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May 26, 2009

Frank Ledesma, Fire Captain
County of Los Angeles Fire Department
Petroleum Chemical Unit
Fire Prevention Division
15660 Stafford Street
City of Industry, CA 91744-3921

**Re: Plains Exploration & Production Company (PXP)
Community Standards District (CSD), Section 22.44.110**

Dear Captain Ledesma,

The Baldwin Hills CSD was established and became effective November 27, 2008. PXP is writing this letter to comply with the following CSD conditions:

L.17.a *Pipelines. Within 180 days following the effective date, or at such later date as may be approved by the director for good cause shown, the operator shall comply with the pipeline requirements identified in subsection E.28.f.ii (should be E.27.f.ii).*

E.27.f.ii *All pipelines which are not enclosed within a fence shall be placed underground or covered with materials approved by the fire chief. Said covers shall be maintained in a neat, orderly and secure manner.*

All of PXP's oilfield pipelines are enclosed within a fence. The fence surrounding the property is fully compliant with Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources (DOGGR) regulations codified at California Code of Regulations Title 14, Article 3, Sections 1778 and 1779.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 323- 298-2441.

Sincerely,

Patrick L. Gorski
EH&S Advisor

Cc: Mario Gonzales, Fire Inspector

Plains Exploration & Production Company

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