

2. The NASAMS Fire Unit consists of one fire distribution center (FDC); one AN/MPQ-64F1 Sentinel surveillance, acquisition, and tracking radar; three truck-mounted canister launchers with six AMRAAM missiles each; and one truck-mounted electrical optical/infrared (E.O./IR) sensor system for visual target identification and raid size assessment.

3. The command-and-control entity, FDC, is the major operator interface in NASAMS. It provides all command-and-control functionality necessary to effectively conduct air defense missions, both in a stand-alone (autonomous) configuration as well as in a netted configuration integrated to other units. The FDC interfaces and controls the MPQ-64F1 Sentinel radar, the E.O./IR sensor, and the canister launchers. In addition, it interfaces and sends commands to any connected very short-range air defense (VSHORAD) Stinger platforms. The FDC also interfaces voice and data to the national command and control structure.

4. The AN/MPQ-64F1 Sentinel radar is the organic, mobile air defense acquisition and tracking sensor for the U.S. Army. Sentinel provides persistent air surveillance and fire control quality data through command-and-control systems.

5. The canister launcher (LCHR) is to transport, aim, and fire the U.S. Air Force AMRAAM and AMRAAM-ER missiles. Under the remote control of the FDC, the launcher permits rapid launching of one or more missiles against single or multiple targets and can support 6 engagements simultaneously. The launcher provides 360-degree, all weather, day and night missile launch capability.

6. The E.O./IR sensor system is optimized for use in ground-based air defense and is proven and fielded for several NASAMS users. The sensor system offers a full day-night capability and includes an advanced high-performance TV camera, a 3rd-

Generation infrared camera, and an eye-safe laser rangefinder.

7. The AIM-120C Advanced Medium Range Air-to-Air Missile (AMRAAM) is a radar-guided missile featuring digital technology and micro-miniature solid-state electronics. The AMRAAM's capabilities include look-down/shoot-down, multiple launches against multiple targets, resistance to electronic counter measures, and interception of high flying and low flying and maneuvering targets. AMRAAM Captive Air Training Missiles (CATMs) are non-functioning, inert missile rounds used for armament load training, which also simulate the correct weight and balance of live missiles during captive carry-on training sorties. Although designed as an air-to-air missile, the AMRAAM can also be employed in a surface-launch mode when integrated on systems such as NASAMS.

8. The AMRAAM-ER missiles have the same capability and sensitivity of technology as the AMRAAM missiles but have with a larger rocket motor to allow them to travel farther.

9. The Multifunction Information Distribution System (MIDS) is a secure data and voice communication network that uses the Link-16 architecture. The system provides enhanced situational awareness, positive identification of participants within the network, and secure voice capability. The system provides the critical ground link for simultaneous coordination of air, land, and maritime forces.

10. The highest level of classification of defense articles, components, and services included in this potential sale is SECRET.

11. If a technologically advanced adversary were to obtain knowledge of the specific hardware and software elements, the information could be used to develop countermeasures that might reduce weapon system effectiveness or be used in the development of a system with similar or advanced capabilities.

12. A determination has been made that the recipient can provide substantially the same degree of protection for the sensitive technology being released as the U.S. Government. This sale is necessary in furtherance of the U.S. foreign policy and national security objectives outlined in the Policy Justification.

13. All defense articles and services listed in this transmittal have been authorized for release and export to the recipient.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Transmittal No. 24-105]

Arms Sales Notification

AGENCY: Defense Security Cooperation Agency, Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Arms sales notice.

SUMMARY: The DoD is publishing the unclassified text of an arms sales notification.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This 36(b)(1) arms sales notification is published to fulfill the requirements of section 155 of Public Law 104-164 dated July 21, 1996. The following is a copy of a letter to the Speaker of the House of Representatives with attached Transmittal 24-105 and Policy Justification.

Dated: December 10, 2025.

Stephanie J. Bost,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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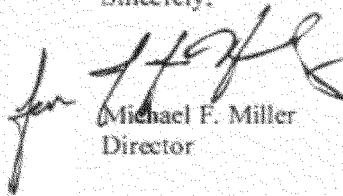
October 28, 2024

The Honorable Mike Johnson
Speaker of the House
U.S. House of Representatives
H-209, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended, we are forwarding herewith Transmittal No. 24-105, concerning the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance to the Government of Switzerland for defense articles and services estimated to cost \$450 million. We will issue a news release to notify the public of this proposed sale upon delivery of this letter to your office.

Sincerely,



Michael F. Miller
Director

Enclosures:

- 1. Transmittal
- 2. Policy Justification

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Transmittal No. 24-105

Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended

(i) *Prospective Purchaser:* Government of Switzerland

(ii) *Total Estimated Value:*

Major Defense Equipment *	\$ 0
Other	\$450 million
TOTAL	\$450 million

(iii) *Description and Quantity or Quantities of Articles or Services under*

Consideration for Purchase: The Government of Switzerland has requested to buy sustainment support for its five (5) PATRIOT Fire Units and missile inventory.

Major Defense Equipment (MDE):
None

Non-Major Defense Equipment:
The following non-MDE items will be included: general electronic test station equipment and program sets; Foreign Liaison Officer support; international engineering services; Field Surveillance Program; modification and upgrade

kits; unclassified and classified repair and return; classified missile processing; unclassified and classified spares; transportation; publications and technical documentation; training; United States (U.S.) Government and contractor technical, engineering, and logistics support services; and other related elements of logistics and program support.

- (iv) *Military Department:* Army (SZ-B-UAV)
- (v) *Prior Related Cases, if any:* SZ-B-UAS

(vi) *Sales Commission, Fee, etc., Paid, Offered, or Agreed to be Paid:* None

(vii) *Sensitivity of Technology Contained in the Defense Article or Defense Services Proposed to be Sold:* None

(viii) *Date Report Delivered to Congress:* October 28, 2024

* as defined in Section 47(6) of the Arms Export Control Act.

POLICY JUSTIFICATION

Switzerland—PATRIOT Sustainment

The Government of Switzerland has requested to buy sustainment support for its five (5) PATRIOT Fire Units and missile inventory. The following non-MDE items will be included: general electronic test station equipment and program sets; Foreign Liaison Officer support; international engineering services; Field Surveillance Program; modification and upgrade kits; unclassified and classified repair and return; classified missile processing; unclassified and classified spares; transportation; publications and technical documentation; training; U.S. Government and contractor technical, engineering, and logistics support services; and other related elements of logistics and program support. The total estimated cost is \$450 million.

This proposed sale will support the foreign policy and national security objectives of the U.S. by helping to improve the security of a friendly European nation that continues to be an important force for political stability and economic progress within Europe.

The proposed sale supports Switzerland's goal of maintaining national and territorial defense as well as interoperability with U.S. and other European forces. Switzerland will have no difficulty absorbing this equipment and services into its armed forces.

The proposed sale of this equipment and support will not alter the basic military balance in the region.

The prime contractors will be RTX Corporation, located in Tewksbury, MA; Lockheed Martin, located in Dallas, TX; and Leidos, located in Huntsville, AL. The purchaser typically requests offsets. Any offset agreement will be defined in negotiations between the purchaser and the contractor.

Implementation of this proposed sale will require no U.S. Government representatives but will require approximately ten contractor representatives to travel to Switzerland for an extended period of time to provide technical support.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[Docket No. 15-190-LNG]

Change in Control: Rio Grande LNG, LLC; Rio Grande LNG Train 4, LLC; and Rio Grande LNG Train 5, LLC

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management, Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of change in control.

SUMMARY: The Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management (FECM) of the Department of Energy (DOE) gives notice of receipt of a Statement and Notice of Change in Control (Notice) filed by Rio Grande LNG, LLC, Rio Grande LNG Train 4, LLC, and Rio Grande LNG Train 5, LLC (RGLNG 5) (collectively, the Rio Grande Entities) on November 14, 2025. The Notice describes a change in RGLNG 5's upstream ownership. The Notice was filed under the Natural Gas Act, and in accordance with DOE's regulations and DOE's Procedures for Changes in Control Affecting Applications and Authorizations to Import or Export Natural Gas (CIC Procedures).

DATES: Protests, motions to intervene, or notices of intervention, as applicable, and written comments are to be filed as detailed in the Public Comment Procedures section no later than 4:30 p.m., Eastern time, December 30, 2025.

ADDRESSES:

Electronic Filing by email (Strongly encouraged): fergas@hq.doe.gov.

Postal Mail, Hand Delivery, or Private Delivery Services (e.g., FedEx, UPS, etc.): U.S. Department of Energy (FE-34), Office of Regulation, Analysis, and Engagement, Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management, Forrestal Building, Room 3E-056, 1000 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, DC 20585.

Due to potential delays in DOE's receipt and processing of mail sent through the U.S. Postal Service, we encourage respondents to submit filings electronically to ensure timely receipt.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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Cassandra Bernstein, U.S. Department of Energy (GC-76) Office of the Assistant General Counsel for Energy Delivery and Resilience, Forrestal Building, Room 6D-033, 1000 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, DC 20585, (240) 780-1691, cassandra.bernstein@hq.doe.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Summary of Change in Control

The Rio Grande Entities hold authorizations to export domestically produced liquefied natural gas (LNG) from the Rio Grande LNG Terminal (Terminal), currently under construction in Cameron County, Texas, as described in the Notice. RGLNG 5 states that it will own the fifth liquefaction train (Train 5) at the Terminal.

In the Statement, RGLNG 5 states that, pursuant to a transaction that closed on October 16, 2025 (Transaction), its upstream ownership has changed. RGLNG 5 states that, prior to the Transaction, it was an indirect, wholly-owned subsidiary of NextDecade LNG, LLC (NextDecade LNG). RGLNG 5 states that, pursuant to the Transaction, GIP V Velocity Aggregator T5, L.P. (GIP V Velocity), a limited partnership managed by a controlled affiliate of Global Infrastructure Management, LLC, acquired a 50% membership interest in Rio Grande LNG Train 5 Intermediate Holdings, LLC (RGIH 5), which, in turn, indirectly owns 100% of RGLNG 5.

Additionally, RGLNG 5 states that NextDecade LNG remains the owner of a 50% membership interest in RGIH 5. According to RGLNG 5, NextDecade LNG's economic interest may increase to 70% (with GIP V Velocity's economic interest decreasing to 30%) upon GIP V Velocity's achievement of certain returns on its investment from Train 5.

RGLNG 5 further states that no changes to the operation of the Terminal are anticipated, as NextDecade LNG will continue to operate the Terminal for the benefit of the Rio Grande Entities.

Charts illustrating RGLNG 5's ownership structure before and after the Transaction are attached as Appendix A and Appendix B to the Notice, respectively. Additional details can be found in the Notice, posted on the DOE website at <https://www.energy.gov/sites/default/files/2025-11/RGLNG%205%20CIC.pdf>.

DOE Evaluation

DOE will review the Notice in accordance with its CIC Procedures.¹

¹ 79 FR 65541 (Nov. 5, 2014).