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“Natural Gas Demand Potential is Exploding” Don’t Jeopardize Manufacturing Competitiveness

Vote “No” on Senator Menendez Amendment No. 1782, the Nat Gas Act

Natural gas growth rate from 2000 to 2010: 1.9%
Natural gas growth rate potential from 2011 to 2018: 33.5%

The U.S. is about to experience an explosion of natural gas demand without considering new demand from use of natural gas in the transportation sector. The DOE has approved nine applications to export natural gas to free trade countries, a potential 20 percent increase in demand. The EPA Electric Utility MACT will increase demand by about 10 percent. The EPA Industrial Boiler MACT will also increase demand.

