Cheniere Energy Partners, L.P. Form 8-K May 20, 2011

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): May 20, 2011

CHENIERE ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 1-33366 20-5913059

(State or other jurisdiction of (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

incorporation or organization) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.

700 Milam Street

Suite 800 77002

Houston, Texas

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- £ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On May 20, 2011, Cheniere Energy Partners, L.P. issued a press release announcing that its subsidiary, Sabine Pass Liquefaction, LLC, received an order from the U.S. Department of Energy with authorization to export domestically produced natural gas from the Sabine Pass LNG terminal as liquefied natural gas to any country that has, or in the future develops, the capacity to import LNG and with which trade is permissible. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein in its entirety. Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

d) Exhibits

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press Release, dated May 20, 2011.*

^{*} 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

Date: May 20, 2011 By: /s/ Meg A. Gentle

Name: Meg A. Gentle

Title: Senior Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

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