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**CPF 1-2012-5010**

Dear Mr. Ostach:

On October 17, 2012, the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), Office, Office of Pipeline Safety (OPS), issued to Buckeye Partners, L.P. (Buckeye) a Final Order in the above-referenced case. This Order included a Compliance Order and Civil Penalty assessment.

We have received your letter dated January 18, 2013, wherein you summarized the actions taken to comply with this Order, along with the documents that were enclosed with it. Based on our review of the documents that you had provided and confirmation of payment of the civil penalty, which we received on July 12, 2012, it has been determined that you have complied with the terms of this Order.

Accordingly, this case is now closed and no further action is contemplated with respect to the matters involved in this case.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Byron Coy, PE  
Director, Eastern Region  
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration