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March 2, 2021

Mr. Terry Spencer  
Chief Executive Officer  
Viking Gas Transmission Company  
100 West Fifth Street,  
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**Re: CPF 3-2020-1004M**

Dear Mr. Spencer:

During July and August 2018, representatives of the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), pursuant to Chapter 601 of 49 United States Code, inspected your subsidiary's, Viking Gas Transmission Company (Viking), procedures near Ada, Minnesota, regarding compressor stations. As a result of the inspection, Viking Gas Transmission was issued a Notice of Amendment on September 30, 2020, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

Viking Gas Transmission submitted its amended procedures on December 7, 2020. 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,

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Director, Central Region  
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

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