

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY)	REQUEST FOR IMPOSITION OF
COMMISSION STAFF FOR APPROVAL)	PENALTY
OF AN AGREED UPON PENALTY FOR)	
PIPELINE SAFETY VIOLATION BY)	PS26-002
CHEVRON FULL CIRCLE RNG LLC)	

Pursuant to an inspection conducted by Pipeline Safety Staff (Staff) on October 14-December 10, 2025, a violation of 49 CFR §192.731 by Chevron Full Circle RNG LLC (Chevron) was noted. Staff has discussed the matter with Chevron, and it is Staff's understanding that Chevron does not object to Staff's request, therefore, Staff files this docket as a Request for Imposition of Penalty, rather than a formal Complaint.

Staff calculated the penalty amounts pursuant to the factors listed in SDCL 49-34B-12. The attached Notice of Probable Violation and Penalty Calculation Template provides details regarding the violation and recommendation. (See Exhibit 1 and Exhibit 3).

Conclusion

For the above-mentioned reasons, as well as those detailed in Exhibit 1 and Exhibit 3, Staff respectfully requests the Commission approve a penalty totaling \$27,912.50.

Dated this 8th day of September, 2026.



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