April 21, 2014

Thomas Scott Collier
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Dear Mr. Collier:

On May 21, 2010, pursuant to Chapter 601 of 49 United States Code, a representative of the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), Office of Pipeline Safety (OPS), initiated an investigation of an accident that occurred on May 20, 2010, along Buckeye Partners, L.P.’s pipeline, designated as Line LZ601XX (Line LZ601XX or Pipeline), in Linden, New Jersey. The accident involved a release of refined petroleum through a pinhole leak. As a result of the OPS investigation, the Associate Administrator for Pipeline Safety issued to Respondent, by letter dated February 4, 2014, a Final Order which included a Civil Penalty and Compliance Order.

Based on our review of the documentation submitted by Buckeye on April 4, 2014 and confirmation of payment of the Civil Penalty, it has been determined that you have complied with the terms of this Order.

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

Sincerely,

[Signature]

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