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Pipeline and Hazardous Materials
Safety Administration

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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

October 11, 2016

The Honorable Harry K. Brower
Mayor of the North Slope Borough
North Slope Borough Energy Management
Nuiqsut Utilities Cooperative
P.O. Box 69
Barrow, AK 99723

**CPF 5-2015-0021M
Closure Letter**

Dear Mayor Brower:

Between August 26, 2015 and September 17, 2015 a representative from the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), pursuant to chapter 601 of 49 United States Code, conducted an on-site pipeline safety inspection of North Slope Borough Energy Management's procedures in Nuiqsut, Alaska. As a result of the inspection, North Slope Borough Energy Management was issued a Notice of Amendment on December 29, 2015 which proposed amendment of your procedures.

North Slope Borough Energy Management submitted its amended procedures on September 16, 2016 and September 30, 2016 (email). PHMSA 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.

Sincerely,

Chris Hoidal
Director, Western Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

cc: PHP-60 Compliance Registry
PHP-500 Dave Hassell (#149012)