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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

March 20, 2013

Mr. Pete Kirsch
Division Sr. VP - Pipeline Operations and Engineering
Centerpoint Energy Gas Transmission Co.
1111 Louisiana Street
Houston, TX 77002

CPF 4-2013-1003M

Dear Mr. Kirsch:

From August 27 through October 25, 2012, representatives of the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), pursuant to chapter 601 of 49 United States Code, conducted an on-site construction inspection of Centerpoint Energy Gas Transmission's (CEGT) Line AM-204 in Saratoga, AR. As a result of the inspection, CEGT was issued a Notice of Amendment on January 25, 2013, which proposed amendment of your construction standards.

CEGT submitted its amended standards on March 11, 2013. My staff reviewed the amended standards, 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,

R. M. Seeley
Director, Southwest Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration