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Re: TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, LP
Application for Presidential Permit for the Keystone XL Pipeline Project

Dear Brian:

As you know, TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, LP (Keystone) is the applicant for a Presidential Permit with respect to the Keystone XL Pipeline project. At the time Keystone filed its Presidential Permit application in September 2008, TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, LP was 50 percent owned each by TransCanada and ConocoPhillips Company. Since Q4, 2008, ConocoPhillips' interest in the limited partnership decreased from 50% to approximately 22%. In a transaction that closed on August 14, 2009, TransCanada acquired ConocoPhillips' remaining interest and now owns 100% of the limited partnership. The direct partners in TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, LP are TransCanada Keystone Pipeline GP, LLC with a 0.02% GP interest and TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, LLC with a 99.98% LP interest.

To the extent deemed necessary and appropriate, please consider this letter an amendment to the pending Presidential Permit application for the Keystone XL Pipeline project.

Very truly yours,

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REVIEW AUTHORITY: Adolph Eisner, Senior Reviewer