United States District Court Southern District of Texas

## **ENTERED**

March 10, 2023 Nathan Ochsner, Clerk

## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

TOTALENERGIES GAS & POWER NORTH AMERICA, INC., et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

Case No. 4:22-cv-4318

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION, et al.,

Defendants.

## **ORDER**

On March 6, 2023, the Court held a hearing on Plaintiffs' motion for a preliminary injunction, ECF No. 23. The Court determined that in light of the Supreme Court's consideration of *SEC v. Cochran*, No. 21-1239, and *Axon Enterprise*, *Inc. v. FTC*, No. 21-86, and to conserve judicial and party resources, it is appropriate to stay proceedings in this case and, despite Defendants' jurisdictional and justiciability objections, *see generally* ECF No. 37, all the administrative proceedings in Docket No. IN12-17 before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, *see* Minute Order (Mar. 6, 2023). Accordingly, this case is STAYED pending the Supreme Court's resolution of *Cochran* and *Axon* and is ADMINISTRATIVELY CLOSED without prejudice to it being reopened upon a motion by any party or to enter a judgment. Further, the FERC proceeding is STAYED under 5

U.S.C. § 705 without prejudice to it being reopened upon a motion by any party. IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATE: March <u>10</u>, 2023

Drew B. Tipton

United States District Judge