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February 15, 2011

Mr. Joseph Thorndyke
Station Manager
Santee Cooper – Rainey Generating Station
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CPF 2-2011-1002M

Dear Mr. Thorndyke:

On October 20-21, 2010, representatives of the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), Office of Pipeline Safety (OPS), Southern Region inspected the Santee Cooper – Rainey Generating Station procedures for Operations and Maintenance (O&M) in Iva, South Carolina, pursuant to Chapter 601 of 49 United States Code. As a result of the inspection, PHMSA issued a Notice of Amendment (NOA) on January 13, 2011.

This letter is to inform you that Santee Cooper – Rainey (SCR) Generating Station has complied with the terms of the NOA. No further action is necessary with regards to the NOA and this case is now closed.

Please be advised that this letter refers only to the NOA (re: CPF 2-2011-1002M) and not to any other PHMSA pending cases. Also be advised that nothing herein states or implies that the above described O&M meets the requirements of the federal pipeline safety regulations or that the O&M is approved. The pipeline system and O&M remain subject to inspection by PHMSA.

Sincerely,

Wayne T. Lemoi
Director, Office of Pipeline Safety
PHMSA Southern Region