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Information Officer Research and Special Programs Administration Department of Transportation Room 7128 400 Seventh Street SW Washington, DC 20590

Dear Sir or Madam:

Re: Updating NPMS System
T-4 Permit No. 03977
Hilcorp Energy Company
Sour Lake Pipeline System
Sour Lake, Texas - Hardin County

This is to advise you that Hilcorp Energy Company has abandoned the Sour Lake Pipeline System (Start N 30° 7.219 / W 94° 25.513 Stop N 30° 9.084 / W 94° 24.181) located near Sour Lake, Texas in Hardin County. Attached is a record of the pipeline's abandonment and a map of the pipeline system.

We had originally sent a letter stating abandonment of only 1,400 feet. After further investigation we found this to be in error. Please review the attached abandonment form with the updated measurement of pipeline abandoned.

We have notified in writing the Ms. Katy Arnold, Texas Railroad Commission, Office of Pipeline Safety, Permit Division (national) with this information to update their records to reflect the current status of the Sour Lake Pipeline System.

Sincerely,

Karl J. Leger

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