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Todd Russo
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RE: CPF 1-2026-051-NOA

Dear Mr. Russo:

From March 17 through November 13, 2025, representatives of the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), Office of Pipeline Safety (OPS), Eastern Region, pursuant to Chapter 601 of Title 49 United States Code (U.S.C.), conducted an integrated inspection of Buckeye Partners, LP's (Buckeye) plans and procedures for maintenance and normal operations in Allentown, Pennsylvania. As a result of the inspection, PHMSA issued a Notice of Amendment on May 4, 2026, which proposed amendments to Buckeye's procedures.

Buckeye submitted its amended procedures on May 29, 2026. 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,

Robert Burrough
Director, Eastern Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

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