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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

March 16, 2011

Mr. Kim Penner
President
Koch Pipeline Company
4111 East 37th Street North
Wichita, KS 67220

CPF 3-2010-5011M

Dear Mr. Penner:

On June 14-17, 2010, representatives of the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) and the Minnesota Office of Pipeline Safety (MNOPS) pursuant to Chapter 601 of 49 United States Code inspected the operation and maintenance procedures for Koch Pipeline Company, L.P. at the Flint Hills Resources offices in Inver Grove Heights, MN. This review also applied to the station facilities that Flint Hills Resources operates. As a result of the inspection, Koch Pipeline Company L.P. was issued a Notice of Amendment on November 8, 2010, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

Koch Pipeline Company, L.P. submitted its amended procedures on February 8, 2011. 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,

David Barrett
Director, Central Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

cc: Mr. Randy Lenz, Vice President – Flint Hills Resources