

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

December 16, 2010

Mr. Greg Mattson
BP Exploration Alaska
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CPF 5-2010-0015M

Dear Mr. Mattson:

On July 27-29, 2010, a representative from the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), pursuant to chapter 601 of 49 United States Code, conducted an on-site pipeline safety inspection of BP Exploration Alaska's procedures for the Badami Natural Gas Transmission Pipeline in Prudhoe Bay, Alaska.

As a result of the inspection, BP Exploration Alaska was issued a Notice of Amendment on September 21, 2010, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

BP Exploration Alaska submitted its amended procedures on October 20, 2010. My staff reviewed the amended procedures, and it appears that the inadequacies outlined in this Notice of Amendment have been corrected.

This letter is to inform you no further action is necessary and this case is now closed. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Dennis Hinnah
Deputy Director, Western Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

Cc: PHP-60 Compliance Registry
B. Flanders (#130728)