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PIPELINE, L.P.

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Mr. Patrick Fahn
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0408

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Dear Mr. Fahn:

Enclosed is the third annual report to present woody vegetation survival for trees and shrubs replanted under Public Service Commission order No. PU-05-185 for pipeline construction in Williams County, ND.

Replacement trees and shrubs were inspected on August 7, 2008 and September 11, 2008. The woody vegetation growth was found to be 70% and 67.5% in the areas inspected.

Please close this tree monitoring requirement under PSC order No. PU-05-185 if the woody vegetation replacement growth is acceptable. Let me know if additional work is required.

Call me at 701-575-4254 ext. 34 if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

Daniel Holli
Environmental Specialist

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**Third Annual Report on Woody Vegetation Survival
and Request to Close Tree Monitoring Requirement**

Plains Pipeline, L.P.

Tree Damage and Replacement Report for order No. PU-05-185

Paul Eldridge: (Total 150 initially planted)

105 plantings of woody vegetation were found to survive at this time.

This corresponds to a survival rate of 70%.

Tim Langwald (450 initially planted)

304 plantings of woody vegetation were found to survive at this time.

This corresponds to a survival rate of 67.5%.