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Jill K. Sieveking, Director
Office of Legislative Services
107 North Main Street, Room 109
Concord, NH 03301

**Re: Adoption of Final Rules, Final Proposal No. 2016-77
Site 102, Definitions**

Dear Ms. Sieveking:

The Site Evaluation Committee (SEC) met today in a public meeting and voted to adopt Site 102. The Joint Legislative Committee on Administrative Rules approved these rules at its meeting on July 21, 2016.

I hereby certify that the enclosed is a true copy of the rules as adopted by the SEC on August 15, 2016. It is the intention of the SEC that the enclosed rules shall become effective at 12:01 a.m., on the day after filing.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please contact us if you should have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. Honigberg".

Martin P. Honigberg
Chair
Site Evaluation Committee

Enclosures
cc: SEC Service List

Adopt Site 102.121, 102.161, and 102.221 to read as follows:

CHAPTER Site 100 ORGANIZATIONAL RULES

PART Site 102 DEFINITIONS

Site 102.121 “Blowdown event” means the automatic or manual venting of natural gas from a compressor or a section of pipeline taken off-line for maintenance or shutdown due to an emergency.

Site 102.161 “Compressor station” means a facility that mechanically re-pressurizes natural gas to keep the natural gas flowing continuously in a pipeline at a desired flow rate.

Site 102.221 “High pressure gas pipeline” means all parts of those physical facilities through which gas moves in transportation, including pipe, valves, and other appurtenance attached to pipe, compressor units, metering stations, regulator stations, delivery stations, holders, and fabricated assemblies, at a pressure greater than required to operate a distribution pipeline.

APPENDIX

Proposed Rule	Statute
Site 102.121, 102.161, 102.221	RSA 162-H:7,IV and V; RSA 162-H:10,VI; RSA 162-H:10-b,II