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Mr. Larry Campbell, Director Transwestern Pipeline Company Technical Operations P.O. Box 1717 Roswell, New Mexico 88202-1717

Dear Mr. Campbell,

This letter is written in response to your question as to whether Transwestern Pipeline is being required by the New Mexico Environment Department, Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau (HRMB) to provide an application for a RCRA Permit for your facility (TPC's Compressor Station No. 9). NMED has made no determination that a permit is required for this facility. NMED is requesting specific information relative to this facility to update our Resource Conservation Recovery Information System (RCRIS). All registered facilities requiring closure need to provide certain information to NMED and the EPA.

The request made by NMED was simply a request for information related to your facility which could have been provided on the Part A application form as a matter of convenience. Any form or format providing the information for your facility for NMED's data needs is acceptable.

The NMED looks forward to a continued amiable working relationship and swift resolution to the closure plan issues at your facility. Should you have questions relative to this issue, please contace me at (505) 827-4358. Should you have questions on closure issues, please contact Cornelius Amindyas or Barbara Hoditschek at (505) 827-4308. Ms. Anna Walker can be contacted at either number for information related to RCRIS.

Sincerely,

Benito J. García, Chief

Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau

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