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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

March 19, 2010

Mr. Brent Backes
General Vice President and General Counsel
DCP Midstream
370 17th Street, Suite 2500
Denver, Colorado 80202

CPF 3-2009-1012M

Dear Mr. Backes:

On October 16-20, 2006 and October 30-November 1, 2006, representatives 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 Duke Energy Field Services' integrity management procedures in Denver, Colorado. As a result of the inspection, DCP Midstream was issued a Notice of Amendment on July 27, 2009, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

DCP Midstream submitted its amended procedures on August 24, 2009. My 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. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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