

U.S. Department of Transportation **Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration**

2012 Natural Gas State Program Evaluation

for

ARKANSAS OIL AND GAS COMMISSION

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2012 Natural Gas State Program Evaluation -- CY 2012 Natural Gas

State Agency: Arkansas		Rating:			
Agency Status:		60105(a): Yes	60106(a): No	Interstate Agent: No	
Date of Visit: 05/13/2013	- 05/17/2013				
Agency Representative:	Gary Looney, Assistant Director	& Michael Gra	y, Pipeline Prog	ram Manager	
PHMSA Representative: Patrick Gaume					
Commission Chairman to whom follow up letter is to be sent:					
Name/Title:	Chad White, Chairman				
Agency:	Arkansas Oil and Gas Commissi	on			
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INSTRUCTIONS:

Complete this evaluation in accordance with the Procedures for Evaluating State Pipeline Safety Program. The evaluation should generally reflect state program performance during CY 2012 (not the status of performance at the time of the evaluation). All items for which criteria have not been established should be answered based on the PHMSA representative's judgment. A deficiency in any one part of a multiple part question should be scored as needs improvement. Determine the answer to the question then select the appropriate point value. If a state receives less then the maximum points, include a brief explanation in the space provided for general comments/regional observations. If a question is not applicable to a state, select NA. Please ensure all responses are COMPLETE and ACCURATE, and OBJECTIVELY reflect state program performance. Increasing emphasis is being placed on performance. This evaluation together with selected factors reported in the state's annual progress report attachments provide the basis for determining the state's pipeline safety grant allocation.

Field Inspection (PART G):

The field inspection form used will allow different areas of emphasis to be considered for each question. Question 13 is provided for scoring field observation areas. In completing PART G, the PHMSA representative should include a <u>written summary</u> which thoroughly documents the inspection.

Scoring Summary

PARTS	6	Possible Points	Points Scored
А	Progress Report and Program Documentation Review	9	7
В	Program Inspection Procedures	13	13
С	Program Performance	32	32
D	Compliance Activities	15	15
Е	Incident Investigations	2	2
F	Damage Prevention	8	8
G	Field Inspections	12	12
Н	Interstate Agent State (If Applicable)	0	0
Ι	60106 Agreement State (If Applicable)	0	0
TOTA	LS	91	89
State R	lating		97.8

PAR'	Γ A - Progress Report and Program Documentation Review	Points(M	IAX)	Score
1	Accuracy of Jurisdictional Authority and Operator/Inspection Units Data - Progress Report Attachment 1 (A1a) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5		1	1
Evaluate	or Notes:			
A1.	Yes. Attachment 1 is consistent with Program records, Attachment 3 and Attachment 8	•		
2	Review of Inspection Days for accuracy - Progress Report Attachment 2 (A1b) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5		1	0
A2.	or Notes: NO, 0 of 1 pt. Program records show 43 AFOD, not the 41 days reported. Attachment ore the Evaluation was completed.	2 was co	orrected	to show '43'
3	Accuracy verification of Operators and Operators Inspection Units in State - Progres Report Attachment 3 (A1c) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	S	1	1
	or Notes: Yes. All 6 operators identified.			
4	Were all federally reportable incident reports listed and information correct? - Progre Report Attachment 4 (A1d) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	SS	1	NA
	or Notes: . NA. There have been no federally reportable incidents since AOGC became a Federal	al partner	r in 200	08.
5	Accuracy verification of Compliance Activities - Progress Report Attachment 5 (A1e Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	;)	1	0
A5.	or Notes: No. 0 of 1 pt. The final number; 'Number to be corrected?' was incorrectly shown as '0 achment 5 was corrected to show '4' before the Evaluation was completed.	'. The co	rrect nu	umber is '4'.
6	Were pipeline program files well-organized and accessible? - Progress Report Attachment 6 (A1f, A4) Yes = 2 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1		2	2
A6.	or Notes: Yes. The paper records are still the official records and they are kept in the El Dorado also available electronically.	Office. A	Almost	all of the records
7	Was employee listing and completed training accurate and complete? - Progress Rep Attachment 7 (A1g) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	ort	1	1
	or Notes:			
A7.	Yes. Attachment 7 is a direct import of TQ data & agrees with AOGC records.			
8	Verification of Part 192,193,198,199 Rules and Amendments - Progress Report Attachment 8 (A1h) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5		1	1
	or Notes: Ves. Commission General Rule D-17 (c) states that 49 CFR 190–191–192 Subnart A t	hrough S	Subpart	Ω and 199 (all as

A8. Yes. Commission General Rule D-17 (e) states that 49 CFR 190, 191, 192 Subpart A through Subpart O, and 199 (all as amended) are incorporated by reference.

9 List of Planned Performance - Did state describe accomplishments on Progress Report in 1 detail - Progress Report Attachment 10 (H1-3)
 Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5

Evaluator Notes:

A9. Yes, AOGC is in it's 6th year as a State Partner, Michael is approaching his 2nd anniversary with AOGC, (after 3 years with APSC), and is participating in NAPSR.

10 General Comments:

Info Only = No Points

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Evaluator Notes:

A10. This evaluation addresses 2012, which was the fifth year of the program partnership. TQ Training meets all Gas Standard inspection requirements for both Mike & Gary. The Program Manual is finished.

Total points scored for this section: 7 Total possible points for this section: 9

1	Standard Inspections (B1a) Yes = 2 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1	2	2
Evaluato			
B1.	Yes, AOGC Pipeline Inspection Manual, Section III. Inspection Procedures, 2nd paragraph.	Every 3	years.
2	IMP Inspections (including DIMP) (B1b) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	1	NA
Evaluato			
B2.	NA, IMP is NOT required of any Gathering line.		
3	OQ Inspections (B1c) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	1	NA
	or Notes: NA, OQ is NOT required of Type B Gathering. Type A Gathering has only a general stater hing that is generally unenforceable unless something egregious happens.	ment cor	cerning operator
4	Damage Prevention Inspections (B1d) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	1	1
Evaluato	*		
B4.	Yes, is part of the Standard Inspection.		
5	On-Site Operator Training (B1e) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	1	1
Evaluato	or Notes:	、 -	
ВЭ.	Yes, AOGC Pipeline Inspection Manual, Section VII. Informal Operator Training is part of	every In	ispection.
6	Construction Inspections (B1f)	1	1
Evaluato	Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5		
	Yes, AOGC Pipeline Inspection Manual, Section III, paragraph 4.		
7	Incident/Accident Investigations (B1g) Yes = 2 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1	2	2
F 1 .			
	or Notes: Yes, AOGC Pipeline Inspection Manual, Section III, paragraph 5.		
	Yes, AOGC Pipeline Inspection Manual, Section III, paragraph 5. Does inspection plan address inspection priorities of each operator, and if necessary each unit, based on the following elements? (B2a-d, G1,2,4)	6	6
B7.	Yes, AOGC Pipeline Inspection Manual, Section III, paragraph 5. Does inspection plan address inspection priorities of each operator, and if necessary each	6 Yes (•)	o Needs
B7.	Yes, AOGC Pipeline Inspection Manual, Section III, paragraph 5. Does inspection plan address inspection priorities of each operator, and if necessary each unit, based on the following elements? (B2a-d, G1,2,4) Yes = 6 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1-5	-	No O Needs Improvement No O Needs Improvement
B7.	 Yes, AOGC Pipeline Inspection Manual, Section III, paragraph 5. Does inspection plan address inspection priorities of each operator, and if necessary each unit, based on the following elements? (B2a-d, G1,2,4) Yes = 6 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1-5 a. Length of time since last inspection b. Operating history of operator/unit and/or location (includes leakage, incident and 	Yes •	No Needs Improvement
B7.	 Yes, AOGC Pipeline Inspection Manual, Section III, paragraph 5. Does inspection plan address inspection priorities of each operator, and if necessary each unit, based on the following elements? (B2a-d, G1,2,4) Yes = 6 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1-5 a. Length of time since last inspection b. Operating history of operator/unit and/or location (includes leakage, incident and compliance activities) 	Yes (•) Yes (•)	No Needs Improvement

f. Are inspection units broken down appropriately?

Evaluator Notes:

B8. Yes, AOGC Pipeline Inspection Manual, Section III, paragraph 3.

9 General Comments:

Info Only = No Points

Evaluator Notes:

It is AOGC goal to inspect every Operator every year, and with few exceptions that practice is achieved.

Total points scored for this section: 13 Total possible points for this section: 13

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1	Was ratio of Total Inspection person-days to total person days acceptable? (Director of State Programs may modify with just cause) Chapter 4.3 (A12) Yes = 5 No = 0	5		5
	A. Total Inspection Person Days (Attachment 2):43.00			
	B. Total Inspection Person Days Charged to the Program (220 X Inspection Person Years) (Attachment 7): 220 X 0.50 = 110.00			
	Ratio: A / B 43.00 / 110.00 = 0.39			
Evolution	If Ratio >= 0.38 Then Points = 5, If Ratio < 0.38 Then Points = 0 Points = 5			
	or Notes: YES. 43 AFOD, 0.50 Inspector-yrs, 43/0.5*220=.391, .391>.38, okay			
2	Has each inspector and program manager fulfilled the T Q Training Requirements? (See Guidelines for requirements) Chapter 4.4 (A8-A11, G19) Yes = 5 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1-4	5		5
	a. Completion of Required OQ Training before conducting inspection as lead?	Yes 🖲	No 🔿	Needs Improvement
	b. Completion of Required DIMP*/IMP Training before conducting inspection as lead? *Effective Evaluation CY2013	Yes 🖲	No 🔿	Needs Improvement
	c. Root Cause Training by at least one inspector/program manager	Yes 💿	No 🔿	Needs Improvement
	d. Note any outside training completed	Yes 🖲	No 🔿	Needs Improvement
	or Notes: Yes. Both Gary and Mike are fully qualified as NG Standard Inspectors.			_
3	Did state records and discussions with state pipeline safety program manager indicate adequate knowledge of PHMSA program and regulations? Chapter 4.1,8.1 (A5) $Yes = 2 No = 0$ Needs Improvement = 1	2		2
	or Notes:			
C3.	Yes, Both Gary & Mike are trained and knowledgeable.			
4	Did state respond to Chairman's letter on previous evaluation within 60 days and correct or address any noted deficiencies? (If necessary) Chapter 8.1 (A6-7) $Yes = 2 No = 0$ Needs Improvement = 1	2		2
	or Notes:			1
	Yes, the Chairman letter was 1/9/13, and the Chairman response was 2/25/13. All items of	concern	were add	aressea.
5	Did State hold PHMSA TQ Seminar in Past 3 Years? Chapter 8.5 (A3) Yes = 2 No = 0	2		2
C5. wer	or Notes: Yes, the seminar was co-sponsored with AR PSC & LDNR and was held in New Orleans ir e there and made presentations. AOGC is scheduled to co-host the TQ Seminars in North L in New Orleans on July 22-26, 2013.			
6	Did state inspect all types of operators and inspection units in accordance with time intervals established in written procedures? Chapter 5.1 (B3) Yes = 5 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1-4	5		5
C6 7	or Notes: Yes. Standard inspections are generally performed every year. No Operator in 2012 had an lement IM or OQ. One Operator will need to implement OQ during 2013.	establish	ned need	to

7	Did inspection form(s) cover all applicable code requirements addressed on Federal Inspection form(s)? Did State complete all applicable portions of inspection forms? Chapter 5.1 (B4-5)	2	2
F 1 /	Yes = 2 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1		
Evaluato	r Notes: Yes, use the Fed Forms.		
C7.	Tes, use the red rollins.		
8	Did the state review operator procedures for determining if exposed cast iron pipe was examined for evidence of graphitization and if necessary remedial action was taken? (NTSB) Chapter 5.1 (B7) Yes = $1 \text{ No} = 0$	1	NA
Evaluato			
C8.	NA, no cast iron pipe.		
9	Did the state review operator procedures for surveillance of cast iron pipelines, including appropriate action resulting from tracking circumferential cracking failures, study of leakage history, or other unusual operating maintenance condition? (Note: See GPTC Appendix G-18 for guidance) (NTSB) Chapter 5.1 (B8) Yes = $1 \text{ No} = 0$	1	NA
Evaluato			
C9.	NA, no cast iron pipe.		
10	Did the state review operator emergency response procedures for leaks caused by excavation damage near buildings and determine whether the procedures adequately address the possibility of multiple leaks and underground migration of gas into nearby buildings Refer to $4/12/01$ letter from PHMSA in response to NTSB recommendation P-00-20 and P-00-21? (NTSB) Chapter 5.1 (B9) Yes = 1 No = 0	1	NA
Evaluato			
	. NA, no jurisdictional leaks from 2008 to year to date 2013. No jurisdictional distribution p	ipe.	
11	Did the state review operator records of previous accidents and failures including reported third party damage and leak response to ensure appropriate operator response as required by 192.617? Chapter 5.1 (B10,E5) Yes = $1 \text{ No} = 0$	1	NA
Evaluato			
Ope	. NA, none, this is a new program, started in 2008. There were no reportable incidents in 200 rators have had any line hits due to excavation for their jurisdictional pipe. This question has addendum sheet effective 7/13/10.		
12	Has the state reviewed Operator Annual reports, along with Incident/Accident reports, for accuracy and analyzed data for trends and operator issues? Data Initiative (G6-9,G16) $Yes = 2 No = 0$ Needs Improvement = 1	2	2
addi valu becc	-	possible all gas ga	errors. There is no thering lines
13	Did state input all applicable OQ, IMP inspection results into federal database in a timely manner? This includes replies to Operator notifications into IMDB database. Chapter 5.1 (G10-12) Yes = $2 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = 1$	2	NA
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14	Has state confirmed intrastate transmission operators have submitted information into NPMS database along with changes made after original submission? (G14) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	1	NA
C14	 Provide a recessing overlease in the providence of the pr	This quest	tion will be NA
15	Is the state verifying operators are conducting drug and alcohol tests as required by regulations? This should include verifying positive tests are responded to in accordance with program. 49 CFR 199 (I1-3) Yes = $2 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = 1$	2	2
Evaluate	or Notes:		
C15	5. Yes. AOGC added this question to their Standard Inspection addendum sheet effective 7/1	3/10.	
16	Is state verifying operators OQ programs are up to date? This should include verification of any plan updates and that persons performing covered tasks (including contractors) are properly qualified and requalified at intervals determined in the operators plan. 49 CFR 192 Part N (I4-7) Yes = $2 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = 1$	2	NA
	or Notes: 5. NA, not part of type B gathering or of type A gathering in Class 2. Will include when Typ	e A in a C	lass 3 or 4 location
	/or Transmission lines are confirmed.		1055 5 61 4 10 c 01011
17	Is state verifying operator's gas transmission integrity management programs (IMP) are up to date? This should include a previous review of IMP plan, along with monitoring progress on operator tests and remedial actions. In addition, the review should take in to account program review and updates of operators plan(s). 49 CFR 192 Subpart 0 (I8-12) Yes = 2 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1	2	NA
Evaluato	Yes = 2 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1 or Notes:		
	7. NA, not part of type A or B gathering. Will include when Transmission lines are confirmed	ed.	
18	Is state verifying operator's gas distribution integrity management Programs (DIMP)? This should include a review of DIMP plans, along with monitoring progress. In addition, the review should take in to account program review and updates of operators plan(s). 49 CFR 192 Subpart P DIMP ? First round of program inspections should be complete by December 2014	2	NA
	Yes = 2 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1 or Notes: B. NA, AOGC is not jurisdictional to any distribution system, and is highly unlikely to becom	e iurisdic	tional to any
	ribution system.	le jurisaie	cionar to any
19	Is state verifying operators Public Awareness programs are up to date and being followed. State should also verify operators have evaluated Public Awareness programs for effectiveness as described in RP1162. 49 CFR 192.616 (I13-16) PAPEI Effectiveness Inspections should be complete by December 2013	2	2
	Yes = 2 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1 or Notes: D. Yes, all six operators have Public Awareness Plans that were developed per API 1162. Mo	ost operato	ors have been

required to make some amendments. All seven Public Awareness Plans were reviewed in 2008 or 2009. The plans were reviewed relative to API 1162 during Standard inspections; and also during some Operational Records and Field inspections.

PAPE Inspections were started in 2012. In 2008 and 2009 most of the operators were developing their Damage Prevention Programs for the first time. They were inspected per API 1162 and were directed to come into compliance with API 1162. They are well aware of the requirement for continuous review and revision.

20 Does the state have a mechanism for communicating with stakeholders - other than state 1 1 pipeline safety seminar? (This should include making enforcement cases available to public). (G20-21) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5

Evaluator Notes:

C20. Yes, AOGC participates in the AR and LA Pipeline Safety Seminars; and continues to push Damage Prevention and One-call in almost every contact with E&P operators. AOGC issued and wore approved work shirts that have One-Call info and the 811 logo. All Hearings are public information and on the web site. Notices are public information too, but they have to be requested.

21	Did state execute appropriate follow-up actions to Safety Related Condition (SRC) Reports? Chapter 6.3 (B6) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	1	NA	
Evaluato	*			
	. NA, none from 2008 to the present.			
22	Did the State ask Operators to identify any plastic pipe and components that has shown a record of defects/leaks and what those operators are doing to mitigate the safety concerns? (G13) Yes = $1 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = .5$	a 1	1	
Evaluato				
C22	. Yes. Operators are asked about plastic pipe during visits to determine the existence of re- ections. If any plastic pipe is identified then they are asked about the quality, condition, ar		-	
23	Did the state participate in/respond to surveys or information requests from NAPSR or PHMSA? (H4) Yes = $1 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = .5$	1	1	
Evaluato				
	. Yes, AOGC has responded to all known requests.			
24	General Comments: Info Only = No Points	Info Only	nfo Only	

Evaluator Notes:

C24 2012 was the 5th year of the AOGC/PHMSA partnership. This partnership is unique in that this partnership focuses on E&P operators with regulated gathering lines.

Total points scored for this section: 32 Total possible points for this section: 32



1	Does the state have written procedures to identify steps to be taken from the discovery to resolution of a probable violation? Chapter 5.1 (B12-14, B16, B1h) Yes = 4 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1-3	4		4
	a. Procedures to notify an operator (company officer) when a noncompliance is identified	Yes 🖲	No 🔿	Needs Improvement
F 1 (b. Procedures to routinely review progress of compliance actions to prevent delays or breakdowns	Yes 🖲	No 🔿	Needs Improvement
the proc	Yes. AOGC has statutes, rules and procedures. They send notices to the regulated entity's r AOGC Form 1 Organization Report and also to Corporate Officers per PHMSA Guidelines. cedures and Commission rules. See AOGC Rule A-5, & also A-2 & A-3. File review shows a procedures and Commission rules.	AOGC	has inte	ernal
2	Did the state follow compliance procedures (from discovery to resolution) and adequately document all probable violations, including what resolution or further course of action is needed to gain compliance? Chapter 5.1 (B11,B18,B19) Yes = $4 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = 1-3$	4		4
	a. Were compliance actions sent to company officer or manager/board member if municipal/government system?	Yes 💽	No 🔿	Needs Improvement
	b. Were probable violations documented?	Yes 💿	No 🔿	Needs Improvement
	c. Were probable violations resolved?	Yes 💿	No 🔿	Needs Improvement
	d. Was the progress of probable violations routinely reviewed?	Yes 💿	No 🔿	Needs Improvement
3 Evaluato		2		2
	Yes, the inspection results and the notification letters are in agreement. All inspection Unsa uded in the notification letters.	tisfactor	y finding	gs are
4	Did compliance actions give reasonable due process to all parties? Including "show cause" hearing if necessary. (B17, B20) Yes = 2 No = 0	2		2
	or Notes: Yes, Any penalty requires a Hearing. AOGC has not needed to demand a show cause hearing jurisdictional pipeline. The procedures and program are in place. See AOGC Rules A-5, A	-	-	tor relative
5	Is the program manager familiar with state process for imposing civil penalties? Were civil penalties considered for repeat violations (with severity consideration) or violations resulting in incidents/accidents? (describe any actions taken) (B27) Yes = $2 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = 1$	2		2
	or Notes:			
D5.	Yes. AOGC has a well-established procedure for issuing fines, and issued a \$10,000 fine in	2011.		
6	Can the State demonstrate it is using their enforcement fining authority for pipeline safety violations? Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	1		1
	or Notes: Yes, The AOGC has issued fines of \$6000 and \$10,000 for violations of Part 192. See AO	GC Rule	NS 4-5 A	-2 & A-3
D0.	103, the resolution has issued times of populo and provou for violations of rate 172. See AU		ы п- э, Р	⊾, œ л-J.

7 General Comments:

Info Only = No Points

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Evaluator Notes:

D7. The AOGC has authority to issue advisory notices, notices of probable violations, corrective action orders, consent agreement orders, and to issue fines. See AOGC Rules A-5, A-2, & A-3.

Total points scored for this section: 15

Total possible points for this section: 15

Accident notifications received? Chapter 6 (A2,D1-3) Yes = $2 \text{ No} = 0$ Needs Improvement = 1			
a. Acknowledgement of MOU between NTSB and PHMSA (Appendix D)	Yes 🖲	No O Nee Imp	rovement
b. Acknowledgement of Federal/State Cooperation in case of incident/accident (Appendix E)	Yes 💿	Nee Nee	
 Evaluator Notes: E1. Yes. The incident regulations are created and the internal program is in place. There have be since AOGC became a State Partner (2008-5/2013). Operators are told often of their responsibil discussed chapter 6.1 of the State Guidelines. Appendix D (MOU between NTSB & PHMSA) Bunderstood. 	lity to re	port incidents	s. We
2 If onsite investigation was not made, did state obtain sufficient information from the operator and/or by other means to determine the facts to support the decision to not go on-site? Chapter 6 (D4) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	1	NA	
Evaluator Notes: E2. NA, No incidents. Plan to do on-site investigations.			
E2. NA, No incidents. Plan to do on-site investigations.			
 Were all incidents investigated, thoroughly documented, and with conclusions and recommendations? (D5) Yes = 3 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1-2 	3	NA	
a. Observations and document review	Yes 💿	No O Imp	rovement
b. Contributing Factors	Yes 💽	Nee	rovement
c. Recommendations to prevent recurrences when appropriate	Yes 💿	Nee Nee	rovement
Evaluator Notes:		Imp	rovement
E3. NA, No incidents. They will use Fed Forms and follow Fed guidelines.			
 Did the state initiate compliance action for violations found during any incident/accident investigation? (D6) Yes = 1 No = 0 	1	NA	
Evaluator Notes:			
E4. NA, No incidents.			
5 Did the state assist region office by taking appropriate follow-up actions related to the operator incident reports to ensure accuracy and final report has been received by PHMSA? (validate report data from operators concerning incidents/accidents and investigate discrepancies) Chapter 6 (D7) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	1	NA	
Evaluator Notes:			
E5. NA, No incidents.			
6 Does state share lessons learned from incidents/accidents? (sharing information, such as: at NAPSR Region meetings, state seminars, etc) (G15) Yes = 1 No = 0	1	NA	
Evaluator Notes:	nad		
E6. NA, There have been no jurisdictional incidents. They have full plans to share lessons learn	neu.		

General Comments: Info Only = No Points Info OnlyInfo Only

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Evaluator Notes:

E7. AOGC is happy to observe that there have been no jurisdictional incidents since they have become a state partner. They are working to keep the trend continuing.

Total points scored for this section: 2 Total possible points for this section: 2



DUNS: NA 2012 Natural Gas State Program Evaluation

1	Has the state reviewed directional drilling/boring procedures of each pipeline operator or its contractor to determine if they include actions to protect their facilities from the dangers posed by drilling and other trench less technologies? NTSB (E1)	2	2
Evalua	Yes = 2 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1 tor Notes:		
	. Yes, and it is on the Standard Inspection addendum sheet.		
1.1	. Tes, and it is on the Standard Inspection addendum sheet.		
2	Did the state inspector check to assure the pipeline operator is following its written procedures pertaining to notification of excavation, marking, positive response and the availability and use of the one call system? (E2) Yes = $2 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = 1$	2	2
Evalua	tor Notes:		
F2	2. Yes, it is in the Std Insp Form, under Damage Prevention. PAPEI were started in 2012.		
3	Did the state encourage and promote practices for reducing damages to all underground facilities to its regulated companies? (i.e. such as promoting/adopting the CGA Best Practices encouraging adoption of the 9 Elements, etc.) (E3) Yes = $2 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = 1$	2	2
Evalua	tor Notes:		
an ef en of	B. Yes, AOGC has a One-Call link on its web site. Damage Prevention is addressed in the every d AOGC co-sponsors the seminars with APSC. It is reviewed during every Standard Inspection forts to establish an Arkansas CGA Regional Partnership. Specifically AOGC has supported Or couraging all E&P operators to become One-Call members. AOGC has made One-Call members any natural gas line (including flow-lines, gathering lines, and other) that is within any city lim at enforcement has not been effectively addressed for excavators who violate the One-Call Rule	n. In '08 AOG ne-Call efforts ership required its. They also	C supported s by d for operators
4	Has the agency or another organization within the state collected data and evaluated trends on the number of pipeline damages per 1,000 locate requests? (This can include DIRT and other data shared and reviewed by the pipeline safety program) (E4,G5) $Yes = 2 No = 0$ Needs Improvement = 1	2	2
F2	tor Notes: A. Yes, ARKUPS, the pipe locating service of AR One-Call, tracks the number of locates per data received applicability to use DIRT at this time. If there is ever a line hit this question will be re-		s no
5	Info Only = No Points	nfo OnlyInfo (Only
F5 Pr	tor Notes: 5. AOGC is committed to safe pipe and damage prevention. AOGC participates within Arkansa ogram (ARPP) by participating in meetings and other public outreach efforts. All 6 AOGC Part embers of ARPP in addition to several other E&P operators throughout the State.		

Total points scored for this section: 8 Total possible points for this section: 8

1	Operator, Inspector, Location, Date and PHMSA Representative Info Only = No Points	Info OnlyInfo	Only
	Name of Operator Inspected: BHP Billiton Petroleum (Arkansas) Inc, OPID 32649		
	Name of State Inspector(s) Observed: Michael Gray		
	Location of Inspection: the Shirley gas gathering system, Van Buren Co., AR		
	Date of Inspection: 5/13-16/2013		
Gl	Name of PHMSA Representative: Patrick Gaume, State Liaison or Notes: . BHP Billiton Petroleum (Arkansas) Inc, OPID 32649, the Shirley gas gathering system, Va ay, Pipeline Program Manager, AOGC; 5/13-16/2013; Patrick Gaume, State Liaison.	n Buren Co., .	AR; Michael
2	Was the operator or operator's representative notified and/or given the opportunity to be present during inspection? (F2) Yes = $1 \text{ No} = 0$	1	1
	or Notes:		
G2	. Yes, and three BHP personnel participated in the inspection.		
3	Did the inspector use an appropriate inspection form/checklist and was the form/checklist used as a guide for the inspection? (New regulations shall be incorporated) (F3) Yes = $2 \text{ No} = 0$ Needs Improvement = 1	2	2
	or Notes:		
G3	. Yes, the Federal Form plus the AR addendum sheet were used.		
4 Evaluat	Did the inspector thoroughly document results of the inspection? (F4) Yes = 2 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1 or Notes:	2	2
	. Yes, for the Field portion which is what I Evaluated.		
5	Did the inspector check to see if the operator had necessary equipment during inspection to conduct tasks viewed? (Maps,pyrometer,soap spray,CGI,etc.) (F5) $Yes = 1 No = 0$	1	1
	or Notes:		
G5	. Yes, hand tools, keys, half cell & multi-meter, man lift equipment,		
6	Did the inspector adequately review the following during the field portion of the state evaluation? (check all that apply on list) (F7) Yes = $2 \text{ No} = 0$ Needs Improvement = 1	2	2
	a. Procedures		
	b. Records	\boxtimes	
	c. Field Activities	\boxtimes	
- ·	d. Other (please comment)		
	or Notes:		
G6	. Yes, for the Field Inspection.		

7	Did the inspector have adequate knowledge of the pipeline safety program and regulations? (Evaluator will document reasons if unacceptable) (F8) Yes = 2 No = 0 Needs Improvement = 1	2	2	
Evaluat	or Notes:			
G7.	Yes, Michael is very capable, is fully qualified, and has many years of experience in the ind	ustry.		
8	Did the inspector conduct an exit interview? (If inspection is not totally complete the interview should be based on areas covered during time of field evaluation) (F9) $Yes = 1 No = 0$	1	1	
Evaluate	or Notes:			
	Yes, it was noted that there had been water erosion under a security fence that would need c s in very good shape.	correction,	everything else	
9	During the exit interview, did the inspector identify probable violations found during the inspections? (if applicable) (F10) Yes = 1 No = 0	1	1	
Evaluat	or Notes:			
	Yes, it was noted that there had been water erosion under a security fence that would need cos in very good shape.	orrection, e	everything else	

10	of field of States - (Comments: What did the inspector observe in the field? (Narrative description observations and how inspector performed) Best Practices to Share with Other (Field - could be from operator visited or state inspector practices) Other. = No Points	Info OnlyInfo Only
	a.	Abandonment	
	b.	Abnormal Operations	
	c.	Break-Out Tanks	
	d.	Compressor or Pump Stations	\boxtimes
	e.	Change in Class Location	\boxtimes
	f.	Casings	
	g.	Cathodic Protection	\boxtimes
	h.	Cast-iron Replacement	
	i.	Damage Prevention	\boxtimes
	j.	Deactivation	
	k.	Emergency Procedures	\boxtimes
	1.	Inspection of Right-of-Way	\boxtimes
	m.	Line Markers	\boxtimes
	n.	Liaison with Public Officials	
	0.	Leak Surveys	
	p.	MOP	
	q.	MAOP	\boxtimes
	r.	Moving Pipe	
	s.	New Construction	
	t.	Navigable Waterway Crossings	
	u.	Odorization	
	v.	Overpressure Safety Devices	\boxtimes
	W.	Plastic Pipe Installation	
	х.	Public Education	
	у.	Purging	
	Z.	Prevention of Accidental Ignition	
	A.	Repairs	
	В.	Signs	\boxtimes
	C.	Tapping	

D.	Valve Maintenance	\boxtimes
E.	Vault Maintenance	
F.	Welding	
G.	OQ - Operator Qualification	
H.	Compliance Follow-up	
I.	Atmospheric Corrosion	\boxtimes
J.	Other	
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Evaluator Notes:

G10. Fencing, locks, signs, markers, ROW, air-soil interface, rectifier, pressure relief valve, pig launcher & receiver assy,s, flanges, threads, bolts, plugs, atmospheric corrosion, CP, evidence of soil erosion, water bars, silt fences, rip rap, valves and valve actuation, pressure readings.

Total points scored for this section: 12 Total possible points for this section: 12



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Total points scored for this section: 0 Total possible points for this section: 0

PART	I - 60106 Agreement State (If Applicable) Poi	nts(MAX)	Score
1	Did the state use the current federal inspection form(s)? (B21)	1	NA
Englished	Yes = $1 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = .5$		
Evaluator			
1.1-/,	NA. Not a 60106 State Program Partner.		
2	Are results documented demonstrating inspection units were reviewed in accordance wi state inspection plan? (B22) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	th 1	NA
Evaluator			
	NA. Not a 60106 State Program Partner.		
3	Were any probable violations identified by state referred to PHMSA for compliance? (NOTE: PHMSA representative has discretion to delete question or adjust points, as appropriate, based on number of probable violations; any change requires written explanation.) (B23) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = $.5$	1	NA
Evaluator	Notes:		
I.1 - 7,	NA. Not a 60106 State Program Partner.		
4	Did the state immediately report to PHMSA conditions which may pose an imminent safety hazard to the public or to the environment? (B24) Yes = $1 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = .5$	1	NA
Evaluator			
I.1 - 7,	NA. Not a 60106 State Program Partner.		
5	Did the state give written notice to PHMSA within 60 days of all probable violations found? (B25) Yes = 1 No = 0 Needs Improvement = .5	1	NA
Evaluator			
I.1-7,	NA. Not a 60106 State Program Partner.		
6	Did the state initially submit adequate documentation to support compliance action by PHMSA on probable violations? (B26) Yes = $1 \text{ No} = 0 \text{ Needs Improvement} = .5$	1	NA
Evaluator			
I.1 - 7,	NA. Not a 60106 State Program Partner.		
7	General Comments:	Info OnlyIr	nfo Only
	Info Only = No Points	2	2
Evaluator			
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Total points scored for this section: 0

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