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**Pipeline and
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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

January 12, 2010

Ms. Patricia Walker
Senior Vice President – Ohio & Kentucky Gas Operations
Duke Energy Corporation
139 East Fourth St.
Cincinnati, OH 45202

CPF 3-2007-5019

Dear Ms. Walker:

On February 27, 2008, the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) issued to Duke Energy Corporation a Final Order in the above-referenced case. This Order included a Compliance Order. Based on our review of the documentation you provided, it has been determined that you have complied with the terms of this Order.

Accordingly, this case is now closed and no further action is contemplated with respect to the matters involved in this case. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Ivan A. Huntoon
Director, Central Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration