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SUBJECT: Excess Pipe Valves for Haines-Fairbanks POL Line

TO: Division Engineer  
North Pacific Division  
Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army  
Portland 5, Oregon

1. Large quantities of pipe valves of varying sizes and pressure capacities are excess to construction requirements and now in contractor inventory at Kankakee, Badger, Sunflower, and Indiana Ordnance Plants. It is desired that the District Engineer, Alaska, obtain through the Division Engineers, Great Lakes Division, Missouri River Division, and Ohio River Division, any valves which can be provided from these excesses and which will meet requirements on the Alaska pipe line. Special efforts should be directed to this end, including, if necessary, the use of valves possessing design characteristics superior to the minimum which would otherwise meet requirements.

2. The District Engineer, Alaska, will furnish valves thus obtained to the pipe line contractor as Government furnished property and negotiate equitable adjustments in the contract. In negotiating contract adjustments, consideration will be given to any savings in time as well as effort and expense which would otherwise devolve upon the pipe line contractor if procurement had been made from commercial sources.

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