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**Pipeline and Hazardous
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Administration**

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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL TO: yves.brower@bueci.org

March 24, 2025

Mr. Yves Brower
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P.O. Box 449
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**CPF 5-2023-045-NOA
Closure Letter**

Dear Mr. Brower:

From November 16 through November 18, 2022, representatives of the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), pursuant to Chapter 601 of 49 United States Code (U.S.C.), inspected Barrow Utilities and Electric Cooperative Inc's (BUECI), procedures for Maintenance and Operations in Utqiagvik (Barrow), Alaska. As a result of the inspection, BUECI was issued a Notice of Amendment (NOA) on December 27, 2023, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

BUECI submitted its amended procedures on October 23, 2024, along with a supplementary response on January 23, 2025. My staff reviewed the amended procedures, and it appears 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,

For Dustin Hubbard
Director, Western Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

cc: PHP-60 Compliance Registry
PHP-500 M. Yeager, H. Keogh (#22-257275)