Mr. Allan E. Anderson, P.E. Henningson, Durham & Richardson 8404 Indian Hills Drive Omaha, Nebraska 68114

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We trust that this has answered your specific question. If we can be of further assistance, please let us know.

Sincerely,

Joseph C. Caldwell Director Office of Pipeline Safety

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8404 Indian Hills Drive Omaha, Nebraska 68114 July 5, 1972

Office of Pipeline Safety Department of Transportation Washington, D.C. 20590

Gentlemen:

Your DOT 192 requires certain forms of test records to be generated and maintained above pipeline test pressures and installation. However, there seems to be absolutely no requirements for producing or maintaining maps of gas transmission or distribution systems.

Is this correct, or did I overlook something?

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