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David Danner
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RE: *Commission Investigation in the Need to Enhance the Safety of Natural Gas Distribution Systems*, Docket No. UG-120715
Public Counsel's Third Comments

Dear Mr. Danner:

Enclosed please find Public Counsel's Third Comments in response to the Commission's Notice of Opportunity to Comment dated September 28, 2012.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure