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Administration**

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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

April 3, 2019

Robert Shain
Senior Vice President of Engineering
Frontier Energy Services, LLC
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Tulsa, Oklahoma 74135

CPF 4-2017-5022M

Dear Mr. Shain:

On various dates in 2015 and 2016, representatives from the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), pursuant to chapter 601 of 49 United States Code, inspected Frontier Energy Services, LLC's procedures and records for design and construction and conducted field inspections of the Alpha Crude Connector pipeline and facilities located in New Mexico and Texas. As a result of the inspection, Frontier Energy Services, LLC was issued a Notice of Amendment on June 20, 2017, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

Frontier Energy Services, LLC submitted notification D-20170222-14510 to PHMSA on February 22, 2017. This notification informed PHMSA of Frontier Energy Services, LLC's divestiture from all PHMSA-regulated pipeline assets and requested deactivation of their Operator Identification Number. As a result, PHMSA has determined that the proposed amendments are no longer relevant.

This letter is to inform you no further action is necessary and this case is now closed. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Mary L. McDaniel, P.E.
Director, Southwest Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration