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Jimmie E. James, VP & Northern Ops Mgr.  
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Dear Jimmie James:

During the week of November 14, 2011, 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 ExxonMobil's procedures in East Providence, RI. As a result of the inspection, ExxonMobil was issued a Notice of Amendment on June 11, 2012, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

ExxonMobil submitted its amended procedures on July 11, 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,

Byron Coy, PE  
Director, Eastern Region  
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration