November 24, 2021

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL TO: rod.sailor@enablemidstream.com

Mr. Rodney J. Sailor
President and Chief Executive Officer
Enable Midstream Partners, LP
499 W. Sheridan Ave., Suite 1500
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102

Re: CPF No. 4-2021-001-NOPV

Dear Mr. Sailor:

Enclosed please find the Final Order issued in the above-referenced case. It makes findings of violation and specifies actions that need to be taken to comply with the pipeline safety regulations. When the terms of the compliance order are completed, as determined by the Director, Southwest Region, this enforcement action will be closed. Service of the Final Order by e-mail is effective upon the date of transmission as provided under 49 C.F.R. § 190.5.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Alan K. Mayberry
Associate Administrator
for Pipeline Safety

Enclosures (Final Order and NOPV)

cc: Ms. Mary McDaniel, Director, Southwest Region, Office of Pipeline Safety, PHMSA
Mr. Cary Watson, Vice President, Safety, Environmental, and Technical Programs, Enable Midstream Partners, LP, cary.watson@enablemidstream.com
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CONFIRMATION OF RECEIPT REQUESTED
On October 4, 2021, pursuant to 49 C.F.R. § 190.207, the Director, Southwest Region, Office of Pipeline Safety (OPS), issued a Notice of Probable Violation (Notice) to Enable Gas Transmission, LLC (Respondent). The Notice proposed finding that Respondent had violated the pipeline safety regulations in 49 C.F.R. Part 192. The Notice also proposed certain measures to correct the violations. Enable Midstream Partners, LP, on behalf of Respondent, replied to the Notice and did not contest the allegations of violation or corrective measures.

Based upon a review of all of the evidence, pursuant to § 190.213, I find Respondent violated the pipeline safety regulations listed below, as more fully described in the enclosed Notice, which is incorporated by reference:

49 C.F.R. § 192.481(c) (Item 1) — Respondent failed to provide protection against atmospheric corrosion found during inspections as required by § 192.479.

49 C.F.R. § 192.739(a) (Item 2) — Respondent failed to inspect and test each pressure limiting station, relief device (except rupture discs), and pressure regulating station and its equipment at intervals not exceeding 15 months, but at least once each calendar year.

49 C.F.R. § 192.619(a) (Item 3) — Respondent failed to operate a segment of steel or plastic pipeline at a pressure that did not exceed a maximum allowable operating pressure determined under paragraph (c), (d), or (e) of this section, or the lowest of the alternatives presented by subparts (1) through (4) of § 192.619(a).

These findings of violation will be considered prior offenses in any subsequent enforcement action taken against Respondent.
COMPLIANCE ACTIONS

Pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 60118(b) and 49 C.F.R. § 190.217, Respondent is ordered to take the actions proposed in the enclosed Notice to correct the violations. The Director may grant an extension of time to comply with any of the required items upon a written request timely submitted by the Respondent and demonstrating good cause for an extension. Upon completion of ordered actions, Respondent may request that the Director close the case. Failure to comply with this Order may result in the assessment of civil penalties under 49 C.F.R. § 190.223 or in referral to the Attorney General for appropriate relief in a district court of the United States.

The terms and conditions of this order are effective upon service in accordance with 49 C.F.R. § 190.5.

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Alan K. Mayberry
Associate Administrator
for Pipeline Safety

November 24, 2021

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Date Issued