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September 24, 2018

Dr. James R. Scanlon, Superintendent West Chester Area School District 829 Paoli Pike West Chester, Pennsylvania 19380

RE: Mariner II Pipeline Project

Dear Dr. Scanlon:

Thank you for your letter dated September 17, 2018, on behalf of the West Chester Area School District regarding the Mariner II Pipeline located in Chester County.

Currently there are several contested proceedings pending before the Commission regarding the Mariner Pipelines. Therefore, the Chairman, Commissioners, and staff are prohibited from engaging in any ex parte communications under Section 334(c) of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Code with parties to those proceedings or with other organizations, government entities, and citizens with concerns about the Mariner Pipelines.

However, since this matter is the subject of an ongoing investigation by the Commission's prosecutorial arm, the Bureau of Investigation and Enforcement, I am forwarding your letters to the Chief Prosecutor of the Commission and the Bureau's Division of Gas Safety who have been responsible for investigating the various allegations against Sunoco Pipeline, LP, its parent company, Energy Transfer Partners, and the Mariner Pipeline projects.

Thank you again for your interest in this matter.

Sincerely,

Secretary of the Commission

CC: Richard A. Kanaskie, PUC Chief Prosecutor