



**U.S. Department
Of Transportation
Pipeline and
Hazardous Materials
Safety Administration**

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OVERNIGHT EXPRESS DELIVERY

June 11, 2015

Brian Sheppard, VP, Pipeline Operations
Dominion Transmission, Inc.
445 West Main Street
Clarksburg, WV 26302-2450

CPF No.: 1-2015-1012

RE: Total assessed civil penalty (corrected) stated in the Notice of Probable Violation, Proposed Civil Penalty and Proposed Compliance Order (Notice) letter dated June 5, 2015.

Dear Mr. Sheppard:

On June 5, 2015, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Office of Pipeline Safety, Eastern Region (N.J.), issued a Notice letter, in the above-referenced case, to Dominion Transmission, Inc. On page 4, in the section titled "Proposed Civil Penalty" of the Notice letter (see italicized excerpt below) inadvertently states a total assessed civil penalty of \$156,700. Please be advised, the **correct total assessed civil penalty is \$152,600**. The penalty stated for each item number is correct and thus remains the same.

Proposed Civil Penalty (Excerpt from CPF 1-2015-1012 June 5, 2015 letter (page 4)):

Under 49 United States Code, § 60122, you are subject to a civil penalty not to exceed \$200,000 per violation per day the violation persists up to a maximum of \$2,000,000 for a related series of violations. For violations occurring prior to January 4, 2012, the maximum penalty may not exceed \$100,000 per violation per day, with a maximum penalty not to exceed \$1,000,000 for a related series of violations. The Compliance Officer has reviewed the circumstances and supporting documentation involved in the above probable violation(s) and has recommended that you be preliminarily assessed a civil penalty of \$156,700 as follows:

<u>Item number</u>	<u>PENALTY</u>
1	\$36,700
2	\$43,200
3	\$36,000
5	\$36,700

Thank you for your ongoing cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

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