



# National Transportation Safety Board

Washington, D.C. 20594

In the Matter of the National Transportation Safety Board Investigation of the Pipeline Accident Occurring in Bellingham, Washington, on June 10, 1999.

## COMPULSION ORDER

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board:

1. That Alfred White has been called to testify or provide other information in this matter;
2. That Alfred White has refused or is likely to refuse to testify or provide other information, on the basis of his privilege against self-incrimination;
3. That in the judgment of the Chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board, the testimony or other information from Alfred White may be necessary to the public interest; and
4. That this order has been issued with the approval of the Attorney General or her designated representative, pursuant to 18 USC Section 6003 and 28 CFR Section 0.175.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, pursuant to 18 USC Section 6002 and 6004, that Alfred White appear and give testimony or provide other information which he has refused or is likely to refuse to provide or give on the basis of his privilege against self-incrimination as to all matters about which he may be questioned in this matter.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that in accordance with the provisions of 18 USC Section 6002, Alfred White shall forever be immune from the use of such testimony or information or any information directly or indirectly derived from such testimony against him in any prosecution, penalty or forfeiture, either State or Federal or otherwise; but the witness shall not be exempt from prosecution for perjury, giving a false statement or contempt committed while giving testimony or producing evidence under this order.

Dated this 12th day of September, 2000.


  
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Jim Hall  
Chairman

Exhibit White #1