hereof, the “*Base Indenture*”, and as amended and supplemented by this Tenth Supplemental Indenture, the “*Indenture*”), providing for the issuance by the Partnership from time to time of its notes to be issued in one or more series unlimited as to principal amount, including the issuance of the Initial Notes (as defined below);

WHEREAS, the Partnership has duly authorized and desires to cause to be established pursuant to the Base Indenture and this Tenth Supplemental Indenture a new series of notes;

WHEREAS, Sections 2.01 and 2.04 of the Base Indenture permit the execution of indentures supplemental thereto to establish the form and terms of notes of any series;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 9.01 of the Base Indenture, the Partnership has requested and hereby requests that the Trustee join in the execution of this Tenth Supplemental Indenture to establish the form and terms of the Notes (as defined below) and the Trustee is authorized to execute and deliver this Tenth Supplemental Indenture; and

WHEREAS, all things necessary have been done to make the Notes, when executed by the Partnership and authenticated and delivered hereunder and under the Base Indenture and duly issued by the Partnership, the valid obligations of the Partnership and the Subsidiary Guarantors, and to make this Tenth Supplemental Indenture a valid agreement of the Partnership and the Subsidiary Guarantors enforceable in accordance with its terms.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises, agreements and obligations set forth herein and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto hereby agree, for the equal and proportionate benefit of all Holders of the Notes, as follows:

ARTICLE I RELATION TO BASE INDENTURE; DEFINITIONS

Section 1.1 *Relation to Base Indenture.*

With respect to the Notes, this Tenth Supplemental Indenture constitutes an integral part of the Base Indenture.

Section 1.2 *Generally.*

The rules of interpretation set forth in the Base Indenture shall be applied hereto as if set forth in full herein.

Section 1.3 *Definition of Certain Terms.*

Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the respective meanings ascribed to them in the Base Indenture.

ARTICLE II
AMENDMENTS TO THE BASE INDENTURE

Section 2.1 *Amendments to the Base Indenture.*

- (a) The Base Indenture is hereby amended to delete each of the following sections or clauses in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the phrase “[Intentionally Omitted]”:
 - (i) Section 4.02 “Maintenance of Office or Agency”;
 - (ii) Section 4.08 “Change of Control”;
 - (iii) Section 4.09 “Asset Sales”;
 - (iv) Section 4.12 “Limitation on Transactions with Affiliates”;
 - (v) clause (b) of Section 5.03 “Subsidiary Guarantors”;
 - (vi) clauses (c), (f) and (j) of Section 6.01 “Events of Default”;
 - (vii) clause (l) of Section 9.01 “Without Consent of Holders”;
 - (viii) clause (b) of Section 10.04 “Release of Subsidiary Guarantors from Guarantee”;
 - (ix) Section 10.05 “Reinstatement of Guarantees”; and
 - (x) Article XI “Collateral and Security”.
- (b) Section 1.01 of the Base Indenture is hereby amended to:
 - (i) delete the definition of “Credit Agreement” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:

““**Credit Agreement**” means the Credit and Guaranty Agreement, dated as of June 23, 2023, among the Partnership, the subsidiary guarantors party thereto from time to time, the lenders party thereto from time to time and MUFG Bank, Ltd., as administrative agent, as it may be amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, or as it may be refinanced, replaced, refunded or renewed with other Indebtedness of the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor.”
 - (ii) delete the definition of “GAAP” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:

““**GAAP**” means generally accepted accounting principles in the United States, applied on a consistent basis and set forth in the opinions and pronouncements of the Accounting Principles Board of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the opinions and pronouncements of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board and in the statements and pronouncements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board or in such other statements by such other entity as have been approved by a significant segment of the accounting profession, which are in effect from time to time, but excluding the effect of ASC 842.”

- (iii) delete the definition of “Guarantee” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:

““**Guarantee**” means each guarantee of the Partnership’s obligations under the Indenture and the Notes by a Subsidiary of the Partnership in accordance with the provisions of this Indenture.”

- (iv) delete the definition of “Hedging Obligations” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:

““**Hedging Obligation**” of any Person means the obligations of such Person under (1) any agreement providing for options, swaps, floors, caps, collars, forward sales or forward purchases involving interest rates, commodities or commodity prices, equities, currencies, bonds, or indexes based on any of the foregoing, (2) any option, futures or forward contract traded on an exchange and (3) any other derivative agreement or other similar agreement or arrangement.”

- (v) delete the definition of “Lien” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:

““**Lien**” means, with respect to any asset, any mortgage, lien, pledge, charge, security interest or similar encumbrance of any kind in respect of such asset, regardless of whether filed, recorded or otherwise perfected under applicable law.”

- (vi) delete the definition of “Net Tangible Assets” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:

““**Net Tangible Assets**” means, at any date of determination, the total amount of consolidated assets of the Partnership and its Subsidiaries (excluding any derivative assets, but including, without limitation, any assets consisting of equity securities or equity interests in any other entity), after deducting therefrom:

- (1) all current liabilities (excluding (a) any current liabilities that by their terms are extendable or renewable at the option of the obligor thereon to a time more than twelve months after the time as of which the amount thereof is being computed, (b) current maturities of long-term debt and (c) any current derivative liabilities); and
- (2) the value (net of any applicable reserves) of all goodwill, trade names, trademarks, patents and other like intangible assets;

all as prepared in accordance with GAAP and set forth, or on *apro forma* basis would be set forth, on a consolidated balance sheet of the Partnership and its Subsidiaries for the Partnership’s most recently completed fiscal quarter for which financial statements are available.”

- (vii) delete the definition of “Officer” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:

““**Officer**” as applied to any Person, means any individual holding the position of chairman of the board, chief executive officer, president, executive vice president, vice president (or the equivalent thereof), chief financial officer, chief accounting officer, treasurer, assistant treasurer, secretary, assistant secretary or other named officer of such Person.”

(viii) delete the definition of "Permitted Liens" in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:

""**Permitted Liens**" means at any time:

- (1) any Lien existing on any property prior to the acquisition thereof by the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor or existing on any property of any Person that becomes a Subsidiary Guarantor after the Issue Date prior to the time such Person becomes a Subsidiary Guarantor; *provided* that (a) such Lien is not created in contemplation of or in connection with such acquisition or such Person becoming a Subsidiary Guarantor, as the case may be, (b) such Lien shall not apply to any other property of the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor and (c) such Lien shall secure only those obligations that it secures on the date of such acquisition or the date such Person becomes a Subsidiary Guarantor, as the case may be;
- (2) any Lien on any real or personal tangible property securing Purchase Money Indebtedness incurred by the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor;
- (3) Liens securing the Notes or any Guarantee;
- (4) any Lien securing Indebtedness incurred in connection with extension, renewal, refinancing, refunding or replacement (or successive extensions, renewals, refinancing, refunding or replacements), in whole or in part, of Indebtedness secured by Liens referred to in clauses (1), (2) or (3) above; *provided, however*, that (a) any such extension, renewal, refinancing, refunding or replacement Lien shall be limited to the property or assets (including replacements or proceeds thereof) covered by the Lien extended, renewed, refinanced, refunded or replaced and (b) the Indebtedness secured by any such extension, renewal, refinancing, refunding or replacement Lien shall be in an amount not greater than the amount of the obligations secured by the Lien (or, if greater, the committed amount) extended, renewed, refinanced, refunded or replaced and any fees and expenses of the Partnership or the Subsidiary Guarantors (including any premium) incurred in connection with such extension, renewal, refinancing, refunding or replacement;
- (5) Liens securing Hedging Obligations and letters of credit entered into in the ordinary course of business;
- (6) Liens for taxes not delinquent or being contested in good faith and by appropriate proceedings in relation to which appropriate reserves are maintained and Liens for customs duties that have been deferred in accordance with the laws of any applicable jurisdiction; and

- (7) Liens imposed by law or order as a result of any proceeding before any court or regulatory body that is being contested in good faith, and Liens which secure a judgment or other court-ordered award or settlement as to which the Partnership or the applicable Subsidiary has not exhausted its appellate rights.”
- (ix) delete the definition of “Principal Property” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:
- “**Principal Property**” means any building, structure or other facility (together with the land on which it is erected and fixtures comprising a part thereof) owned by the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor and used primarily for processing, storage or distribution, in each case located within the United States, that has a book value on the date of which the determination is being made, without deduction of any depreciation reserves, exceeding 2% of Net Tangible Assets, other than any such facility (or portion thereof) that the Partnership reasonably determines is not material to the business of the Partnership and its Subsidiaries, taken as a whole.”
- (x) delete the definition of “Project Finance Subsidiary” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:
- “**Project Finance Subsidiary**” means (1) SPL and (2) any special purpose Subsidiary of the Partnership that (a) the Partnership designates as a “Project Finance Subsidiary” by written notice to the Trustee and is formed for the sole purpose of (x) developing, financing and operating the infrastructure and capital projects of such Subsidiary or (y) owning or financing any such Subsidiary described in clause (x), (b) has no Indebtedness other than Non-Recourse Indebtedness, (c) is a Person with respect to which neither the Partnership nor any of the Subsidiary Guarantors has any direct or indirect obligation to maintain or preserve such Person’s financial condition or to cause such Person to achieve any specified levels of operating results and (d) has not guaranteed or otherwise directly provided credit support for any Indebtedness of the Partnership or any of the Subsidiary Guarantors.”
- (xi) delete the definition of “Purchase Money Indebtedness” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:
- “**Purchase Money Indebtedness**” of any Person means any Indebtedness of such Person to any seller or other Person, that is incurred to finance the acquisition, construction, installation or improvement of any real or personal tangible property used or useful in the business of such Person and its Subsidiaries and that is incurred concurrently with, or within one year following, such acquisition, construction, installation or improvement.”
- (xii) delete the definition of “Subordinated Indebtedness” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:
- “**Subordinated Indebtedness**” means Indebtedness of the Partnership or a Subsidiary Guarantor that is contractually subordinated in right of payment (by its terms or the terms of any document or instrument relating thereto), to the Notes or the Guarantee of such Subsidiary Guarantor, as applicable.”

(xiii) delete the definition of “Subsidiary Guarantor” in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following:

“**Subsidiary Guarantor**” means each Subsidiary of the Partnership that guarantees the Notes pursuant to the terms of this Indenture but only so long as such Subsidiary is a guarantor with respect to the Notes on the terms provided for in this Indenture.”

(xiv) insert the following definitions, all in appropriate alphabetical order:

“**Derivative Instrument**” with respect to a Person, means any contract, instrument or other right to receive payment or delivery of cash or other assets to which such Person or any Affiliate of such Person that is acting in concert with such Person in connection with such Person’s investment in the Notes (other than a Screened Affiliate) is a party (whether or not requiring further performance by such Person), the value and/or cash flows of which (or any material portion thereof) are materially affected by the value and/or performance of the Notes and/or the creditworthiness of the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor.

“**Long Derivative Instrument**” means a Derivative Instrument (i) the value of which generally increases, and/or the payment or delivery obligations under which generally decrease, with positive changes to the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor and/or (ii) the value of which generally decreases, and/or the payment or delivery obligations under which generally increase, with negative changes to the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor.

“**Net Short**” means, with respect to a Holder or beneficial owner of Notes, as of a date of determination, either (i) the value of its Short Derivative Instruments exceeds the sum of (x) the value of its Notes, plus (y) the value of its Long Derivative Instruments as of such date of determination or (ii) it is reasonably expected that such would have been the case were a Failure to Pay or Bankruptcy Credit Event (each as defined in the 2014 ISDA Credit Derivatives Definitions) to have occurred with respect to the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor immediately prior to such date of determination.

“**Permitted Holder**” means (1) CEI or any of its Subsidiaries and (2) any beneficial owner (as such term is used in Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act) of more than 20% of the Partnership limited partner interests as of the Issue Date and any of their respective Affiliates.

“**Screened Affiliate**” means any Affiliate of a Holder (i) that makes investment decisions independently from such Holder and any other Affiliate of such Holder that is not a Screened Affiliate, (ii) that has in place customary information screens between it and such Holder and any other Affiliate of such Holder that is not a Screened Affiliate and such screens prohibit the sharing of information with respect to the Partnership or its Subsidiaries, (iii) whose investment policies are not directed by such Holder or any other Affiliate of such Holder that is acting in concert with such Holder in connection with its investment in the Notes and (iv) whose investment decisions are not influenced by the investment decisions of such Holder or any other Affiliate of such Holder that is acting in concert with such Holders in connection with its investment in the Note.

“Short Derivative Instrument” means a Derivative Instrument (i) the value of which generally decreases, and/or the payment or delivery obligations under which generally increase, with positive changes to the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor and/or (ii) the value of which generally increases, and/or the payment or delivery obligations under which generally decrease, with negative changes to the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor.”

- (c) The first three paragraphs of Section 2.04 of the Base Indenture are hereby deleted in their entirety and replaced with the following:

“At least one Officer of the Partnership (or, in the case the Partnership is a limited partnership, the General Partner, acting on behalf of the Partnership) shall sign the Notes on behalf of the Partnership by manual, “pdf” or other electronically imaged signature.

If an Officer of the Partnership (or, in the case the Partnership is a limited partnership, the General Partner, acting on behalf of the Partnership) whose signature is on a Note no longer holds that office at the time the Note is authenticated, the Note shall be valid nevertheless.

A Note shall not be entitled to any benefit under this Indenture or the related Guarantees or be valid or obligatory for any purpose until authenticated by the manual, “pdf” or other electronically imaged signature of an authorized signatory of the Trustee, which signature shall be conclusive evidence that the Note has been authenticated under this Indenture. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if any Note has been authenticated and delivered hereunder but never issued and sold by the Partnership, and the Partnership delivers such Note to the Trustee for cancellation as provided in Section 2.13, together with a written statement (which need not comply with Section 12.05 and need not be accompanied by an Opinion of Counsel) stating that such Note has never been issued and sold by the Partnership, for all purposes of this Indenture such Note shall be deemed never to have been authenticated and delivered hereunder and shall never be entitled to the benefits of this Indenture or the related Guarantees.”

- (d) Section 3.03 of the Base Indenture is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

“If the Partnership elects to redeem Notes of any series pursuant to this Indenture, it shall notify the Trustee of the Redemption Date and the principal amount of Notes of such series to be redeemed. The Partnership shall so notify the Trustee at least two days before notice of redemption shall be given to Holders of Notes pursuant to Section 3.05 hereof (unless a shorter notice shall be satisfactory to the Trustee) by delivering to the Trustee an Officer’s Certificate stating that such redemption will comply with the provisions of this Indenture and of the Notes of such series. Any such notice may be canceled at any time prior to the mailing of such notice of such redemption to any Holder and shall thereupon be void and of no effect.”

- (e) Section 4.03(a) through (c) of the Base Indenture are hereby deleted in their entirety and replaced with the following:

“(a) So long as any of the Notes are outstanding, the Partnership will file with the Trustee, within 15 days after it files the same with the SEC, copies of the annual reports and the information, documents and other reports (or copies of such portions of any of the foregoing as the SEC may by rules and regulations prescribe) that the Partnership is required to file with the SEC pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act.

- (b) If the Partnership is not subject to the requirements of such Section 13 or 15(d), the Partnership shall file with the Trustee, within 15 days after it would have been required to file the same with the SEC, financial statements (including any notes thereto (and with respect to annual reports, an auditors' report by a firm of established national reputation)) and a "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations," both comparable to that which the Partnership would have been required to include in such annual reports, information, documents or other reports if the Partnership had been subject to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act.
- (c) Any reports, information or documents filed with the SEC pursuant to its Electronic Data Gathering, Analysis and Retrieval system (EDGAR) (or successor thereto) shall be deemed filed with the Trustee as required by this Section 4.03."
- (f) Section 4.10 of the Base Indenture is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
- "The Partnership shall not, nor shall it permit any Subsidiary Guarantor to, create, assume or incur any Lien (other than any Permitted Lien) upon any Principal Property, whether owned on the date hereof or thereafter acquired, to secure any Indebtedness of the Partnership or a Subsidiary Guarantor if, after giving *pro forma* effect to such creation, assumption or incurrence and the application of the proceeds of such Indebtedness, the outstanding principal amount of all such Indebtedness (other than the Notes and any other series of debt securities issued under this Indenture) secured by a Lien on any Principal Property, together with all Attributable Indebtedness from Sale-Leaseback Transactions (excluding Sale-Leaseback Transactions permitted by Section 4.11(a)(1) through (3)), is in excess of the greater of \$2.5 billion and 15.0% of Net Tangible Assets, unless, contemporaneously with the creation, assumption or incurrence of such Lien, all of the outstanding Notes are secured equally and ratably with, or prior to, such Indebtedness so long as such Indebtedness is so secured.
- With respect to any Lien securing any Indebtedness, such Lien shall also be permitted to secure any Increased Amount of such Indebtedness. The "**Increased Amount**" of any Indebtedness means any increase in the amount of such Indebtedness in connection with any accrual of interest, the accretion of accreted value, the amortization of original issue discount, the payment of interest in the form of additional Indebtedness with the same terms, accretion of original issue discount or liquidation preference and increases in the amount of Indebtedness outstanding solely as a result of fluctuations in the exchange rate of currencies or increases in the value of property securing Indebtedness."
- (g) Section 4.11(b) of the Base Indenture is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
- "Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Partnership may, and may permit any Subsidiary Guarantor to, effect any Sale-Leaseback Transaction that is not permitted by Section 4.11(a)(1) through (3); *provided* that the Attributable Indebtedness from such Sale-Leaseback Transaction, together with the aggregate amount of outstanding Indebtedness secured by Liens on Principal Properties (other than Permitted Liens), does not exceed the greater of (x) \$2.5 billion and (y) 15.0% of Net Tangible Assets."

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- (h) Section 5.01(a) and (b) of the Base Indenture are hereby deleted in their entirety and replaced with the following:
- “(a) The Partnership may not (A) consolidate or merge with or into another Person (regardless of whether the Partnership is the surviving Person) or (B) directly or indirectly sell, lease, assign, transfer, convey or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of its properties or assets, in one or more related transactions, to another Person, unless:
- (1) the Person formed by or resulting from any such consolidation or merger or to which such assets have been sold, leased, assigned, transferred, conveyed or otherwise disposed of (the “**Successor Company**”) is the Partnership or expressly assumes by Supplemental Indenture all of the Partnership’s obligations under this Indenture and the Notes;
 - (2) the Successor Company is organized under the laws of the United States, any state or commonwealth within the United States or the District of Columbia; and
 - (3) immediately after giving effect to the transaction, no Default or Event of Default has occurred and is continuing.
- (b) If the Partnership sells, assigns, transfers or otherwise disposes of all or substantially all of its assets, it shall be released from all obligations under this Indenture and the Notes except that no such release will occur in the case of a lease of all or substantially all of its assets.”
- (i) Section 5.03 of the Base Indenture is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
- “(a) Subject to the provisions of Section 10.04 governing the release of a Guarantee, no Subsidiary Guarantor will, and the Partnership will not permit any Subsidiary Guarantor to, (x) consolidate or merge with or into another Person (regardless of whether such Subsidiary Guarantor is the surviving Person) or (y) directly or indirectly sell, lease, assign, transfer, convey or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of its properties or assets, in one or more related transactions, to another Person; unless:
- (1) the Person formed by or resulting from any such consolidation or merger or to which such assets have been sold, leased, assigned, transferred, conveyed or otherwise disposed of (the “**Successor Person**”) is the Subsidiary Guarantor or expressly assumes by Supplemental Indenture all of the Subsidiary Guarantor’s obligations under this Indenture and the Guarantee;
 - (2) the Successor Person is organized under the laws of the United States, any state or commonwealth within the United States or the District of Columbia; and
 - (3) immediately after giving effect to the transaction no Default or Event of Default has occurred and is continuing.

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- (b) [Intentionally Omitted]
- (c) If the Subsidiary Guarantor sells, assigns, transfers, conveys or otherwise disposes all or substantially all of its assets, it will be released from all obligations under this Indenture and its Guarantee, except that no such release will occur in the case of a lease of all or substantially all of its assets. Notwithstanding the foregoing, this Section 5.03 will not apply to:
- (1) a merger or consolidation of a Subsidiary Guarantor with an Affiliate solely for the purpose of organizing such Subsidiary Guarantor in another jurisdiction within the United States of America; or
 - (2) any merger or consolidation, or any sale, lease, assignment, transfer, conveyance or other disposition of assets between or among the Partnership and the Subsidiary Guarantors.”
- (j) Section 6.01 of the Base Indenture is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
- “Unless either inapplicable to a particular series of Notes or specifically deleted or modified in or pursuant to the Supplemental Indenture or Board Resolution establishing such series of Notes or in the form of Note for such series, each of the following events will be events of default under this Indenture (each, an “**Event of Default**”):
- (a) default for 30 days in the payment when due of interest on the Notes;
 - (b) default in the payment of principal on the Notes when due and payable at their stated maturity, upon redemption, by declaration upon required repurchase or otherwise;
 - (c) [Intentionally Omitted];
 - (d) failure by the Partnership to comply with the provisions of this Indenture applicable to the Notes for 60 days after written notice of default given by the Trustee or the Holders of at least 33 1/3% in aggregate principal amount of the outstanding Notes;
 - (e) default under any mortgage, indenture or instrument under which there may be issued or by which there may be secured or evidenced any Indebtedness for money borrowed by the Partnership or any Subsidiary other than a Project Finance Subsidiary (or the payment of which is guaranteed by the Partnership or any of its Subsidiaries other than a Project Finance Subsidiary) if that default both (A) is caused by a failure to pay principal of or interest on such Indebtedness prior to the expiration of the grace period provided in such Indebtedness on the date of such default (a “**Payment Default**”) and (B) results in the acceleration of such Indebtedness prior to its express maturity, and, in each case, the principal amount of any such Indebtedness, together with the principal amount of any other such Indebtedness under which there has been a Payment Default or the maturity of which has been so accelerated, aggregates \$500.0 million or more;
 - (f) [Intentionally Omitted];

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- (g) the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor, pursuant to or within the meaning of Bankruptcy Law:
- (1) commences a voluntary case;
 - (2) consents to the entry of an order for relief against it in an involuntary case;
 - (3) consents to the appointment of a Bankruptcy Custodian of it or for all or substantially all of its property;
 - (4) makes a general assignment for the benefit of its creditors; or
 - (5) generally is not paying its debts as they become due;”
- (h) a court of competent jurisdiction enters an order or decree under any Bankruptcy Law that:
- (1) is for relief against the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor in an involuntary case;
 - (2) appoints a Bankruptcy Custodian of the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor or for all or substantially all of the property of the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor; or
 - (3) orders the liquidation of the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor;
- and the order or decree remains unstayed and in effect for 90 consecutive days;
- (i) except as permitted by this Indenture, any Guarantee is held in any judicial proceeding to be unenforceable or invalid or ceases for any reason to be in full force and effect, or any Subsidiary Guarantor, or any Person acting on behalf of any Subsidiary Guarantor, denies or disaffirms the obligations of such Subsidiary Guarantor under its Guarantee; and
- (j) [Intentionally Omitted].

The Trustee shall not be deemed to have notice or be charged with knowledge of any Default or Event of Default unless written notice of any Default or Event of Default is received by a Responsible Officer of the Trustee at the Corporate Trust Office of the Trustee from the Partnership or any Holder, and such notice references the Notes and this Indenture.

Any notice of Default, notice of acceleration or instruction to the Trustee to provide a notice of Default, notice of acceleration or take any other action (a “**Noteholder Direction**”) provided by any one or more Holders (each a “**Directing Holder**”) must be accompanied by a written representation from each such Holder delivered to the Partnership and the Trustee that such Holder is not (or, in the case such Holder is DTC or its nominee, that such Holder is being instructed solely by beneficial owners that have represented to such Holder that they are not) Net Short (a “**Position Representation**”), which representation, in the case of a Noteholder Direction relating to the delivery of a notice of Default shall be deemed a continuing representation until the resulting Event of Default is cured or otherwise ceases to exist or the Notes are accelerated. In addition, each

Directing Holder is deemed, at the time of providing a Noteholder Direction, to have covenanted to provide the Partnership with such other information as the Partnership may reasonably request from time to time in order to verify the accuracy of such Directing Holder's Position Representation within five Business Days of request therefor (a "**Verification Covenant**"). In any case in which the Holder is DTC or its nominee, any Position Representation or information provided pursuant to a Verification Covenant required hereunder shall be provided by the beneficial owners of the Notes in lieu of DTC or its nominee, and DTC shall be entitled to conclusively rely on such Position Representation and Verification Covenant in delivering its direction to the Trustee.

If, following the delivery of a Noteholder Direction, but prior to acceleration of the Notes, the Partnership determines in good faith that there is a reasonable basis to believe a Directing Holder was, at any relevant time, in breach of its Position Representation and provides to the Trustee an Officer's Certificate stating that the Partnership has initiated litigation in a court of competent jurisdiction seeking a determination that such Directing Holder was, at such time, in breach of its Position Representation, and seeking to invalidate any Event of Default that resulted from the applicable Noteholder Direction, the cure period with respect to the Default relating to such Event of Default shall be automatically stayed and the cure period with respect to such Event of Default shall be automatically reinstituted and any remedy stayed pending a final and non-appealable determination of a court of competent jurisdiction on such matter. If, following the delivery of a Noteholder Direction, but prior to acceleration of the Notes, the Partnership provides to the Trustee an Officer's Certificate stating a court of competent jurisdiction has determined that a Directing Holder failed to satisfy its Verification Covenant, the cure period with respect to such Default shall be automatically stayed and the cure period with respect to any Event of Default that resulted from the applicable Noteholder Direction shall be automatically reinstituted and any remedy stayed pending satisfaction of such Verification Covenant. Any breach of the Position Representation shall result in such Holder's participation in such Noteholder Direction being disregarded; and, if, without the participation of such Holder, the percentage of Notes held by the remaining Holders that provided such Noteholder Direction would have been insufficient to validly provide such Noteholder Direction, such Noteholder Direction shall be void ab initio, with the effect that such Event of Default shall be deemed never to have occurred, acceleration voided and the Trustee shall be deemed not to have received such Noteholder Direction or any notice of such Default or Event of Default; *provided, however*, that, notwithstanding the foregoing, any indemnity or security provided by the Directing Holders to the Trustee shall not thereby be invalidated and such obligations shall continue to survive.

Notwithstanding anything in the preceding two paragraphs to the contrary, any Noteholder Direction delivered to the Trustee during the pendency of an Event of Default described in Section 6.01(g) or (h) shall not require compliance with the foregoing paragraphs.

For the avoidance of doubt, the Trustee shall be entitled to conclusively rely on any Noteholder Direction delivered to it, Position Representations, Verification Covenants, Officer's Certificate or other documents delivered to it pursuant to the foregoing paragraphs or in accordance with the Indenture, shall have no duty to inquire as to or investigate the accuracy of any Position Representation, enforce compliance with any Verification Covenant, verify any statements in any Officer's Certificate delivered to it, or otherwise make calculations, investigations or determinations with respect to Derivative Instruments, Net Shorts, Long Derivative Instruments, Short Derivative Instruments or otherwise and shall have no liability for ceasing to take any action or stating any remedy.

The Trustee shall have no liability to the Partnership, any Holder or any other Person in acting in good faith on a Noteholder Direction or to determine whether any Holder has delivered a Position Representation or satisfied any Verification Covenant.

With their acquisition of the Notes, each Holder consents to the delivery of its Position Representation by the Trustee to the Partnership in accordance with the terms of this Section 6.01. Each Holder waives any and all claims, in law and/or in equity, against the Trustee and agrees not to commence any legal proceeding against the Trustee in respect of, and agrees that the Trustee will not be liable for, any action that the Trustee takes in accordance with this Section 6.01, or arising out of or in connection with following instructions.

The Partnership waives any and all claims, in law and/or in equity, against the Trustee, and agrees not to commence any legal proceeding against the Trustee in respect of, and agrees that the Trustee will not be liable for any action that the Trustee takes in accordance with this Section 6.01, or arising out of or in connection with following instructions.

For the avoidance of doubt, the Trustee will treat all holders equally with respect to their rights under this Section 6.01. In connection with the requisite percentages required under this Section 6.01, the Trustee shall also treat all outstanding notes equally irrespective of any Position Representation in determining whether the requisite percentage has been obtained with respect to the initial delivery of the Noteholder Direction.

The Partnership hereby confirms that any and all other actions that the Trustee takes or omits to take under this Section 6.01 and all fees, costs and expenses of the Trustee and its agents and counsel arising hereunder and in connection herewith shall be covered by the Partnership's indemnification under Section 7.07."

- (k) Section 6.02(a) and (b) of the Base Indenture are hereby deleted in their entirety and replaced with the following:

- "(a) An Event of Default for a series of Notes will not necessarily constitute an Event of Default for any other series of Notes issued under this Indenture. Further, an event of default under other Indebtedness of the Partnership or its Subsidiaries will not constitute a Default or an Event of Default for the Notes.
- (b) If an Event of Default (other than an Event of Default described in Section 6.01(g) or Section 6.01(h)) with respect to the Partnership) occurs and is continuing, the Trustee by notice in writing to the Partnership, or the Holders of at least 33 1/3% in principal amount of the outstanding Notes by notice in writing to the Partnership and the Trustee, may, and the Trustee at the request of such Holders shall, declare the principal of and accrued and unpaid interest on all the Notes to be due and payable. Upon such a declaration, such principal and accrued and unpaid interest shall be due and payable immediately."

- (l) Section 6.06(b) of the Base Indenture is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

- "(b) Holders of at least 33 1/3% in principal amount of the outstanding Notes have requested in writing that the Trustee pursue the remedy;"

(m) Section 8.01(a) and (b) of the Base Indenture are hereby deleted in their entirety and replaced with the following:

“(a) This Indenture shall cease to be of further effect with respect to the Notes of a series (except that the Partnership’s obligations under Section 7.07, the Trustee’s and Paying Agent’s obligations under Section 8.03 and the rights, powers, protections and privileges accorded the Trustee under Article VII shall survive), and the Trustee and the Subsidiary Guarantors, on demand of the Partnership, shall execute proper instruments acknowledging the satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture with respect to the Notes of such series, when:

(1) either:

(i) all outstanding Notes of such series theretofore authenticated and issued (other than destroyed, lost or stolen Notes that have been replaced or paid) have been delivered to the Trustee for cancellation; or

(ii) all outstanding Notes of such series not theretofore delivered to the Trustee for cancellation:

(1) have become due and payable; or

(2) will become due and payable at their Stated Maturity within one year; or

(3) are to be called for redemption within one year under arrangements satisfactory to the Trustee for the giving of notice of redemption by the Trustee in the name, and at the expense, of the Partnership;

and, in the case of clause (1), (2) or (3) above, the Partnership or a Subsidiary Guarantor has irrevocably deposited or caused to be deposited with the Trustee as funds (immediately available to the Holders in the case of clause (1)) in trust for such purpose (x) cash in an amount, or (y) Government Obligations, maturing as to principal and interest at such times and in such amounts as will ensure the availability of cash in an amount or (z) a combination thereof, which will be sufficient, without reinvestment, to pay and discharge the entire indebtedness on the Notes of such series for principal and interest to the date of such deposit (in the case of Notes which have become due and payable) or for principal and interest to the Stated Maturity or Redemption Date, as the case may be; or

(iii) the Partnership and the Subsidiary Guarantors have properly fulfilled such other means of satisfaction and discharge as is specified, as contemplated by Section 2.01, to be applicable to the Notes of such series;

(2) the Partnership or a Subsidiary Guarantor has paid or caused to be paid all other sums payable by them hereunder with respect to the Notes of such series; and

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- (3) the Partnership has delivered to the Trustee an Officer's Certificate stating that all conditions precedent to satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture with respect to the Notes of such series have been complied with, together with an Opinion of Counsel to the same effect.
- (b) Unless this Section 8.01(b) is specified as not being applicable to Notes of a series as contemplated by Section 2.01, the Partnership may, at its option, terminate certain of its and the Subsidiary Guarantors' respective obligations under this Indenture ("**covenant defeasance**") with respect to the Notes of a series if:
- (1) the Partnership or a Subsidiary Guarantor has irrevocably deposited or caused to be irrevocably deposited with the Trustee as trust funds in trust for the purpose of making the following payments, specifically pledged as security for and dedicated solely to the benefit of the Holders of Notes of such series, (A) money in the currency in which payment of the Notes of such series is to be made in an amount, or (B) Government Obligations with respect to such series, maturing as to principal and interest at such times and in such amounts as will ensure the availability of money in the currency in which payment of the Notes of such series is to be made in an amount or (C) a combination thereof, that is sufficient, without reinvestment, to pay the principal of and interest on all Notes of such series on each date that such principal or interest is due and payable and (at the Stated Maturity thereof or upon redemption as provided in Section 8.01(e)) to pay all other sums payable by it hereunder; provided that the Trustee shall have been irrevocably instructed to apply such money and/or the proceeds of such Government Obligations to the payment of said principal and interest with respect to the Notes of such series as the same shall become due;
 - (2) the Partnership has delivered to the Trustee an Officer's Certificate stating that all conditions precedent to satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture with respect to the Notes of such series have been complied with, and an Opinion of Counsel to the same effect;
 - (3) no Default or Event of Default with respect to the Notes of such series shall have occurred and be continuing on the date of such deposit;
 - (4) the Partnership shall have delivered to the Trustee an Opinion of Counsel from a nationally recognized counsel acceptable to the Trustee or a tax ruling to the effect that the Holders will not recognize income, gain or loss for U.S. Federal income tax purposes as a result of the Partnership's exercise of its option under this Section 8.01(b) and will be subject to U.S. Federal income tax on the same amount and in the same manner and at the same times as would have been the case if such option had not been exercised;
 - (5) the Partnership and the Subsidiary Guarantors have complied with any additional conditions specified pursuant to Section 2.01 to be applicable to the discharge of Notes of such series pursuant to this Section 8.01; and
 - (6) such deposit and discharge shall not cause the Trustee to have a conflicting interest as defined in TIA Section 310(b).

Upon the Partnership's exercise of the option applicable to this Section 8.01(b), the Partnership and each of the Subsidiary Guarantors will, subject to the satisfaction of the conditions set forth in this Section 8.01(b), be released from each of their obligations under the covenants contained in Sections 4.03, 4.05, 4.08, 4.09, 4.10, 4.11 and 4.12 hereof, and the Notes will thereafter be deemed not "outstanding" for the purposes of any direction, waiver, consent or declaration or act of Holders (and the consequences of any thereof) in connection with such covenants, but will continue to be deemed "outstanding" for all other purposes hereunder (it being understood that such Notes will not be deemed outstanding for accounting purposes). For this purpose, covenant defeasance means that, with respect to the outstanding Notes and Guarantees, the Partnership and the Subsidiary Guarantors may fail to comply with and will have no liability in respect of any term, condition or limitation set forth in any such covenant, whether directly or indirectly, by reason of any reference elsewhere herein to any such covenant or by reason of any reference in any such covenant to any other provision herein or in any other document and such failure to comply will not constitute a Default or an Event of Default under Section 6.01 hereof, but, except as specified above, the remainder of this Indenture and such Notes and Guarantees will be unaffected thereby. In addition, upon the Partnership's exercise of the option applicable to this Section 8.01(b), subject to the satisfaction of the conditions set forth in this Section 8.01(b), any Event of Default pursuant to Sections 6.01(d), 6.01(g) and 6.01(h) will no longer constitute an Event of Default.

After such irrevocable deposit made pursuant to this Section 8.01(b) and satisfaction of the other conditions set forth herein, the Trustee upon request shall acknowledge in writing the discharge of the Partnership's and the Subsidiary Guarantors' obligations under this Indenture with respect to the Notes of such series except for those surviving obligations specified above.

In order to have money available on a payment date to pay principal of or interest on the Notes, the Government Obligations shall be payable as to principal or interest on or before such payment date in such amounts as will provide the necessary money. Government Obligations shall not be callable at the issuer's option."

- (n) The first paragraph of Section 9.01 of the Base Indenture is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"The Partnership and the Trustee may amend or supplement this Indenture or the Notes or waive any provision hereof or thereof without the consent of any Holder:

- (a) to cure any ambiguity, omission, defect or inconsistency;
- (b) to provide for the assumption by a successor of the Obligations of the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor under this Indenture and the Notes;
- (c) to provide for uncertificated Notes in addition to or in place of certificated Notes;
- (d) to establish any Guarantee or to reflect the release of any Subsidiary Guarantor from obligations in respect of its Guarantee, in either case, as provided in this Indenture;
- (e) to secure the Notes or any Guarantee;

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- (f) to comply with the requirements of the SEC in order to effect or maintain the qualification of this Indenture under the TIA;
 - (g) to add to the covenants of the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor for the benefit of the Holders of all or any series of Notes (and if such covenants are to be for the benefit of less than all series of Notes, stating that such covenants are expressly being included solely for the benefit of such series), or to surrender any right or power herein conferred upon the Partnership or any Subsidiary Guarantor;
 - (h) to add any additional Events of Default with respect to all or any series of Notes (and, if any Event of Default is applicable to less than all series of Notes, specifying the series to which such Event of Default is applicable);
 - (i) to make any change that does not adversely affect the rights under this Indenture of any Holder of Notes in any material respect (as determined in good faith by any Officer of the Partnership);
 - (j) to conform the text of this Indenture or the Notes to any provision of the Description of Notes to the extent that such provision of the Description of Notes was intended to be a verbatim recitation of a provision of this Indenture, the Guarantees or the Notes;
 - (k) to provide for the issuance of Additional Notes under this Indenture;
 - (l) [Intentionally Omitted];
 - (m) to provide for a successor Trustee in accordance with the provisions of this Indenture;
 - (n) to supplement any of the provisions of this Indenture to such extent as shall be necessary to permit or facilitate the defeasance and discharge of any series of Notes; *provided*, however, that any such action does not adversely affect the interest of the Holders of Notes of such series or any other series of Notes in any respect; or
 - (o) to establish the form or terms of Notes of any series as permitted by Section 2.01.”
- (o) Section 10.04 of the Base Indenture is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
- “(a) A Subsidiary Guarantor will be unconditionally released from its Guarantee:
- (1) automatically upon any direct or indirect sale, transfer or other disposition, whether by way of merger or otherwise, to any Person that is not a Subsidiary of the Partnership, of (a) all of the Capital Stock of such Subsidiary Guarantor or (b) all or substantially all the assets of such Subsidiary Guarantor, in each case, if such sale, transfer or other disposition, is made in compliance with the applicable provisions of this Indenture;
 - (2) upon the liquidation or dissolution of such Subsidiary Guarantor or the merger of such Subsidiary Guarantor into the Partnership or another Subsidiary Guarantor; *provided* that such merger is made in compliance with the applicable provisions of this Indenture;

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- (3) following delivery by the Partnership to the Trustee of an Officer's Certificate to the effect that such Subsidiary Guarantor has been released from its guarantee of the Partnership's obligations under the Credit Agreement; or
 - (4) upon legal or covenant defeasance or satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture with respect to the Notes as provided in Article VIII.
- (b) [Intentionally Omitted]
- (c) The Trustee shall deliver an appropriate instrument evidencing any release of a Subsidiary Guarantor from the Guarantee upon receipt of a written request of the Partnership accompanied by an Officer's Certificate and an Opinion of Counsel that the Subsidiary Guarantor is entitled to such release in accordance with the provisions of this Indenture. Any Subsidiary Guarantor not so released remains liable for the full amount of principal of and interest on the Notes entitled to the benefits of such Guarantee as provided in this Indenture, subject to the limitations of Section 10.03."
- (p) Section 10.07 of the Base Indenture is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
- "If at any time following the Issue Date, any Subsidiary of the Partnership guarantees any Indebtedness under the Credit Agreement, then within 60 days after such time, the Partnership shall cause such Subsidiary to execute and deliver to the Trustee a Supplemental Indenture for Additional Guarantors pursuant to which such Subsidiary shall become a Subsidiary Guarantor under this Article X and shall guarantee all Obligations of the Partnership with respect to the Notes on the terms provided for in this Indenture."
- (q) Section 12.02 of the Base Indenture is hereby amended by deleting "FacsimileNo.:412-234-8377" from the address of the Trustee.
- (r) Any definitions used exclusively in the provisions of the Base Indenture that are deleted pursuant to this Article II, and any definitions used exclusively within such definitions, are hereby deleted in their entirety from the Base Indenture, and all references in the Base Indenture to any sections or clauses set forth in Section 2.1(a) hereof, any and all obligations thereunder and any Event of Default related solely to such sections, are hereby deleted throughout the Base Indenture.

ARTICLE III GENERAL TERMS OF THE NOTES

Section 3.1 *Form*.

The Notes and the Trustee's certificate of authentication included therein shall be substantially in the form set forth on Exhibit A hereto, which is hereby incorporated into this Tenth Supplemental Indenture. The terms and provisions contained in the Notes shall constitute, and are hereby expressly made, a part of this Tenth Supplemental Indenture and to the extent applicable, the Partnership, the Subsidiary Guarantors and the Trustee, by their execution and delivery of this Tenth Supplemental Indenture, expressly agree to such terms and provisions and to be bound thereby.

The Notes shall be issued upon original issuance in whole in the form of one or more Global Notes. Each Global Note shall represent such of the outstanding Notes as shall be specified therein and shall provide that it shall represent the aggregate amount of outstanding Notes from time to time endorsed thereon and that the aggregate amount of outstanding Notes represented thereby may from time to time be reduced or increased, as appropriate, to reflect exchanges and redemptions.

The Partnership initially appoints The Depository Trust Company to act as Depository with respect to the Global Notes.

Section 3.2 Title, Amount and Payment of Principal and Interest.

- (a) The Notes shall be entitled the “5.550% Senior Notes due 2035.” The Trustee shall authenticate and deliver (i) the Notes for original issue on the date hereof (the “*Initial Notes*”) in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,000,000,000, and (ii) additional Notes (the “*Additional Notes*”) for original issue from time to time after the date hereof in such principal amounts as may be specified in a Partnership Order described in this paragraph, which will be part of the same series as the Initial Notes and which will have the same terms (except for the issue date, issue price and, in some cases, the initial interest accrual date and the first Interest Payment Date), in each case upon a Partnership Order for the authentication and delivery thereof and satisfaction of the other provisions of Section 2.04 of the Base Indenture (as amended by Section 2.1(c) hereof). Such order shall specify the amount of the Notes to be authenticated, the date on which the original issue of Notes is to be authenticated, and the name or names of the initial Holder or Holders. The aggregate principal amount of Notes that may be outstanding at any time may not exceed \$1,000,000,000 plus such additional principal amounts as may be issued and authenticated pursuant to clause (ii) of this paragraph (except as provided in Section 2.09 of the Indenture). The Initial Notes and any Additional Notes issued and authenticated pursuant to clause (ii) of this paragraph shall constitute a single series of notes for all purposes under the Indenture (collectively, the “*Notes*”).
- (b) The principal amount of each Note shall be payable on October 30, 2035. Each Note shall bear interest from the date of original issuance, or the most recent date to which interest has been paid, at the fixed rate of 5.550% per annum. Interest on the Notes shall be payable on April 30 and October 30 of each year, commencing April 30, 2026 (each, an “*Interest Payment Date*”). The regular record date for interest payable on the Notes on any Interest Payment Date shall be April 15 or October 15, as the case may be, preceding such Interest Payment Date.
- (c) Payments of principal of, premium, if any, and interest due on the Notes representing Global Notes on any Interest Payment Date or at maturity will be made available to the Trustee by 10:00 a.m., New York City time, on such date, unless such date falls on a day which is not a Business Day, in which case such payments will be made available to the Trustee by 10:00 a.m., New York City time, on the next Business Day. As soon as possible thereafter, the Trustee will make such payments to the Depository.

Section 3.3 Transfer and Exchange.

The transfer and exchange of Global Notes or beneficial interests therein shall be effected through the Depository, in accordance with Section 2.08 of the Base Indenture and the rules and procedures of the Depository therefor, which shall include restrictions on transfer comparable to those set forth therein and herein to the extent required by the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

ARTICLE IV
MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Section 4.1 Ratification of Base Indenture.

The Base Indenture, as supplemented by this Tenth Supplemental Indenture, is in all respects ratified and confirmed, and this Tenth Supplemental Indenture shall be deemed part of the Base Indenture in the manner and to the extent herein and therein provided.

Section 4.2 Trustee Not Responsible for Recitals.

The recitals contained herein and in the Notes, except with respect to the Trustee's certificate of authentication, shall be taken as the statements of the Partnership, and the Trustee assumes no responsibility for the correctness of the same. The Trustee makes no representations as to the validity, adequacy or sufficiency of this Tenth Supplemental Indenture or of the Notes. The Trustee shall not be accountable for the use or application by the Partnership of the Notes or of the proceeds thereof.

Section 4.3 Table of Contents, Headings, etc.

The table of contents and headings of the Articles and Sections of this Tenth Supplemental Indenture have been inserted for convenience of reference only, are not to be considered a part hereof and shall in no way modify or restrict any of the terms or provisions hereof.

Section 4.4 Counterpart Originals.

This Tenth Supplemental Indenture may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be an original, but such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument. The exchange of copies of this Tenth Supplemental Indenture and of signature pages that are executed by manual signatures that are scanned, photocopied or faxed or by other electronic signing created on an electronic platform (such as DocuSign) or by digital signing (such as Adobe Sign), in each case that is approved by the Trustee, shall constitute effective execution and delivery of this Tenth Supplemental Indenture for all purposes. Signatures of the parties hereto that are executed by manual signatures that are scanned, photocopied or faxed or by other electronic signing created on an electronic platform (such as DocuSign) or by digital signing (such as Adobe Sign), in each case that is approved by the Trustee, shall be deemed to be their original signatures for all purposes of this Tenth Supplemental Indenture as to the parties hereto and may be used in lieu of the original.

Anything in this Tenth Supplemental Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding, for the purposes of the transactions contemplated by this Tenth Supplemental Indenture and any document to be signed in connection with the Indentures or this Tenth Supplemental Indenture (including amendments, waivers, consents and other modifications, Officer's Certificates, Partnership Orders and Opinions of Counsel and other issuance, authentication and delivery documents) or the transactions contemplated hereby may be signed by manual signatures that are scanned, photocopied or faxed or other electronic signatures created on an electronic platform (such as DocuSign) or by digital signature (such as Adobe Sign), in each case that is approved by the Trustee, and contract formations on electronic platforms approved by the Trustee, and the keeping of records in electronic form, are hereby authorized, and each shall be of the same legal effect, validity or enforceability as a manually executed signature in ink or the use of a paper-based recordkeeping system, as the case may be.

Section 4.5 Governing Law.

THIS TENTH SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE AND THE NOTES SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

Upon registration of the Notes in accordance with the Registration Rights Agreement, if any provision of the Supplemental Indenture limits, qualifies, or conflicts with another provision that is required to be included in the Indenture by the TIA, the required provision shall control.

(Signature Pages Follow)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Tenth Supplemental Indenture to be duly executed as of the day and year first above written.

CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.

By its general partner, CHENIERE ENERGY
PARTNERS GP, LLC

By: /s/ Matthew Healey
Name: Matthew Healey
Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

CHENIERE ENERGY INVESTMENTS, LLC

By: /s/ Matthew Healey
Name: Matthew Healey
Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

SABINE PASS LNG-GP, LLC

By: /s/ Matthew Healey
Name: Matthew Healey
Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

SABINE PASS LNG, L.P.

By its general partner, SABINE PASS LNG-GP, LLC

By: /s/ Matthew Healey
Name: Matthew Healey
Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

SABINE PASS TUG SERVICES, LLC

By: /s/ Matthew Healey
Name: Matthew Healey
Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

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CHENIERE PIPELINE GP INTERESTS, LLC

By: /s/ Matthew Healey

Name: Matthew Healey

Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

CHENIERE CREOLE TRAIL PIPELINE, L.P.

By: /s/ Matthew Healey

Name: Matthew Healey

Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Tenth Supplemental Indenture to be duly executed as of the day and year first above written.

THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON, as Trustee

By: /s/ Melissa Matthews

Name: Melissa Matthews

Title: Vice President

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FORM OF NOTE

[FACE OF NOTE]

*[Insert the Global Note Legend, if applicable pursuant to the provisions of the Indenture]**[Insert the Private Placement Legend, if applicable pursuant to the provisions of the Indenture]*

No. _____

\$ _____

CUSIP: [16411Q AV3]¹ [U16353 AJ0]²ISIN: [US16411Q AV32]³ [USU16353 AJ01]⁴

CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.

5.550% Senior Notes due 2035

CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership (the “*Partnership*,” which term includes any successor under the Indenture hereinafter referred to), for value received, hereby promises to pay to Cede & Co.⁵ or its registered assigns, the principal sum of [] U.S. dollars (\$[]), [or such greater or lesser principal sum as is shown on the attached Schedule of Increases and Decreases in Global Note,⁶ on October 30, 2035 in such coin and currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, and to pay interest thereon at an annual rate of 5.550% payable on April 30 and October 30 of each year, to the person in whose name the Note is registered at the close of business on the record date for such interest, which shall be the preceding April 15 and October 15, respectively, payable commencing on April 30, 2026 with interest accruing from July 10, 2025, or the most recent date to which interest shall have been paid.

Reference is made to the further provisions of this Note set forth on the reverse hereof. Such further provisions shall for all purposes have the same effect as though fully set forth at this place.

The statements in the legends set forth in this Note are an integral part of the terms of this Note and by acceptance hereof the Holder of this Note agrees to be subject to, and bound by, the terms and provisions set forth in each such legend.

This Note is issued in respect of a series of Notes of an initial aggregate principal amount of \$1,000,000,000 designated as the 5.550% Senior Notes due 2035 of the Partnership (the “*5.550% Series Notes*”) and is governed by the Indenture, dated as of September 18, 2017 (as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified prior to the date hereof, the “*Base Indenture*”), duly executed and delivered by the Partnership, as issuer, the subsidiary guarantors party thereto and The Bank of New York Mellon, as trustee (the “*Trustee*”), and as amended and supplemented by the Tenth Supplemental Indenture, dated as of July 10, 2025, duly executed by the Partnership, the Subsidiary Guarantors party thereto and the Trustee (the “*Tenth Supplemental Indenture*” and, together with the Base Indenture, the “*Indenture*”). The terms of the Indenture are incorporated herein by reference. This Note shall in all respects be entitled to the same benefits as Definitive Notes under the Indenture.

¹ Include in a Rule 144A Note.

² Include in a Regulation S Note.

³ Include in a Rule 144A Note.

⁴ Include in a Regulation S Note.

⁵ Include in a Global Note.

⁶ Include in a Global Note.

Upon registration of the Notes in accordance with the applicable registration rights agreement, if and to the extent any provision of the Indenture limits, qualifies or conflicts with any other provision of the Indenture that is required to be included in the Indenture or is deemed applicable to the Indenture by virtue of the provisions of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended (the “*TIA*”), such required provision shall control.

This Note shall not be valid or become obligatory for any purpose until the Trustee’s Certificate of Authentication hereon shall have been manually signed by the Trustee under the Indenture.

Exhibit A-2

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this instrument to be duly executed by its sole General Partner.

Dated:

CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.

By its general partner, CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS
GP, LLC

By: _____
Name:
Title:

TRUSTEE'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION:

This is one of the debt securities of the series designated therein referred to in the within-mentioned Indenture.

THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON,
as Trustee

By: _____
Authorized Signatory

Exhibit A-3

This Note is one of a duly authorized series of the 5.550% Series Notes hereinafter specified, all issued or to be issued under and pursuant to the Indenture, to which Indenture reference is hereby made for a description of the rights, limitations of rights, obligations, duties and immunities thereunder of the Trustee, the Partnership and the Holders of the 5.550% Series Notes.

i. *Interest.*

The Partnership promises to pay interest in cash on the principal amount of this Note at the rate of 5.550% per annum until maturity and shall pay the Additional Interest, if any, payable pursuant to Section 6 of the Registration Rights Agreement referred to below.

The Partnership will pay interest and Additional Interest, if any, semi-annually in arrears on April 30 and October 30 of each year, or if such day is not a Business Day, on the next succeeding Business Day (each, an “*Interest Payment Date*”), commencing April 30, 2026. Interest on the 5.550% Series Notes will accrue from the most recent date to which interest has been paid or, if no interest has been paid on the Notes, from July 10, 2025. Interest will be computed on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months. The Partnership shall pay interest (including post-petition interest in any proceeding under any applicable bankruptcy laws) on overdue installments of interest (without regard to any applicable grace period) and on overdue principal and premium, if any, from time to time on demand at the same rate per annum, in each case to the extent lawful.

ii. *Method of Payment.*

The Partnership shall pay interest on the 5.550% Series Notes (except Defaulted Interest) and Additional Interest, if any, to the persons who are the registered Holders at the close of business on April 15 and October 15, as applicable, immediately preceding the Interest Payment Date (each, a “*Record Date*”). Any such interest not so punctually paid or duly provided for (“*Defaulted Interest*”) may be paid to the persons who are registered Holders at the close of business on a special record date for the payment of such Defaulted Interest, or in any other lawful manner not inconsistent with the requirements of any securities exchange on which such 5.550% Series Notes may then be listed if such manner of payment shall be deemed practicable by the Trustee, as more fully provided in the Indenture. The Partnership shall pay principal, premium, if any, and interest and Additional Interest, if any, in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for payment of public and private debts. Payments in respect of a Global Note (including principal, premium, if any, interest and Additional Interest) will be made by wire transfer of immediately available funds to the accounts specified by the Depositary. Payments in respect of 5.550% Series Notes in definitive form (including principal, premium, if any, and interest) will be made at the office or agency of the Partnership maintained for such purpose, which initially will be at the office of the Paying Agent and Registrar, or, at the option of the Partnership, payment of interest or Additional Interest may be made by check mailed to the Holders on the relevant Record Date at their addresses set forth in the register of Holders maintained by the Registrar or at the option of the Holder, payment of interest on 5.550% Series Notes in definitive form will be made by wire transfer of immediately available funds to any account maintained in the United States, provided such Holder has requested such method of payment and provided timely wire transfer instructions to the Paying Agent. The Holder must surrender this Note to a Paying Agent to collect payment of principal.

iii. *Paying Agent and Registrar.*

Initially, The Bank of New York Mellon will act as Paying Agent and Registrar. The Partnership may change any Paying Agent or Registrar at any time upon notice to the Trustee and the Holders. The Partnership may act as Paying Agent.

iv. *Indenture.*

This Note is one of a duly authorized issue of Notes of the Partnership issued and to be issued in one or more series under the Indenture.

Capitalized terms herein are used as defined in the Indenture unless otherwise defined herein. The terms of the 5.550% Series Notes include those stated in the Base Indenture, those made part of the Indenture by reference to the TIA, as in effect on the date of the Base Indenture, and those terms stated in the Tenth Supplemental Indenture. The 5.550% Series Notes are subject to all such terms (including the Guarantees set forth in Article X of the Indenture), and Holders of 5.550% Series Notes are referred to the Base Indenture, the Tenth Supplemental Indenture and the TIA for a statement of them. The 5.550% Series Notes are limited to an initial aggregate principal amount of \$1,000,000,000; *provided, however*, that the authorized aggregate principal amount of such series may be increased from time to time as provided in the Tenth Supplemental Indenture.

v. *Redemption.*

At any time or from time to time prior to April 30, 2035 (the '*Par Call Date*'), the Partnership may, at its option, redeem all or a part of the 5.550% Series Notes, upon not less than 10 nor more than 60 days' prior notice, at a redemption price equal to the Make-Whole Price.

Except pursuant to the preceding paragraph, the 5.550% Series Notes will not be redeemable at the Partnership's option prior to the Par Call Date. The Partnership is not prohibited, however, from acquiring the 5.550% Series Notes in market transactions by means other than a redemption, whether pursuant to a tender offer or otherwise.

On and after the Par Call Date, the Partnership may on any one or more occasions redeem all or a part of the 5.550% Series Notes upon not less than 10 nor more than 60 days' notice, at a redemption price equal to 100% of the principal amount of the Notes redeemed plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any, to (but not including) the applicable redemption date.

Subject to any condition specified, 5.550% Series Notes called for redemption become due on the redemption date. Notices of redemption will be mailed, or delivered electronically if the 5.550% Series Notes are held at DTC, at least 10 but not more than 60 days before the redemption date to each Holder of the 5.550% Series Notes to be redeemed at its registered address. The notice of redemption for the 5.550% Series Notes will state, among other things, the amount of 5.550% Series Notes to be redeemed, the redemption date, the method of calculating the redemption price and each place that payment will be made upon presentation and surrender of 5.550% Series Notes to be redeemed. Unless the Partnership defaults in payment of the redemption price, interest will cease to accrue on any 5.550% Series Notes that have been called for redemption on the redemption date.

If an optional redemption date is on or after a Record Date and on or before the related Interest Payment Date, accrued and unpaid interest on the Notes to be redeemed will be paid to the Person in whose name the Note is registered at the close of business on such Record Date, and no additional interest will be payable to Holders whose Notes are subject to redemption.

In addition, any redemption pursuant to this paragraph 5 may, at the Partnership's discretion, be subject to one or more conditions precedent. If such redemption is subject to the satisfaction of one or more conditions precedent, the related notice shall describe each such condition, and if applicable, shall state that, in the Partnership's discretion, the redemption date may be delayed until such time as any or all such conditions shall be satisfied or waived (including to a date later than 60 days after the date on which such notice was mailed or delivered electronically), or such redemption may not occur and such notice may be rescinded in the event that any or all such conditions shall not have been satisfied or waived by the redemption date, or by the redemption date as so delayed, or such notice may be rescinded at any time in the Partnership's discretion if in the good faith judgment of the Partnership any or all of such conditions will not be satisfied or waived.

For purposes of determining the redemption price, the following definitions are applicable:

“*Make-Whole Price*,” with respect to any Notes to be redeemed, means an amount equal to the greater of:

- (1) 100% of the principal amount of such Notes; and
- (2) (a) the sum of the present values of the remaining scheduled payments of principal and interest thereon discounted to the redemption date (assuming the Notes matured on the Par Call Date) on a semi-annual basis (assuming a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months) at the Treasury Rate plus 20 basis points less (b) interest accrued to the redemption date,

plus, in either case, accrued and unpaid interest thereon to the redemption date.

“*Treasury Rate*” means, with respect to any redemption date, the yield determined by the Partnership in accordance with the following two paragraphs.

The Treasury Rate shall be determined by the Partnership after 4:15 p.m., New York City time (or after such time as yields on U.S. government securities are posted daily by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System), on the third Business Day preceding the redemption date based upon the yield or yields for the most recent day that appear after such time on such day in the most recent statistical release published by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System designated as “Selected Interest Rates (Daily) - H.15” (or any successor designation or publication) (“*H.15*”) under the caption “U.S. government securities—Treasury constant maturities—Nominal” (or any successor caption or heading) (“*H.15 TCM*”). In determining the Treasury Rate, the Partnership shall select, as applicable: (1) the yield for the Treasury constant maturity on H.15 exactly equal to the period from the redemption date to the Par Call Date (the “*Remaining Life*”); (2) if there is no such Treasury constant maturity on H.15 exactly equal to the Remaining Life, the two yields – one yield corresponding to the Treasury constant maturity on H.15 immediately shorter than and one yield corresponding to the Treasury constant maturity on H.15 immediately longer than the Remaining Life – and shall interpolate to the Par Call Date on a straight-line basis (using the actual number of days) using such yields and rounding the result to three decimal places; or (3) if there is no such Treasury constant maturity on H.15 shorter than or longer than the Remaining Life, the yield for the single Treasury constant maturity on H.15 closest to the Remaining Life. For purposes of this paragraph, the applicable Treasury constant maturity or maturities on H.15 shall be deemed to have a maturity date equal to the relevant number of months or years, as applicable, of such Treasury constant maturity from the redemption date.

If on the third Business Day preceding the redemption date, H.15 TCM is no longer published, the Partnership shall calculate the Treasury Rate based on the rate per annum equal to the semi-annual equivalent yield to maturity at 11:00 a.m., New York City time, on the third Business Day preceding such redemption date of the United States Treasury security maturing on, or with a maturity that is closest to, the Par Call Date, as applicable. If there is no United States Treasury security maturing on the Par Call Date but there are two or more United States Treasury securities with a maturity date equally distant from the Par Call Date, one with a maturity date preceding the Par Call Date and one with a maturity date following the Par Call Date, the Partnership shall select the United States Treasury security with a maturity date preceding the Par Call Date. If there are two or more United States Treasury securities maturing on the Par Call Date or two or more United States Treasury securities meeting the criteria of the preceding sentence, the Partnership shall select from among these two or more United States Treasury securities the United

States Treasury security that is trading closest to par based upon the average of the bid and asked prices for such United States Treasury securities at 11:00 a.m., New York City time. In determining the Treasury Rate in accordance with the terms of this paragraph, the semi-annual yield to maturity of the applicable United States Treasury security shall be based upon the average of the bid and asked prices (expressed as a percentage of principal amount) at 11:00 a.m., New York City time, of such United States Treasury security, and rounded to three decimal places.

vi. *Denominations; Transfer; Exchange.*

The 5.550% Series Notes are to be issued in registered form, without coupons, in denominations of \$2,000 and integral multiples of \$1,000 in excess thereof. A Holder may register the transfer of, or exchange, 5.550% Series Notes in accordance with the Indenture. The Registrar may require a Holder, among other things, to furnish appropriate endorsements and transfer documents and to pay any taxes and fees required by law or permitted by the Indenture.

vii. *Person Deemed Owners.*

The registered Holder of a Note may be treated as the owner of it for all purposes.

viii. *Amendment; Supplement; Waiver.*

Subject to certain exceptions, the Indenture may be amended or supplemented, and any existing Event of Default or compliance with any provision may be waived, with the consent of the Holders of a majority in principal amount of the outstanding Debt Securities of each series affected. Without consent of any Holder of a Note, the parties thereto may amend or supplement the Indenture to, among other things, cure any ambiguity or omission, to correct any defect or inconsistency, or to make any other change that does not adversely affect the rights of any Holder of a Note. Any such consent or waiver by the Holder of this Note (unless revoked as provided in the Indenture) shall be conclusive and binding upon such Holder and upon all future Holders and owners of this Note and any 5.550% Series Notes which may be issued in exchange or substitution herefor, irrespective of whether or not any notation thereof is made upon this Note or such other 5.550% Series Notes.

ix. *Additional Rights of Holders of Restricted Global Notes and Restricted Definitive Notes.*

In addition to the rights provided to Holders of Notes under the Indenture, Holders of Restricted Global Notes and Restricted Definitive Notes will have all the rights set forth in the Registration Rights Agreement dated as of July 10, 2025, between the Partnership and the other parties named on the signature pages thereof or, in the case of Additional Notes, Holders of Restricted Global Notes and Restricted Definitive Notes will have the rights set forth in one or more registration rights agreements, if any, among the Partnership, the Subsidiary Guarantors, if any, and the other parties thereto, relating to rights given by the Partnership and the Subsidiary Guarantors, if any, to the purchasers of any Additional Notes (collectively, the “*Registration Rights Agreement*”). By such Holders’ acceptance of Restricted Global Notes or Restricted Definitive Notes, such Holder acknowledges and agrees to the provisions of the Registration Rights Agreement, including without limitation the obligations of the Holders with respect to indemnification of the Partnership and the Subsidiary Guarantors to the extent provided therein.

x. *Defaults and Remedies.*

Certain events of bankruptcy or insolvency are Events of Default that will result in the principal amount of the 5.550% Series Notes, together with premium, if any, and accrued and unpaid interest thereon, becoming due and payable immediately upon the occurrence of such Events of Default. If any other Event of Default with respect to the 5.550% Series Notes occurs and is continuing, then in every such case the Trustee or the Holders of not less than 33 1/3% in aggregate principal amount of the 5.550% Series Notes then outstanding may declare the principal amount of all the 5.550% Series Notes, together with premium,

if any, and accrued and unpaid interest thereon, to be due and payable immediately in the manner and with the effect provided in the Indenture. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, however, if at any time after such a declaration of acceleration has been made, the Holders of a majority in principal amount of the outstanding 5.550% Series Notes, by written notice to the Trustee, may rescind such declaration and annul its consequences if the rescission would not conflict with any judgment or decree of a court already rendered and if all Events of Default with respect to the 5.550% Series Notes, other than the nonpayment of the principal, premium, if any, or interest which has become due solely by such declaration acceleration, shall have been cured or shall have been waived. No such rescission shall affect any subsequent default or shall impair any right consequent thereon. Holders of 5.550% Series Notes may not enforce the Indenture or the 5.550% Series Notes except as provided in the Indenture. The Trustee may require indemnity or security satisfactory to it before it enforces the Indenture or the 5.550% Series Notes. Subject to certain limitations, Holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the 5.550% Series Notes then outstanding may direct the Trustee in its exercise of any trust or power.

xi. Trustee Dealings with Partnership.

The Trustee under the Indenture, in its individual or any other capacity, may make loans to, accept deposits from, and perform services for the Partnership or its Affiliates, and may otherwise deal with the Partnership or its Affiliates as if it were not the Trustee.

xii. Authentication.

This Note shall not be valid until the certificate of authentication on the other side of this Note is authenticated by the manual, "pdf" or other electronically imaged signature of the Trustee.

xiii. Abbreviations and Defined Terms.

Customary abbreviations may be used in the name of a Holder of a Note or an assignee, such as: TEN COM (tenant in common), TEN ENT (tenants by the entireties), JT TEN (joint tenants with right of survivorship and not as tenants in common), CUST (Custodian), and U/G/M/A (Uniform Gifts to Minors Act).

xiv. CUSIP Numbers.

Pursuant to a recommendation promulgated by the Committee on Uniform Security Identification Procedures, the Partnership has caused CUSIP numbers to be printed on the 5.550% Series Notes as a convenience to the Holders of the 5.550% Series Notes. No representation is made as to the accuracy of such number as printed on the 5.550% Series Notes and reliance may be placed only on the other identification numbers printed hereon.

xv. Absolute Obligation.

No reference herein to the Indenture and no provision of this Note or the Indenture shall alter or impair the obligation of the Partnership, which is absolute and unconditional, to pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on this Note in the manner, at the respective times, at the rate and in the coin or currency herein prescribed.

xvi. No Recourse.

No director, officer, employee, limited partner or shareholder, as such, of the Partnership or the General Partner shall have any personal liability in respect of the obligations of the Partnership under the 5.550% Series Notes, the Indenture or any Guarantee by reason of his, her or its status. Each Holder by accepting the 5.550% Series Notes waives and releases all such liability. The waiver and release are part of the consideration for issuance of the 5.550% Series Notes.

xvii. Governing Law.

THIS NOTE SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

Exhibit A-9

ASSIGNMENT FORM

To assign this Note, fill in the form below:

(I) or (we) assign and transfer this Note to: _____
(Insert assignee's legal name)

(Insert assignee's soc. sec. or tax I.D. no.)

(Print or type assignee's name, address and zip code)

and irrevocably appoint _____
to transfer this Note on the books of the Partnership. The agent may substitute another to act for him.

Date: _____

Your Signature: _____
(Sign exactly as your name appears on
the face of this Note)

Exhibit A-10

SCHEDULE OF INCREASES OR DECREASES IN THE GLOBAL NOTE*

The following exchanges of a part of this Global Note for an interest in another Global Note or for a Definitive Note, or exchanges of a part of another Global Note or Definitive Note for an interest in this Global Note, have been made:

<u>Date of Exchange</u>	Amount of decrease in principal amount of this Global Note	Amount of increase in principal amount of this Global Note	Principal amount of this Global Note following such decrease (or increase)	Signature of authorized officer of Trustee or Custodian
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* This schedule should be included only if the Note is issued in global form.

\$1,000,000,000
CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.
5.550% SENIOR NOTES DUE 2035
REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT

July 10, 2025

Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC
RBC Capital Markets, LLC
CIBC World Markets Corp.
HSBC Securities (USA) Inc.
Santander US Capital Markets LLC
Wells Fargo Securities, LLC

As representatives of the Purchasers

c/o Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC
1585 Broadway
New York, New York 10036

c/o RBC Capital Markets, LLC
Brookfield Place
200 Vesey Street, 8th Floor
New York, New York 10281

c/o CIBC World Markets Corp.
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New York, New York 10017

c/o HSBC Securities (USA) Inc.
66 Hudson Boulevard
New York, New York 10001

c/o Santander US Capital Markets LLC
437 Madison Avenue
New York, New York 10022

c/o Wells Fargo Securities, LLC
550 South Tryon Street, 5th Floor
Charlotte, North Carolina 28202

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Cheniere Energy Partners, L.P. a Delaware limited partnership (the “**Issuer**”), proposes to issue and sell to Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, RBC Capital Markets, LLC, CIBC World Markets Corp., HSBC Securities (USA) Inc., Santander US Capital Markets LLC, Wells Fargo Securities, LLC and the initial purchasers named in Schedule A attached hereto (collectively, the “**Purchasers**”), for whom Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, RBC Capital Markets, LLC, CIBC World Markets Corp., HSBC Securities (USA) Inc., Santander US Capital Markets LLC and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC are acting as representatives, upon the terms set forth in a purchase agreement dated June 25, 2025 (the “**Purchase Agreement**”) by and

among the Issuer, Cheniere Energy Investments, LLC (“**Cheniere Energy Investments**”), Sabine Pass LNG-GP, LLC (“**SPLNG GP**”), Sabine Pass LNG, L.P. (“**SPLNG**”), Sabine Pass Tug Services, LLC (“**Sabine Pass Tug Services**”), Cheniere Creole Trail Pipeline, L.P. (“**CTPL**”) and Cheniere Pipeline GP Interests, LLC (“**CTPL GP**”) and the Purchasers, \$1,000,000,000 aggregate principal amount of its 5.550% Senior Notes due 2035 (the “**Initial Securities**”) to be unconditionally guaranteed in accordance with the guarantee terms set forth in the Indenture (as defined below) by each of the Issuer’s subsidiaries that from time to time guarantee the Credit and Guaranty Agreement, dated June 23, 2023, among the Issuer, the subsidiary guarantors party thereto from time to time, the lenders party thereto from time to time and MUFG Bank, Ltd. as administrative agent, as it may be amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, or as it may be refinanced, replaced, refunded or renewed, which as of the date of this registration rights agreement (this “**Agreement**”), includes Cheniere Energy Investments, SPLNG GP, SPLNG, Sabine Pass Tug Services, CTPL and CTPL GP (collectively, the “**Guarantors**” and, together with the Issuer, the “**Company**”), pursuant to such guarantees (the “**Guarantees**”). The Initial Securities will be issued pursuant to an indenture, dated as of September 18, 2017 (the “**Base Indenture**”), among the Issuer, the Guarantors, Sabine PassLNG-LP, LLC and The Bank of New York Mellon, as trustee (the “**Trustee**”), as supplemented by the tenth supplemental indenture that will be dated as of July 10, 2025 (the “**Tenth Supplemental Indenture**” and, together with the Base Indenture, the “**Indenture**”) by and among the Issuer, the Guarantors and the Trustee. As an inducement to the Purchasers’ entry into the Purchase Agreement, the Company agrees with the Purchasers, for the benefit of the holders of the Initial Securities (including, without limitation, the Purchasers, whether or not they continue to hold the Initial Securities), the Exchange Securities (as defined below) and the Private Exchange Securities (as defined below) (collectively the “**Holders**”), as follows:

1. *Registered Exchange Offer.* The Company shall, at its own cost, prepare and use commercially reasonable efforts to file with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the “**Commission**”) a registration statement (the “**Exchange Offer Registration Statement**”) on an appropriate form under the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “**Securities Act**”), with respect to a proposed offer (the “**Registered Exchange Offer**”) to the Holders of Transfer Restricted Securities (as defined in Section 6 hereof), who are not prohibited by any law or policy of the Commission from participating in the Registered Exchange Offer, to issue and deliver to such Holders, in exchange for the Initial Securities, a like aggregate principal amount of debt securities (the “**Exchange Securities**”) of the Company issued under the Indenture and identical in all material respects to the Initial Securities (except for the transfer restrictions relating to the Initial Securities and the provisions relating to the matters described in Section 6 hereof) that would be registered under the Securities Act. The Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to cause such Exchange Offer Registration Statement to become effective under the Securities Act within 360 days (or if the 360th day is not a Business Day, the first Business Day thereafter) after the date of original issuance of the Initial Securities (the “**Issue Date**”) and shall keep the Exchange Offer Registration Statement effective for not less than 20 Business Days (or longer, if required by applicable law) after the date notice of the Registered Exchange Offer is mailed or electronically delivered to the Holders. As used in this Agreement, “**Business Day**” has the meaning given to such term in Rule 14d-1(g)(3) under the U.S. Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “**Exchange Act**”).

If the Company effects the Registered Exchange Offer, the Company will be entitled to close the Registered Exchange Offer 20 Business Days after the commencement thereof provided that the Company has accepted all the Initial Securities theretofore validly tendered in accordance with the terms of the Registered Exchange Offer.

Following the declaration of the effectiveness of the Exchange Offer Registration Statement, the Company shall promptly commence the Registered Exchange Offer, it being the objective of such Registered Exchange Offer to enable each Holder of Transfer Restricted Securities (as defined in Section 6 hereof) electing to exchange the Initial Securities for Exchange Securities (assuming that such Holder is not an affiliate of the Company within the meaning of the Securities Act, acquires the Exchange Securities in the ordinary course of such Holder’s business and has no arrangements with any person to participate in the distribution of the Exchange Securities and is not prohibited by any law or policy of the Commission from participating in the Registered Exchange Offer) to trade such Exchange Securities from and after their receipt without any limitations or restrictions under the Securities Act and without material restrictions under the securities laws of the several states of the United States. The Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to complete the Registered Exchange Offer on or before the 60th day after the Exchange Offer Registration Statement becomes effective under the Securities Act.

The Company acknowledges that, pursuant to current interpretations by the Commission's staff of Section 5 of the Securities Act, in the absence of an applicable exemption therefrom, (i) each Holder that is a broker-dealer electing to exchange Initial Securities, acquired for its own account as a result of market-making activities or other trading activities, for Exchange Securities (an "**Exchanging Dealer**"), is required to deliver a prospectus containing the information set forth in (a) Annex A hereto on the cover, (b) Annex B hereto in the "Exchange Offer Procedures" section and the "Purpose of the Exchange Offer" section, and (c) Annex C hereto in the "Plan of Distribution" section of such prospectus in connection with a sale of any such Exchange Securities received by such Exchanging Dealer pursuant to the Registered Exchange Offer and (ii) a Purchaser that elects to sell Exchange Securities acquired in exchange for Initial Securities constituting any portion of an unsold allotment is required to deliver a prospectus containing the information required by Item 507 or 508 of Regulation S-K under the Securities Act, as applicable, in connection with such sale.

The Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to keep the Exchange Offer Registration Statement effective and to amend and supplement the prospectus contained therein, in order to permit such prospectus to be lawfully delivered by all persons subject to the prospectus delivery requirements of the Securities Act for such period of time as such persons must comply with such requirements in order to resell the Exchange Securities; *provided, however*, that (i) in the case where such prospectus and any amendment or supplement thereto must be delivered by an Exchanging Dealer or a Purchaser, such period shall be the lesser of 180 days and the date on which all Exchanging Dealers and the Purchasers have sold all Exchange Securities held by them (unless such period is extended pursuant to Section 3(j) below) and (ii) the Company shall make such prospectus and any amendment or supplement thereto available to any broker-dealer for use in connection with any resale of any Exchange Securities for a period of not less than 90 days after the consummation of the Registered Exchange Offer.

If, upon consummation of the Registered Exchange Offer, any Purchaser holds Initial Securities acquired by it as part of its initial distribution, the Company, simultaneously with the delivery of the Exchange Securities pursuant to the Registered Exchange Offer, shall issue and deliver to such Purchaser upon the written request of such Purchaser, in exchange (the "**Private Exchange**") for the Initial Securities held by such Purchaser, a like principal amount of debt securities of the Company issued under the Indenture and identical in all material respects (including the existence of restrictions on transfer under the Securities Act and the securities laws of the several states of the United States, but excluding provisions relating to the matters described in Section 6 hereof) to the Initial Securities (the "**Private Exchange Securities**"). The Initial Securities, the Exchange Securities and the Private Exchange Securities are herein collectively called the "**Securities**".

In connection with the Registered Exchange Offer, the Company shall:

- (a) mail or electronically deliver to each Holder a copy of the prospectus forming part of the Exchange Offer Registration Statement, together with an appropriate letter of transmittal and related documents;
- (b) keep the Registered Exchange Offer open for not less than 20 Business Days (or longer, if required by applicable law) after the date notice thereof is mailed or electronically delivered to the Holders;
- (c) utilize the services of a depository for the Registered Exchange Offer with an address in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, which may be the Trustee or an affiliate of the Trustee;
- (d) permit Holders to withdraw tendered Securities at any time prior to the close of business, or 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on the last Business Day on which the Registered Exchange Offer shall remain open; and

(e) otherwise comply with all applicable laws.

As soon as practicable after the close of the Registered Exchange Offer or the Private Exchange, as the case may be, the Company shall:

(x) accept for exchange all the Initial Securities validly tendered and not withdrawn pursuant to the Registered Exchange Offer and the Private Exchange;

(y) deliver to the Trustee for cancellation all the Initial Securities so accepted for exchange; and

(z) cause the Trustee to authenticate and deliver promptly to each Holder of the Initial Securities, Exchange Securities or Private Exchange Securities, as the case may be, equal in principal amount to the Initial Securities of such Holder so accepted for exchange.

The Indenture will provide that the Exchange Securities will not be subject to the transfer restrictions set forth in the Indenture and that all the Securities will vote and consent together on all matters as one class and that none of the Securities will have the right to vote or consent as a class separate from one another on any matter.

Interest on each Exchange Security and Private Exchange Security issued pursuant to the Registered Exchange Offer and in the Private Exchange will accrue from the last interest payment date on which interest was paid on the Initial Securities surrendered in exchange therefor or, if no interest has been paid on the Initial Securities, from the Issue Date.

Each Holder participating in the Registered Exchange Offer shall be required to represent to the Company that at the time of the consummation of the Registered Exchange Offer (i) any Exchange Securities received by such Holder will be acquired in the ordinary course of business, (ii) such Holder will have no arrangements or understanding with any person to participate in the distribution of the Securities or the Exchange Securities within the meaning of the Securities Act, (iii) such Holder is not an "affiliate," as defined in Rule 405 under the Securities Act, of the Company or if it is an affiliate, such Holder will comply with the registration and prospectus delivery requirements of the Securities Act to the extent applicable, (iv) if such Holder is not a broker-dealer, that it is not engaged in, and does not intend to engage in, the distribution of the Exchange Securities and (v) if such Holder is a broker-dealer, that it will receive Exchange Securities for its own account in exchange for Initial Securities that were acquired as a result of market-making activities or other trading activities and that it will be required to acknowledge that it will deliver a prospectus in connection with any resale of such Exchange Securities.

Notwithstanding any other provisions hereof, the Company will ensure that (i) any Exchange Offer Registration Statement and any amendment thereto and any prospectus forming part thereof and any supplement thereto complies in all material respects with the Securities Act and the rules and regulations thereunder, (ii) any Exchange Offer Registration Statement and any amendment thereto does not, when it becomes effective, contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading and (iii) any prospectus forming part of any Exchange Offer Registration Statement, and any supplement to such prospectus, does not include an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

2. *Shelf Registration.* If (i) the Company determines that it is not permitted to effect a Registered Exchange Offer, as contemplated by Section 1 hereof, under applicable law or applicable interpretations thereof by the staff of the Commission, (ii) the Registered Exchange Offer is not consummated on or prior to the 360th day after the Issue Date, or (iii) any Purchaser notifies the Issuer in writing following the consummation of the Registered Exchange Offer that such Purchaser holds Transfer Restricted Securities that are not eligible to be exchanged for Exchange Securities in the Registered Exchange Offer, the Company shall take the following actions:

(a) The Company shall, at its cost, prepare and file with the Commission and thereafter use commercially reasonable efforts to cause to be declared effective (unless it becomes effective automatically upon filing) a registration statement (the “**Shelf Registration Statement**” and, together with the Exchange Offer Registration Statement, a “**Registration Statement**”) on an appropriate form under the Securities Act relating to the offer and sale of the Transfer Restricted Securities (as defined in Section 6 hereof) by the Holders thereof from time to time in accordance with the methods of distribution set forth in the Shelf Registration Statement and Rule 415 under the Securities Act (hereinafter, the “**Shelf Registration**”); *provided, however*, that no Holder (other than a Purchaser) shall be entitled to have the Securities held by it covered by such Shelf Registration Statement unless such Holder agrees in writing to be bound by all the provisions of this Agreement applicable to such Holder.

(b) The Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to keep the Shelf Registration Statement continuously effective in order to permit the prospectus included therein to be lawfully delivered by the Holders of the relevant Securities for a period of one year (or for such longer period if extended pursuant to Section 3(j) below) from the Issue Date or such shorter period that will terminate when all the Securities covered by the Shelf Registration Statement (i) have been sold pursuant thereto or (ii) may be freely sold without volume restrictions by non-affiliates pursuant to Rule 144 under the Securities Act, or any successor rule thereof, or otherwise transferred in a manner that results in (A) the Securities not being subject to transfer restrictions under the Securities Act and (B) the absence of a need for a restrictive legend regarding registration and the Securities Act (assuming for the purpose that the Holders thereof are not affiliates of the Company) (such period being called the “**Shelf Registration Period**”).

(c) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Agreement to the contrary, the Company shall cause the Shelf Registration Statement and the related prospectus and any amendment or supplement thereto, as of its respective effective date, (i) to comply in all material respects with the applicable requirements of the Securities Act and the rules and regulations of the Commission and (ii) not to contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements therein (in the case of the prospectus in light of the circumstances under which they were made), not misleading.

3. *Registration Procedures.* In connection with any Shelf Registration contemplated by Section 2 hereof and, to the extent applicable, any Registered Exchange Offer contemplated by Section 1 hereof, the following provisions shall apply:

(a) The Company shall (i) furnish to each Purchaser, prior to the filing thereof with the Commission, a copy of the Registration Statement and each amendment thereof and each supplement, if any, to the prospectus included therein and, in the event that a Purchaser (with respect to any portion of an unsold allotment from the original offering) is participating in the Registered Exchange Offer or the Shelf Registration, the Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to reflect in each such document, when so filed with the Commission, such comments as such Purchaser reasonably may propose, *provided* that such comments are received by the Issuer within ten Business Days after the receipt by such Purchaser of such document; (ii) include the information set forth in Annex A hereto on the cover, in Annex B hereto in the “Exchange Offer Procedures” section and the “Purpose of the Exchange Offer” section and in Annex C hereto in the “Plan of Distribution” section of the prospectus forming a part of the Exchange Offer Registration Statement and include the information set forth in Annex D hereto in the letter of transmittal delivered pursuant to the Registered Exchange Offer; (iii) if requested by a Purchaser, include the information required by Item 507 or 508 of Regulation S-K under the Securities Act, as applicable, in the prospectus forming a part of the Exchange Offer Registration Statement; (iv) include within the prospectus contained in the Exchange Offer Registration Statement a section entitled “Plan of Distribution,” reasonably acceptable to the Purchasers, which shall contain a summary statement of the positions taken or policies made by the staff of the Commission with respect to the potential “underwriter” status of any broker-dealer that is the beneficial owner (as defined in Rule 13d-3 under the Exchange Act) of Exchange Securities

received by such broker-dealer in the Registered Exchange Offer (a “**Participating Broker-Dealer**”), whether such positions or policies have been publicly disseminated by the staff of the Commission or such positions or policies, in the reasonable judgment of the Purchasers based upon advice of counsel (which may be in-house counsel), represent the prevailing views of the staff of the Commission; and (v) in the case of a Shelf Registration Statement, include in the prospectus included in the Shelf Registration Statement (or, if permitted by Rule 430B(b) under the Securities Act, in a prospectus supplement that becomes a part thereof pursuant to Rule 430B(f) under the Securities Act) that is delivered to any Holder pursuant to Sections 3(d) and (f) hereof, the names of the Holders who propose to sell Securities pursuant to the Shelf Registration Statement, as selling securityholders.

(b) The Company shall give written notice to the Purchasers, the Holders of the Securities and any Participating Broker-Dealer from whom the Issuer has received prior written notice that it will be a Participating Broker-Dealer in the Registered Exchange Offer (which notice pursuant to clauses (ii)-(v) hereof shall be accompanied by an instruction to suspend the use of the prospectus until the requisite changes have been made):

(i) when the Registration Statement or any amendment thereto has been filed with the Commission and when the Registration Statement or any post-effective amendment thereto has become effective;

(ii) of any request by the Commission for amendments or supplements to the Registration Statement or the prospectus included therein or for additional information;

(iii) of the issuance by the Commission of any stop order suspending the effectiveness of the Registration Statement or the initiation of any proceedings for that purpose, of the issuance by the Commission of a notification of objection to the use of the form on which the Registration Statement has been filed, and of the happening of any event that causes the Company to become an “ineligible issuer,” as defined in Rule 405 under the Securities Act;

(iv) of the receipt by the Company or its legal counsel of any notification with respect to the suspension of the qualification of the Securities for sale in any jurisdiction or the initiation or threatening of any proceeding for such purpose; and

(v) except to the extent otherwise incorporated therein by reference, of the happening of any event that requires the Company to make changes in the Registration Statement or the prospectus in order that the Registration Statement or the prospectus do not contain an untrue statement of a material fact nor omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein (in the case of the prospectus, in light of the circumstances under which they were made) not misleading.

(c) The Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain the withdrawal at the earliest possible time of any order suspending the effectiveness of the Registration Statement.

(d) To the extent not available on the Commission’s web site at www.sec.gov, the Company shall furnish to each Holder of Securities named in the Shelf Registration, without charge, at least one copy of the Shelf Registration Statement and any post-effective amendment or supplement thereto, including financial statements and schedules, and, if the Holder so requests in writing, all exhibits thereto (including those, if any, incorporated by reference). The Company shall not, without the prior consent of the Purchasers, make any offer relating to the Securities that would constitute a “free writing prospectus,” as defined in Rule 405 under the Securities Act.

(e) To the extent not available on the Commission's web site at www.sec.gov, the Company shall deliver to each Exchanging Dealer and each Purchaser, and to any other Holder who so requests in writing, without charge, at least one copy of the Exchange Offer Registration Statement and any post-effective amendment thereto, including financial statements and schedules, and, if any Purchaser or any such Holder requests in writing, all exhibits thereto (including those incorporated by reference).

(f) The Company shall, during the Shelf Registration Period, deliver to each Holder of the Securities included within the coverage of the Shelf Registration, without charge, as many copies of the prospectus (including each preliminary prospectus) included in the Shelf Registration Statement and any amendment or supplement thereto as such person may reasonably request in writing. The Company consents, subject to the provisions of this Agreement, to the use of the prospectus or any amendment or supplement thereto by each of the selling Holders of the Securities in connection with the offering and sale of the Securities covered by the prospectus, or any amendment or supplement thereto, included in the Shelf Registration Statement.

(g) The Company shall deliver to each Purchaser, any Exchanging Dealer, any Participating Broker-Dealer and such other persons required to deliver a prospectus following the Registered Exchange Offer, without charge, as many copies of the final prospectus included in the Exchange Offer Registration Statement and any amendment or supplement thereto as such persons may reasonably request in writing. The Company consents, subject to the provisions of this Agreement, to the use of the prospectus or any amendment or supplement thereto by any Purchaser, if necessary, any Exchanging Dealer, any Participating Broker-Dealer and such other persons required to deliver a prospectus following the Registered Exchange Offer in connection with the offering and sale of the Exchange Securities covered by the prospectus, or any amendment or supplement thereto, included in such Exchange Offer Registration Statement.

(h) Prior to any public offering of the Securities pursuant to any Registration Statement, the Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to register or qualify or cooperate with the Holders of the Securities included therein and their respective counsel in connection with the registration or qualification of the Securities for offer and sale under the securities or "blue sky" laws of such states of the United States as any Holder of the Securities reasonably requests in writing and do any and all other acts or things reasonably necessary or advisable to enable the offer and sale in such jurisdictions of the Securities covered by such Registration Statement; *provided, however*, that the Company shall not be required to (i) qualify generally to do business in any jurisdiction where it is not then so qualified or (ii) take any action which would subject it to general service of process or to taxation in any jurisdiction where it is not then so subject.

(i) The Company shall cooperate with the Holders of the Securities to facilitate the timely preparation and delivery of certificates representing the Securities to be sold pursuant to any Registration Statement free of any restrictive legends and in such denominations and registered in such names as the Holders may request a reasonable period of time prior to sales of the Securities pursuant to such Registration Statement.

(j) Upon the occurrence of any event contemplated by paragraphs (ii) through (v) of Section 3(b) above during the period for which the Company is required to maintain an effective Registration Statement, the Company shall promptly prepare and file a post-effective amendment to the Registration Statement or a supplement to the related prospectus and any other required document so that, as thereafter delivered to Holders of the Securities or purchasers of Securities, the prospectus will not contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. If the Company notifies the Purchasers, the Holders of the Securities and any known Participating Broker-Dealer in accordance with paragraphs (ii) through (v) of Section 3(b) above to suspend the use of the prospectus until the requisite changes to the prospectus have been made, then the Purchasers, the Holders of the Securities and any such Participating Broker-Dealers shall suspend use of such

prospectus, and the period of effectiveness of the Shelf Registration Statement provided for in Section 2(b) above and the Exchange Offer Registration Statement provided for in Section 1 above shall each be extended by the number of days from and including the date of the giving of such notice to and including the date when the Purchasers, the Holders of the Securities and any known Participating Broker-Dealer shall have received such amended or supplemented prospectus pursuant to this Section 3(j). During the period during which the Company is required to maintain an effective Shelf Registration Statement pursuant to this Agreement, the Company will prior to the three-year expiration of that Shelf Registration Statement file, and use commercially reasonable efforts to cause to be declared effective (unless it becomes effective automatically upon filing) within a period that avoids any interruption in the ability of Holders of the Securities covered by the expiring Shelf Registration Statement to make registered dispositions, a new registration statement relating to the Securities, which shall be deemed the "Shelf Registration Statement" for purposes of this Agreement.

(k) Not later than the effective date of the applicable Registration Statement, the Company will provide a CUSIP number for the Initial Securities, the Exchange Securities or the Private Exchange Securities, as the case may be, and provide the applicable trustee with printed certificates for the Initial Securities, the Exchange Securities or the Private Exchange Securities, as the case may be, in a form eligible for deposit with The Depository Trust Company.

(l) The Company will comply with all rules and regulations of the Commission to the extent and so long as they are applicable to the Registered Exchange Offer or the Shelf Registration and will make generally available to its securityholders (or otherwise provide in accordance with Section 11(a) of the Securities Act) an earning statement satisfying the provisions of Section 11(a) of the Securities Act, no later than 45 days after the end of a 12-month period (or 90 days, if such period is a fiscal year) beginning with the first month of the Issuer's first fiscal quarter commencing after the effective date of the Registration Statement, which statement shall cover such 12-month period.

(m) The Company shall cause the Indenture to be qualified under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended (the "**Trust Indenture Act**"), in a timely manner and containing such changes, if any, as shall be necessary for such qualification. In the event that such qualification would require the appointment of a new trustee under the Indenture, the Company shall appoint a new trustee thereunder pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Indenture.

(n) The Company may require each Holder of the Securities to be sold pursuant to the Shelf Registration Statement to furnish to the Company such information regarding the Holder and the distribution of the Securities as the Company may from time to time reasonably require for inclusion in the Shelf Registration Statement, and the Company may exclude from such registration the Securities of any Holder that unreasonably fails to furnish such information within a reasonable time after receiving such request.

(o) The Company shall enter into such customary agreements (including, if requested, an underwriting agreement in customary form) and take all such other action, if any, as any Holder of the Securities shall reasonably request in order to facilitate the disposition of the Securities pursuant to any Shelf Registration.

(p) In the case of any Shelf Registration, the Company shall (i) make reasonably available for inspection by the Holders of the Securities, any underwriter participating in any disposition pursuant to the Shelf Registration Statement and any attorney, accountant or other agent retained by the Holders of the Securities or any such underwriter all relevant financial and other records, pertinent corporate documents and properties of the Company and (ii) cause the Company's officers, directors, employees, accountants and auditors to supply all relevant information reasonably requested by the Holders of the Securities or any such underwriter, attorney, accountant or agent in connection with the Shelf Registration Statement, in each case, as shall be reasonably necessary to enable such persons, to conduct a reasonable investigation within the meaning of Section 11 of the Securities Act; *provided, however*, that the foregoing inspection

and information gathering shall be coordinated by the Purchasers and on behalf of the other parties, by one counsel designated by and on behalf of such other parties as described in Section 4 hereof; *provided, further*, that, if the Company designates in writing any such information, reasonably and in good faith, as confidential, at the time of delivery of such information, each such person will be required to agree or acknowledge that information obtained by it as a result of such inspections shall be deemed confidential and shall not be used by it as the basis for any market transactions in the securities of the Company or otherwise unless and until such is made generally available to the public through no fault or action of such person.

(q) In the case of any Shelf Registration, the Company, if requested by any Holder of the Securities covered thereby, shall cause (i) its counsel to deliver an opinion and updates thereof relating to the Securities substantially in the form provided pursuant to Section 7(d) of the Purchase Agreement with such changes as are customary in connection with the preparation of a Registration Statement addressed to such Holders and the managing underwriters, if any, thereof and dated, in the case of the initial opinion, the effective date of such Shelf Registration Statement, (ii) its officers to execute and deliver all customary documents and certificates and updates thereof requested by any underwriters of the applicable Securities, dated the date of the closing of such offering of such Securities, and (iii) its independent public accountants to provide to the selling Holders of the applicable Securities and any underwriter thereof a comfort letter dated the date of the closing of such offering of such Securities, in customary form and covering matters of the type customarily covered in comfort letters in connection with primary underwritten offerings, subject to receipt of appropriate documentation as contemplated, and only if permitted, by Auditing Standards No. 6101.

(r) If a Registered Exchange Offer or a Private Exchange is to be consummated, upon delivery of the Initial Securities by Holders to the Issuer (or to such other person as directed by the Issuer) in exchange for the Exchange Securities or the Private Exchange Securities, as the case may be, the Company shall mark, or caused to be marked, on the Initial Securities so exchanged that such Initial Securities are being canceled in exchange for the Exchange Securities or the Private Exchange Securities, as the case may be, and in no event shall the Initial Securities be marked as paid or otherwise satisfied.

(s) The Company will use commercially reasonable efforts to confirm that the rating of the Initial Securities obtained prior to the initial sale of such Initial Securities will also apply to the Securities covered by a Registration Statement.

(t) In the event that any broker-dealer registered under the Exchange Act shall underwrite any Securities or participate as a member of an underwriting syndicate or selling group or “assist in the distribution” (within the meaning of the Rules (the “**Rules**”) of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc.) thereof, whether as a Holder of such Securities or as an underwriter, a placement or sales agent or a broker or dealer in respect thereof, or otherwise, the Company will assist such broker-dealer in complying with the requirements of such Rules, including, without limitation, by (i) if such Rules, including Rule 5121, shall so require, engaging a “qualified independent underwriter” (as defined in Rule 5121) to participate in the preparation of the Registration Statement relating to such Securities, to exercise usual standards of due diligence in respect thereto and, if any portion of the offering contemplated by such Registration Statement is an underwritten offering or is made through a placement or sales agent, to recommend the yield of such Securities, (ii) indemnifying any such qualified independent underwriter to the extent of the indemnification of underwriters provided in Section 5 hereof and (iii) providing such information to such broker-dealer as may be required in order for such broker-dealer to comply with the requirements of the Rules.

(u) So long as any Transfer Restricted Securities remain outstanding, the Issuer shall cause each future domestic subsidiary of the Issuer that executes a Guarantee of the Securities upon its execution of such Guarantee to execute a counterpart to this Agreement in the form attached hereto as Annex E and to deliver such counterpart, together with an opinion of counsel as to the enforceability thereof against such entity, to the Purchasers no later than five Business Days following the execution thereof.

(v) The Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to take all other steps necessary to effect the registration of the Securities covered by a Registration Statement contemplated hereby.

4. *Registration Expenses.* The Company shall bear all fees and expenses incurred in connection with the performance of its obligations under Sections 1 through 3 hereof (including the reasonable fees and expenses, if any, of Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP, counsel for the Purchasers, incurred in connection with the Registered Exchange Offer), whether or not the Registered Exchange Offer or a Shelf Registration is filed or becomes effective, and, in the event of a Shelf Registration, shall bear or reimburse the Holders of the Securities covered thereby for the reasonable fees and disbursements of one firm of counsel designated by the Holders of a majority in principal amount of the Initial Securities covered thereby to act as counsel for the Holders of the Initial Securities in connection therewith.

5. *Indemnification and Contribution.*

(a) Each of the Issuer and the Guarantors, jointly and severally, agrees to indemnify and hold harmless each Holder of the Securities, any Participating Broker-Dealer, any of their partners, members, directors, officers, employees, agents, affiliates and each person, if any, who controls such Holder or such Participating Broker-Dealer within the meaning of Section 15 of the Securities Act or Section 20 of the Exchange Act (each, an “**Indemnified Party**”), against any and all losses, claims, damages or liabilities, joint or several, or any actions in respect thereof (including, but not limited to, any losses, claims, damages, liabilities or actions relating to purchases and sales of the Securities) to which such Indemnified Party may become subject, under the Securities Act, the Exchange Act or otherwise, insofar as such losses, claims, damages or liabilities (or actions in respect thereof) arise out of, or are based upon, any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of any material fact contained in a Registration Statement or prospectus or in any amendment or supplement thereto or in any preliminary prospectus or “issuer free writing prospectus,” as defined in Rule 433 under the Securities Act (“**Issuer FWP**”), relating to a Shelf Registration, or arise out of, or are based upon, the omission or alleged omission of a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements therein not misleading, and will reimburse each Indemnified Party for any legal or other expenses reasonably incurred by such Indemnified Party in connection with investigating, preparing or defending against any such loss, claim, damage, liability or action as such expenses are incurred; *provided, however*, that (i) the Issuer and the Guarantors will not be liable in any such case to the extent that any such loss, claim, damage or liability arises out of, or is based upon, an untrue statement or alleged untrue statement in or omission or alleged omission made in a Registration Statement or prospectus or in any amendment or supplement thereto or in any preliminary prospectus or Issuer FWP relating to a Shelf Registration in reliance upon and in conformity with written information pertaining to such Holder and furnished to the Issuer by or on behalf of such Holder specifically for inclusion therein and (ii) with respect to any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement or any omission or alleged omission made in any preliminary prospectus relating to a Shelf Registration Statement, the indemnity agreement contained in this subsection (a) shall not inure to the benefit of any Holder or Participating Broker-Dealer from whom the person asserting any such losses, claims, damages or liabilities purchased the Securities concerned, to the extent that a prospectus relating to such Securities was required to be delivered (including through satisfaction of the conditions of Rule 172 under the Securities Act) by such Holder or Participating Broker-Dealer under the Securities Act in connection with such purchase and any such loss, claim, damage or liability of such Holder or Participating Broker-Dealer results from the fact that there was not sent or given to such person, at or prior to the time of sale of such Securities to such person, an amended or supplemented prospectus, or if permitted by Section 3(d) hereof, an Issuer FWP correcting such untrue statement or alleged untrue statement, or omission or alleged omission if the Issuer or the Guarantors had previously furnished copies thereof to such Holder or Participating Broker-Dealer; *provided further, however*, that this indemnity agreement will be in

addition to any liability which the Issuer and the Guarantors may otherwise have to such Indemnified Party. The Issuer and each of the Guarantors shall also indemnify underwriters, their officers and directors and each person who controls such underwriters within the meaning of the Securities Act or the Exchange Act to the same extent as provided above with respect to the indemnification of the Holders of the Securities if requested by such Holders.

(b) Each Holder of the Securities, severally and not jointly, will indemnify and hold harmless each of the Issuer, each Guarantor and each of their respective partners, members, managers, officers and directors and each person, if any, who controls the Issuer or any Guarantor within the meaning of Section 15 of the Securities Act or Section 20 of the Exchange Act (each, a **"Holder Indemnified Party"**), against any losses, claims, damages or liabilities or any actions in respect thereof, to which such Holder Indemnified Party may become subject, under the Securities Act, the Exchange Act, or otherwise, insofar as such losses, claims, damages or liabilities (or actions in respect thereof) arise out of, or are based upon, any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of any material fact contained in a Registration Statement or prospectus or in any amendment or supplement thereto or in any preliminary prospectus or Issuer FWP relating to a Shelf Registration, or arise out of, or are based upon, the omission or the alleged omission of a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements therein not misleading, in each case to the extent, but only to the extent, that such untrue statement or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission was made in reliance upon and in conformity with written information pertaining to such Holder and furnished to the Issuer or any Guarantor or their respective officers or directors by or on behalf of such Holder specifically for inclusion therein; and, subject to the limitation set forth in the immediately preceding clause, will reimburse any legal or other expenses reasonably incurred by such Holder Indemnified Party in connection with investigating, preparing or defending against any such loss, claim, damage, liability or action in respect thereof, as such expenses are incurred. This indemnity agreement will be in addition to any liability which such Holder may otherwise have to the Issuer, each Guarantor, their respective officers and directors or any of their respective controlling persons.

(c) Promptly after receipt by an indemnified party under this Section 5 of notice of the commencement of any action or proceeding (including a governmental investigation), such indemnified party will, if a claim in respect thereof is to be made against the indemnifying party under subsection (a) or (b) above, notify the indemnifying party of the commencement thereof; but the failure to notify the indemnifying party shall not relieve the indemnifying party from any liability that it may have under subsection (a) or (b) above except to the extent that it has been materially prejudiced (through the forfeiture of substantive rights or defenses) by such failure; and *provided further* that the failure to notify the indemnifying party shall not relieve it from any liability that it may have to an indemnified party otherwise than under subsection (a) or (b) above. In case any such action is brought against any indemnified party, and it notifies the indemnifying party of the commencement thereof, the indemnifying party will be entitled to participate therein and, to the extent that it may wish, jointly with any other indemnifying party similarly notified, to assume the defense thereof, with counsel reasonably satisfactory to such indemnified party (who shall not, except with the consent of the indemnified party, be counsel to the indemnifying party), and after notice from the indemnifying party to such indemnified party of its election so to assume the defense thereof the indemnifying party will not be liable to such indemnified party under this Section 5 for any legal or other expenses, subsequently incurred by such indemnified party in connection with the defense thereof other than reasonable costs of investigation. No indemnifying party shall, without the prior written consent of the indemnified party, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed, effect any settlement of any pending or threatened action in respect of which any indemnified party is or could have been a party and indemnity could have been sought hereunder by such indemnified party unless such settlement (i) includes an unconditional release of such indemnified party from all liability on any claims that are the subject matter of such action, and (ii) does not include a statement as to, or an admission of, fault, culpability or a failure to act by or on behalf of an indemnified party.

(d) If the indemnification provided for in this Section 5 is unavailable or insufficient to hold harmless an indemnified party under subsections (a) or (b) above, then each indemnifying party shall contribute to the amount paid or payable by such indemnified party as a result of the losses, claims, damages or liabilities (or actions in respect thereof) referred to in subsection (a) or (b) above (i) in such proportion as is appropriate to reflect the relative benefits received by the indemnifying party or parties on the one hand and the indemnified party on the other from the exchange of the Initial Securities, pursuant to the Registered Exchange Offer, or the resale of the Initial Securities, pursuant to the Shelf Registration Statement or (ii) if the allocation provided by the foregoing clause (i) is not permitted by applicable law, in such proportion as is appropriate to reflect not only the relative benefits referred to in clause (i) above but also the relative fault of the indemnifying party or parties on the one hand and the indemnified party on the other in connection with the statements or omissions that resulted in such losses, claims, damages or liabilities (or actions in respect thereof) as well as any other relevant equitable considerations. The relative fault of the parties shall be determined by reference to, among other things, whether the untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of a material fact or the omission or alleged omission to state a material fact relates to information supplied by the Issuer or the Guarantors on the one hand or such Holder or such other indemnified party, as the case may be, on the other, and the parties' relative intent, knowledge, access to information and opportunity to correct or prevent such untrue statement or omission. The amount paid by an indemnified party as a result of the losses, claims, damages or liabilities referred to in the first sentence of this subsection (d) shall be deemed to include any legal or other expenses reasonably incurred by such indemnified party in connection with investigating or defending any action or claim which is the subject of this subsection (d). Notwithstanding any other provision of this subsection (d), the Holders of the Securities shall not be required to contribute any amount in excess of the amount by which the net proceeds received by such Holders from the sale of the Securities pursuant to a Registration Statement exceeds the amount of damages which such Holders have otherwise been required to pay by reason of such untrue statement or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission. No person guilty of fraudulent misrepresentation (within the meaning of Section 11(f) of the Securities Act) shall be entitled to contribution from any person who was not guilty of such fraudulent misrepresentation. For purposes of this subsection (d), each person, if any, who controls such indemnified party within the meaning of the Securities Act or the Exchange Act shall have the same rights to contribution as such indemnified party and each person, if any, who controls the Issuer or the Guarantors within the meaning of the Securities Act or the Exchange Act shall have the same rights to contribution as the Issuer and the Guarantors.

(e) The indemnity and contribution provisions contained in this Section 5 shall survive the sale of the Securities pursuant to a Registration Statement and shall remain in full force and effect, regardless of any termination or cancellation of this Agreement or any investigation made by or on behalf of any Indemnified Party or any Holder Indemnified Party.

6. Additional Interest Under Certain Circumstances.

(a) Additional interest with respect to the Initial Securities (the "**Additional Interest**") shall be assessed as follows if any of the following events occur (each such event in clause (i) and (ii) below, a "**Registration Default**"):

(i) the Exchange Offer has not been completed on or prior to the 360th day after the Issue Date; or

(ii) if, pursuant to the terms of Section 2 above, the Company is required to file a Shelf Registration Statement, the Shelf Registration Statement has not been declared effective by the Commission on or prior to the 360th day after the Issue Date or, if the Company is required to file a Shelf Registration Statement with respect to any unsold allotment of Initial Securities held by any Purchaser, the Shelf Registration Statement has not been declared effective by the Commission by the later of (A) the 360th day after the Issue Date and (B) the 180th day after the date on which such Purchaser requests that the Company file a Shelf Registration Statement with respect to such Initial Securities.

Additional Interest shall accrue on the Initial Securities over and above the interest set forth in the title of the Initial Securities from and including the date on which any such Registration Default shall occur to but excluding the date on which all such Registration Defaults have been cured, as follows: with respect to the first 90-day period immediately following the occurrence of the first Registration Default, Additional Interest will be paid in an amount equal to 0.25% per annum of the principal amount of Initial Securities; and with respect to each subsequent 90-day period until all Registration Defaults have been cured, Additional Interest will increase by an additional 0.25% per annum with respect to such periods, up to a maximum amount of Additional Interest for all Registration Defaults of 0.50% per annum of the principal amount of Initial Securities for any period after the first 90-day period immediately following the occurrence of the first Registration Default. Following the cure of all Registration Defaults relating to any Initial Securities, Additional Interest shall cease to accrue with respect to such securities.

(b) Notwithstanding the foregoing, a Registration Default referred to in Section 6(a) hereof shall be deemed not to have occurred and be continuing, and the Company shall have no obligation to pay Additional Interest as a result of such Registration Default, if such Registration Default has occurred solely as a result of action taken or not taken by the Commission that is arbitrary, capricious, an abuse of discretion or otherwise not in accordance with law within the meaning of the federal Administrative Procedure Act, as amended, as determined by a final order of a court of competent jurisdiction.

(c) Any amounts of Additional Interest due pursuant to Section 6(a) above will be payable in cash on the regular interest payment dates with respect to the Transfer Restricted Securities. The amount of Additional Interest will be determined by multiplying the applicable Additional Interest rate by the principal amount of the Transfer Restricted Securities, multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of days such Additional Interest rate was applicable during such period (determined on the basis of a 360-day year comprised of twelve 30-day months), and the denominator of which is 360.

(d) “**Transfer Restricted Securities**” means each Security until (i) the date on which such Transfer Restricted Security has been exchanged by a person other than a broker-dealer for a freely transferable Exchange Security in the Registered Exchange Offer, (ii) following the exchange by a broker-dealer in the Registered Exchange Offer of an Initial Security for an Exchange Security, the date on which such Exchange Security is sold to a purchaser who receives from such broker-dealer on or prior to the date of such sale a copy of the prospectus contained in the Exchange Offer Registration Statement, (iii) the date on which the resale of such Initial Security has been effectively registered under the Securities Act and such Initial Security is disposed of in accordance with the Shelf Registration Statement or (iv) the date on which such Initial Securities are distributed to the public pursuant to Rule 144 under the Securities Act or can be sold pursuant to Rule 144 under the Securities Act.

(e) Notwithstanding the foregoing in this Section 6, (i) the amount of Additional Interest payable shall not increase solely because more than one Registration Default has occurred and is pending, and a Holder of a Transfer Restricted Security who is not entitled to the benefits of the Shelf Registration Statement (*i.e.*, such Holder has not elected to furnish information to the Issuer in accordance with Section 3(n) hereof) shall not be entitled to Additional Interest with respect to a Registration Default relating to a Shelf Registration Statement, and (ii) no Holder who (x) was eligible to exchange such Holder’s outstanding Securities at the time the Exchange Offer was pending and consummated and (y) failed to validly tender such Securities for exchange pursuant to the Exchange Offer shall be entitled to receive any Additional Interest that would otherwise accrue subsequent to the date that the Exchange Offer is consummated.

7. *Rules 144 and 144A.* The Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to file the reports required to be filed by it under the Securities Act and the Exchange Act in a timely manner and, if at any time the Company is not required to file such reports, it will, upon the request of any Holder of Initial Securities, make publicly available other information so long as necessary to permit sales of their securities pursuant to Rules 144 and 144A under the Securities Act. The Company covenants that it will

take such further action as any Holder of Initial Securities may reasonably request, all to the extent required from time to time to enable such Holder to sell Initial Securities without registration under the Securities Act within the limitation of the exemptions provided by Rules 144 and 144A under the Securities Act (including the requirements of Rule 144A(d)(4) under the Securities Act). The Company will provide a copy of this Agreement to prospective purchasers of Initial Securities identified to the Issuer by the Purchasers upon request. Upon the request of any Holder of Initial Securities, the Company shall deliver to such Holder a written statement as to whether it has complied with such requirements. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing in this Section 7 shall be deemed to require the Company to register any of its securities pursuant to the Exchange Act or take any such actions after the Securities no longer constitute Transfer Restricted Securities.

8. *Underwritten Registrations.* If any of the Transfer Restricted Securities covered by any Shelf Registration are to be sold in an underwritten offering, the investment banker or investment bankers and manager or managers that will administer the offering ("**Managing Underwriters**") will be selected by the Holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of such Transfer Restricted Securities to be included in such offering.

No person may participate in any underwritten registration hereunder unless such person (i) agrees to sell such person's Transfer Restricted Securities on the basis reasonably provided in any underwriting arrangements approved by the persons entitled hereunder to approve such arrangements and (ii) completes and executes all questionnaires, powers of attorney, indemnities, underwriting agreements and other documents reasonably required under the terms of such underwriting arrangements.

9. *Miscellaneous.*

(a) *Amendments and Waivers.* The provisions of this Agreement may not be amended, modified or supplemented, and waivers or consents to departures from the provisions hereof may not be given, except by the Issuer and the written consent of the Holders of a majority in principal amount of the Securities affected by such amendment, modification, supplement, waivers or consents.

(b) *Notices.* All notices and other communications provided for or permitted hereunder shall be made through electronic mail or in writing by hand delivery, first-class mail, facsimile transmission, or air courier which guarantees overnight delivery:

(i) if to a Holder of the Securities, at the most current address given by such Holder to the Issuer.

(ii) if to the Purchasers;

Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC
1585 Broadway, 29th Floor
New York, New York 10036
Attention: Investment Banking Division
Phone: (212) 761-6691
Fax No.: (212) 507-8999

RBC Capital Markets, LLC
Brookfield Place
200 Vesey Street, 8th Floor
New York, New York 10281
Attn: DCM Transaction Management/Scott Primrose
Telephone: (212) 618-7706
Email: TMGUS@rbccm.com

CIBC World Markets Corp.
300 Madison Avenue, 8th Floor
Attn: Execution Management
New York, New York 10017

HSBC Securities (USA) Inc.
Attn: DCM Legal Americas
66 Hudson Boulevard
New York, New York 10001
Fax: (646) 366-3229
Email: tmg.americas@us.hsbc.com

Santander US Capital Markets LLC
437 Madison Avenue
New York, New York 10022
DCMAmericas@Santander.us
Fax: (212) 407-0930

Wells Fargo Securities, LLC
550 South Tryon Street, 5th Floor
Charlotte, North Carolina 28202
Attention: Transaction Management
Email: tmgcapitalmarkets@wellsfargo.com

with a copy to:

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
One Manhattan West
New York, New York 10001
Fax No.: (416) 777-4790
E-mail: david.armstrong@skadden.com and
michael.hong@skadden.com
Attention: David Armstrong; Michael J. Hong

(iii) if to the Issuer, at its address as follows:

Cheniere Energy Partners, L.P.
845 Texas Avenue, Suite 1250
Houston, Texas 77002
Attention: Chief Financial Officer

with a copy to:

White & Case LLP
1221 Avenue of the Americas
New York, New York 10020
E-mail: gkashar@whitecase.com
Attention: Gary Kashar

All such notices and communications shall be deemed to have been duly given: at the time sent, if transmitted by electronic mail; at the time delivered by hand, if personally delivered; three Business Days after being deposited in the mail, postage prepaid, if mailed; when receipt is acknowledged by recipient's facsimile machine operator, if sent by facsimile transmission; and on the day delivered, if sent by overnight air courier guaranteeing next day delivery.

(c) *No Inconsistent Agreements.* The Company has not, as of the date hereof, entered into, nor shall it, on or after the date hereof, enter into, any agreement with respect to its securities that is inconsistent with the rights granted to the Holders herein or otherwise conflicts with the provisions hereof.

(d) *Successors and Assigns.* This Agreement shall be binding upon the Issuer and its successors and assigns.

(e) *Counterparts.* This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts and by the parties hereto in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. The parties agree to electronic contracting and signatures with respect to this Agreement. Delivery of an electronic signature to, or a signed copy of, this Agreement by facsimile, email or other electronic transmission shall be fully binding on the parties to the same extent as the delivery of the signed originals and shall be admissible into evidence for all purposes. The words “execution,” “execute,” “signed,” “signature,” and words of like import in or related to any document to be signed in connection with this Agreement shall be deemed to include electronic signatures, the electronic matching of assignment terms and contract formations on electronic platforms approved by the Company, or the keeping of records in electronic form, each of which shall be of the same legal effect, validity or enforceability as a manually executed signature or the use of a paper-based recordkeeping system, as the case may be, to the extent and as provided for in any applicable law, including the Federal Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act, the New York State Electronic Signatures and Records Act, or any other similar state laws based on the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act.

(f) *Headings.* The headings in this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and shall not limit or otherwise affect the meaning hereof.

(g) *Governing Law.* THIS AGREEMENT AND ANY CLAIM, CONTROVERSY OR DISPUTE ARISING UNDER OR RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY, AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH, THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK WITHOUT REGARD TO PRINCIPLES OF CONFLICTS OF LAWS, EXCEPT THAT SECTION 5-1401 OF THE NEW YORK GENERAL OBLIGATIONS LAW SHALL APPLY.

(h) *Severability.* If any one or more of the provisions contained herein, or the application thereof in any circumstance, is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the validity, legality and enforceability of any such provision in every other respect and of the remaining provisions contained herein shall not be affected or impaired thereby.

(i) *Securities Held by the Issuer.* Whenever the consent or approval of Holders of a specified percentage of principal amount of Securities is required hereunder, Securities held by the Issuer or its affiliates (other than subsequent Holders of Securities if such subsequent Holders are deemed to be affiliates solely by reason of their holdings of such Securities) shall not be counted in determining whether such consent or approval was given by the Holders of such required percentage.

(j) *Submission to Jurisdiction; Waiver of Immunities.* By the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the Company, in any suit or proceeding arising out of or relating to this Agreement that may be instituted in any federal or state court in the State of New York or brought under federal or state securities laws, submits to the nonexclusive jurisdiction of any such court in any such suit or proceeding. To the extent that the Company may acquire any immunity from jurisdiction of any court or from any legal process (whether through service of notice, attachment prior to judgment, attachment in aid of execution, execution or otherwise) with respect to itself or its property, it hereby irrevocably waives such immunity in respect of this Agreement, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

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If the foregoing is in accordance with your understanding of our agreement, please sign and return to the Issuer a counterpart hereof, whereupon this instrument, along with all counterparts, will become a binding agreement among the several Purchasers, the Issuer and the Guarantors in accordance with its terms.

Very truly yours,

CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.

By its general partner, CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS
GP, LLC

/s/ Matthew Healey

Name: Matthew Healey

Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

CHENIERE ENERGY INVESTMENTS, LLC

/s/ Matthew Healey

Name: Matthew Healey

Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

SABINE PASS LNG-GP, LLC

/s/ Matthew Healey

Name: Matthew Healey

Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

SABINE PASS LNG, L.P.

By its general partner, SABINE PASS LNG-GP, LLC

/s/ Matthew Healey

Name: Matthew Healey

Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

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SABINE PASS TUG SERVICES, LLC

/s/ Matthew Healey

Name: Matthew Healey

Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

CHENIERE PIPELINE GP INTERESTS, LLC

/s/ Matthew Healey

Name: Matthew Healey

Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

CHENIERE CREOLE TRAIL PIPELINE, L.P.

/s/ Matthew Healey

Name: Matthew Healey

Title: Senior Vice President, Finance and Treasury

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The foregoing Registration Rights Agreement
is hereby confirmed and accepted
as of the date first above written.

MORGAN STANLEY & CO. LLC
for itself and as Representative of the
several Purchasers

/s/ Yiming Hu
Name: Yiming Hu
Title: Vice President

RBC CAPITAL MARKETS, LLC
for itself and as Representative of the
several Purchasers

/s/ John M. Sconzo
Name: John M. Sconzo
Title: Managing Director

CIBC WORLD MARKETS CORP.
for itself and as Representative of the
several Purchasers

/s/ Michael Kim
Name: Michael Kim
Title: Managing Director

HSBC SECURITIES (USA) INC.
for itself and as Representative of the
several Purchasers

/s/ Patrice Altongy
Name: Patrice Altongy
Title: Managing Director

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SANTANDER US CAPITAL MARKETS LLC
for itself and as Representative of the
several Purchasers

/s/ Richard Zobkiw

Name: Richard Zobkiw
Title: Executive Director

WELLS FARGO SECURITIES, LLC
for itself and as Representative of the
several Purchasers

/s/ Carolyn Hurley

Name: Carolyn Hurley
Title: Managing Director

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Purchasers

Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC
RBC Capital Markets, LLC
CIBC World Markets Corp.
HSBC Securities (USA) Inc.
Santander US Capital Markets LLC
Wells Fargo Securities, LLC
BBVA Securities Inc.
BofA Securities, Inc.
Citigroup Global Markets Inc.
Credit Agricole Securities (USA) Inc.
DBS Bank Ltd.
Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC
ICBC Standard Bank Plc
ING Financial Markets LLC
Intesa Sanpaolo IMI Securities Corp.
J.P. Morgan Securities LLC
Loop Capital Markets LLC
Mizuho Securities USA LLC
MUFG Securities Americas Inc.
Natixis Securities Americas LLC
Scotia Capital (USA) Inc.
SG Americas Securities, LLC
SMBC Nikko Securities America, Inc.
Standard Chartered Bank
Truist Securities, Inc.

Each broker-dealer that receives Exchange Securities for its own account pursuant to the Registered Exchange Offer must acknowledge that it will deliver a prospectus in connection with any resale of such Exchange Securities. The Letter of Transmittal states that by so acknowledging and by delivering a prospectus, a broker-dealer will not be deemed to admit that it is an “underwriter” within the meaning of the Securities Act. This Prospectus, as it may be amended or supplemented from time to time, may be used by a broker-dealer in connection with resales of Exchange Securities received in exchange for Initial Securities where such Initial Securities were acquired by such broker-dealer as a result of market-making activities or other trading activities. The Issuer and the Guarantors have agreed that, for a period of 180 days after the consummation of the Registered Exchange Offer, it will make this Prospectus available to any broker-dealer for use in connection with any such resale. See “Plan of Distribution.”

Each broker-dealer that receives Exchange Securities for its own account in exchange for Initial Securities, where such Initial Securities were acquired by such broker-dealer as a result of market-making activities or other trading activities, must acknowledge that it will deliver a prospectus in connection with any resale of such Exchange Securities. See “Plan of Distribution.”

PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION

Each broker-dealer that receives Exchange Securities for its own account pursuant to the Registered Exchange Offer must acknowledge that it will deliver a prospectus in connection with any resale of such Exchange Securities. This Prospectus, as it may be amended or supplemented from time to time, may be used by a broker-dealer in connection with resales of Exchange Securities received in exchange for Initial Securities where such Initial Securities were acquired as a result of market-making activities or other trading activities. The Issuer and the Guarantors have agreed that, for a period of 180 days after the consummation of the Registered Exchange Offer, they will make this Prospectus, as amended or supplemented, available to any broker-dealer for use in connection with any such resale. In addition, until , 20 , all dealers effecting transactions in the Exchange Securities may be required to deliver a prospectus.⁽¹⁾

The Issuer and the Guarantors will not receive any proceeds from any sale of Exchange Securities by broker-dealers. Exchange Securities received by broker-dealers for their own account pursuant to the Registered Exchange Offer may be sold from time to time in one or more transactions in the over-the-counter market, in negotiated transactions, through the writing of options on the Exchange Securities or a combination of such methods of resale, at market prices prevailing at the time of resale, at prices related to such prevailing market prices or negotiated prices. Any such resale may be made directly to purchasers or to or through brokers or dealers who may receive compensation in the form of commissions or concessions from any such broker-dealer or the purchasers of any such Exchange Securities. Any broker-dealer that resells Exchange Securities that were received by it for its own account pursuant to the Registered Exchange Offer and any broker or dealer that participates in a distribution of such Exchange Securities may be deemed to be an “underwriter” within the meaning of the Securities Act and any profit on any such resale of Exchange Securities and any commissions or concessions received by any such persons may be deemed to be underwriting compensation under the Securities Act. The Letter of Transmittal states that, by acknowledging that it will deliver and by delivering a prospectus, a broker-dealer will not be deemed to admit that it is an “underwriter” within the meaning of the Securities Act.

For a period of 180 days after the consummation of the Registered Exchange Offer the Issuer and the Guarantors will promptly send additional copies of this Prospectus and any amendment or supplement to this Prospectus to any broker-dealer that requests such documents in the Letter of Transmittal. The Issuer and the Guarantors have agreed to pay all reasonable expenses incident to the Registered Exchange Offer (including the reasonable expenses of one counsel for the Holders of the Securities) other than commissions or concessions of any brokers or dealers and will indemnify the Holders of the Securities (including any broker-dealers) against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act.

(1) In addition, the legend required by Item 502(b) of Regulation S-K will appear on the back cover page of the Exchange Offer prospectus.

- ☐ CHECK HERE IF YOU ARE A BROKER-DEALER AND WISH TO RECEIVE 10 ADDITIONAL COPIES OF THE PROSPECTUS AND 10 COPIES OF ANY AMENDMENTS OR SUPPLEMENTS THERETO.

Name: _____

Address: _____

If the undersigned is not a broker-dealer, the undersigned represents that it is not engaged in, and does not intend to engage in, a distribution of Exchange Securities. If the undersigned is a broker-dealer that will receive Exchange Securities for its own account in exchange for Initial Securities that were acquired as a result of market-making activities or other trading activities, it acknowledges that it will deliver a prospectus in connection with any resale of such Exchange Securities; however, by so acknowledging and by delivering a prospectus, the undersigned will not be deemed to admit that it is an “underwriter” within the meaning of the Securities Act.

COUNTERPART TO REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT

The undersigned hereby absolutely, unconditionally and irrevocably agrees as a Guarantor (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement, dated as of July 10, 2025 (the “Registration Rights Agreement”) by and among Cheniere Energy Partners, L.P., the Guarantors party thereto and Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, RBC Capital Markets, LLC, CIBC World Markets Corp., HSBC Securities (USA) Inc., Santander US Capital Markets LLC and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, as representatives of the Purchasers), to be bound by the terms and provisions of such Registration Rights Agreement. Capitalized terms not defined but otherwise used herein shall have the meanings set forth in the Registration Rights Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this counterpart as of _____, 20__.

[NAME]

By: _____
Name:
Title: