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Mr. Chris Hoidal
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12300 West Dakota Avenue, Suite 110
Lakewood, CA 80228

CPF 5-2008-5011W

Re: Warning Letter dated May 29, 2008

Dear Mr. Hoidal:

This correspondence is in response to a DOT Warning Letter addressed to ExxonMobil Pipeline's Mr. Jim Rose dated May 29, 2008.

Following the August 2007 audit of our Spokane Terminal, ExxonMobil Pipeline Co. (EMPCo) verified with Yellowstone Pipeline that neither party was maintaining atmospheric corrosion records for the manifold areas mentioned in Item #1. Procedures were implemented immediately by EMPCo's Spokane personnel to correct this omission.

Regarding the second item in your letter, EMPCo would like to propose the use of 100 mv polarization criteria (NACE RP0169 paragraph 6.2.2.1.3) to demonstrate compliance with the regulation, but would like your opinion before we proceed with this option.

If you have any questions, please contact Guy Peltier, (713) 656-3504, of my staff. If not, we look forward to your response.

Sincerely,



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