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TEMPORARY VARIANCE PERMIT APPROVAL

Expires: Midnight on August 14, 2018

**Nustar Pipeline Operating Partnership L.P.
Variance Permit
Application**

Case No. WM-14-155

Issued To:

Nustar Pipeline Operating Partnership L.P.
PO Box 781609
San Antonio, TX 78278

Prover Location:

Jamestown North Terminal
3598 74th Ave SE
Jamestown ND 58401

Prover Information:

Precision Measurement Inc.
Serial Number 869-015-86-4
Capacity 12.94903

Brooks Bidirectional Small Volume Prover
Serial Number 8201-12849-1-1
Capacity 15 Gallon

Variance Permit Request To:

Use the Precision Measurement Inc. bidirectional U-type sphere prover enumerated above as a standard to certify the in-line meter (commercial measuring device) at NuStar's Jamestown North Terminal. This prover is not certified as traceable by a NIST-recognized metrology laboratory.

Use the Brooks bidirectional small volume prover enumerated above as a standard to certify Nustar's commercial measuring devices. This prover is not certified as traceable by a NIST-recognized metrology laboratory.

Temporary Variance Permit Conditions:

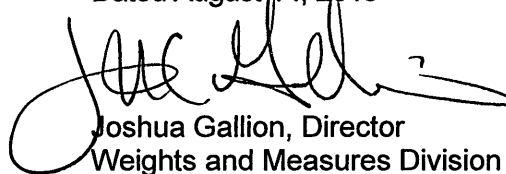
- The bidirectional U-type sphere prover and bidirectional small volume prover must be tested at least once every three years, with the first test by August 21, 2015, by a third party using the water draw method and using testing equipment that is traceable to and certified by a NIST-recognized metrology laboratory. The prover must be certified as compliant with American Petroleum Institute standards for bidirectional U-type sphere and bidirectional small volume proving systems.
- The Commission must be notified at least 10 days prior to commencement of a prover test to allow a representative of the Commission the option to witness the testing process.

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- A copy of the bidirectional U-type sphere prover metrology and bidirectional small volume prover metrology must be filed with the Commission after each recertification.
- All applicable North Dakota Laws and Rules must be followed.
- The enclosed Temporary Variance Permit must be posted near the prover in a conspicuous place.

If you have any further questions, or require additional information, please feel free to contact me at (701) 328-4020.

Dated August 14, 2015

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Joshua Gallion, Director
Weights and Measures Division



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