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Mr. Byron Coy
Director, Eastern Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration
U. S. Department of Transportation
820 Bear Tavern Road, Suite 103
West Trenton, NJ 08628

RE: CPF 1-2014-5002 – Notice of Probable Violation
Control Room Management Plan

Dear Mr. Coy:

Upon review of the referenced Notice of Proposed Violation (NOPV) received on April 3, 2014 from the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration relating to the 2012 Control Room Management (CRM) Inspection, Buckeye Partners, L.P. (Buckeye) does not contest this NOPV.

Buckeye believes it has addressed the CRM procedural issues highlighted in the NOPV and will submit the procedural changes and a list of safety-related points for your review and approval within 60 days of receipt of the Final Order. If you have any questions, or need additional information, please feel free to contact myself or Claudia Pankowski, Director, Regulatory Compliance at 610-904-4113.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Thomas S. Collier". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being the most prominent.

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Buckeye Partners, L.P.

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