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(All Pipeline Companies)
(Industry Associations – CEPA, CAPP, PLCAC)
(Landowners Association - CAPLA)
(Provincial Pipeline Regulators)
(Reference Organizations from Report)

Dear (Sir/Madam):

Fourth Annual Report

Focus on Safety and Environment - A Comparative Analysis of Pipeline Performance, 2000-2004

The attached report provides a detailed summary of the integrity, safety and environmental performance of the inter-provincial and international pipeline companies regulated by the National Energy Board.

Focus on Safety and Environment is the fourth in a series of annual reports intended to provide a broad understanding and awareness of the performance of liquid and gas pipeline companies regulated by the Board. The report provides a comprehensive analysis of performance utilizing several indicators in the areas of safety, integrity, environment and reportable incidents. To complete the analysis, these indicators are benchmarked against indicators of similar organizations in North America and Europe.

The Board is interested in any comments or questions you may have regarding this report. Please respond directly to the following NEB contacts:

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Yours truly,

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