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January 10, 2023

Mr. Shawn L. Patterson
President and Chief Executive Officer
Southern Star Central Gas Pipeline, Inc.
4700 State Route 56
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Owensboro, KY 42301

Re: CPF 3-2022-044-NOA

Dear Mr Patterson:

From October 18 to November 8, 2021, a representative from the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), pursuant to chapter 601 of 49 United States Code, conducted a remote pipeline safety inspection of Southern Star Central Gas Pipeline, Inc's (Southern Star) Control Room Management procedures in Owensboro, Kentucky. As a result of the inspection, Southern Star was issued a Notice of Amendment on April 28, 2022, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

Southern Star submitted its amended procedures on November 15, 2022. 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,

Gregory A. Ochs
Director, Central Region OPS
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration