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**Pipeline and
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Administration**

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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

September 5, 2012

Mr. Dwayne Burton
Vice President, Operations and Engineering
Kinder Morgan
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Houston, TX 77002

CPF 5-2012-1015M

Dear Mr. Burton:

On July 5, 2012, 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 El Paso Natural Gas Company's (El Paso) procedures in Colorado Springs, Colorado. As a result of the inspection, El Paso was issued a Notice of Amendment on July 5, 2012, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

El Paso submitted its amended procedures on August 8, 2012. 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,

Chris Hoidal
Director, Western Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

cc: PHP-60 Compliance Registry
PHP-500 J. Kenerson (#134440)