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December 17, 2024

Mr. Karl Fails
President and Chief Executive Officer
NuStar Pipeline Operating Partnership L.P.
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RE: CPF 3-2023-005-NOPV

Dear Mr. Fails:

On July 25, 2023, the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) issued a Consent Order incorporating the terms of the Consent Agreement between the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) and NuStar Pipeline Operating Partnership, L.P. (NuStar) in the above-referenced case. This Order directed NuStar to comply with the terms of the Consent Agreement. Based on our review of the documentation provided by your staff and confirmation of payment of the civil penalty, it has been determined that NuStar has complied with the terms.

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,

GREGORY ALAN OCHS Digitally signed by GREGORY ALAN OCHS
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