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Safety Administration**

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**EXPRESS OVERNIGHT DELIVERY**

November 10, 2010

Mr. Jerry J. Ashcroft III  
Vice President, Field Operations  
Buckeye Partners, L.P.  
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Breinigsville, PA 18031

**CPF 1-2009-5001M**

Dear Mr. Ashcroft:

During May and June of 2008, representatives from the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) and the State of New York Department of Public Safety, pursuant to Chapter 601 of 49 United States Code, conducted an on-site pipeline safety inspection of Buckeye Partners, L.P.'s procedures in Breinigsville, PA. As a result of the inspection, Buckeye Partners, L.P. was issued a Notice of Amendment on May 6, 2009, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

Buckeye Partners, L.P. completed its submittal of the amended procedures on August 30, 2010. My staff reviewed the amended procedures, and it appears that the inadequacies outlined in this Notice of Amendment have been corrected.

This letter is to inform you no further action is necessary and this case is now closed. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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

cc: New York Public Service Commission