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# NOTICE OF PROBABLE VIOLATION and PROPOSED COMPLIANCE ORDER

#### **CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

March 5, 2007

Mr. Joe Lovan Aircraft Service International Group 3201 Aolele Street Honolulu, HI 96819

CPF 5-2007-5012

Dear Mr. Lovan:

On May 11, 2006, a representative of the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) pursuant to Chapter 601 of 49 United States Code inspected Aircraft Service International Group (ASIG), Integrity Management Program (IMP) in Honolulu, HI.

As a result of the inspection, it appears that you have committed a probable violation of the Pipeline Safety Regulations, Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations. The item inspected and the probable violation is:

- 1. §195.452 Pipeline integrity management in high consequence areas
  - (f) What are the elements of an integrity management program? An integrity management program begins with the initial framework. An operator must continually change the program to reflect operating experience, conclusions drawn from results of the integrity assessments, and other maintenance and surveillance data, and evaluation of consequences of a failure on the high consequence area. An operator must include, at minimum, each of the following elements in its written integrity management program:
  - (3) An analysis that integrates all available information about the integrity of the entire pipeline and the consequences of a failure (see paragraph (g) of this section);

Aircraft Service International Group did not complete an evaluation of risk on the facility, such as: valves and other appurtenances connected to line pipe, pumping units, fabricated assemblies associated with pumping units, metering and delivery stations and fabricated assemblies therein, and breakout tanks.

### Proposed Compliance Order

Pursuant to 49 United States Code § 60118, the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration proposes to issue a Compliance Order to Aircraft Service International Group. Please refer to the *Proposed Compliance Order* that is enclosed and made a part of this Notice.

### Response to this Notice

Enclosed as part of this Notice is a document entitled *Response Options for Pipeline Operators in Compliance Proceedings*. Please refer to this document and note the response options. Be advised that all material you submit in response to this enforcement action is subject to being made publicly available. If you believe that any portion of your responsive material qualifies for confidential treatment under 5 U.S.C. 552(b), along with the complete original document you must provide a second copy of the document with the portions you believe qualify for confidential treatment redacted and an explanation of why you believe the redacted information qualifies for confidential treatment under 5 U.S.C. 552(b). If you do not respond within 30 days of receipt of this Notice, this constitutes a waiver of your right to contest the allegations in this Notice and authorizes the Associate Administrator for Pipeline Safety to find facts as alleged in this Notice without further notice to you and to issue a Final Order.

In your correspondence on this matter, please refer to CPF 5-2007-5012 and for each document you submit, please provide a copy in electronic format whenever possible.

Sincerely

Chris Hoidal

Director, Western Region

Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

Enclosures: Proposed Compliance Order

Response Options for Pipeline Operators in Compliance Proceedings

cc: PHP-60 Compliance Registry

PHP-500 H. Nguyen (#117838)

## PROPOSED COMPLIANCE ORDER

Pursuant to 49 United States Code § 60118, the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) proposes to issue to Aircraft Service International Group a Compliance Order incorporating the following remedial requirements to ensure the compliance of Aircraft Service International Group with the pipeline safety regulations:

- 1. In regard to Item Number 1 of the Notice pertaining to your facilities. Aircraft Service International Group must perform an evaluation of risk on the facilities.
- 2. Within 60 days of issuance of the Final Order, Aircraft Service International Group must complete the above items, and submit the required documentation and procedures to the Director, Western Region, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, 12300 West Dakota Avenue, Suite 110, Lakewood, Colorado 80228.
- 3. Aircraft Service International Group shall maintain documentation of the safety improvement costs associated with fulfilling this Compliance Order and submit the total to Chris Hoidal, Director, Western Region, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration. Costs shall be reported in two categories: 1) total cost associated with preparation/revision of plans, procedures, studies and analyses, and 2) total cost associated with replacements, additions and other changes to pipeline infrastructure.