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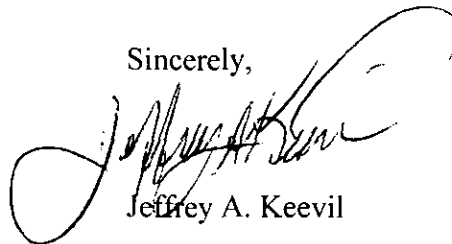
RE: Case No. GM-2001-585

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced case are an original and the appropriate number of copies of the DIRECT TESTIMONY of David J. Ries on behalf of Gateway Pipeline Company, Inc. Please note that this filing includes both non-proprietary and highly confidential versions of his testimony per the protective order issued in the case.

Copies of this filing have on this date been mailed or hand-delivered to counsel of record. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Jeffrey A. Keevil

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Enclosures  
cc: counsel of record

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