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**Pipeline and
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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

November 18, 2016

Mr. Tim Felt
President & Chief Executive Officer
Colonial Pipeline Company
1185 Sanctuary Parkway, Suite 100
Alpharetta, GA 30009-4765

Re: CPF No. 2-2016-5005H

Dear Mr. Felt:

On October 13, 2016, the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), Office of Pipeline Safety (OPS), issued an Amended Corrective Action Order (CAO) to Colonial Pipeline Company (Colonial), relating to a failure on the company's hazardous liquid pipeline system. On September 9, 2016, a reportable accident occurred on Colonial's Line #1, in Shelby County, Alabama, approximately three miles from Pelham, Alabama (Failure). The Failure occurred on a section of Line 1 that runs from Collins, Mississippi, to Pelham Station in Pelham, Alabama. The Amended CAO provided updated findings and revised the "Required Corrective Actions" of the original CAO, dated September 16, 2016.

As you know, Item 1 of the Required Corrective Actions requires that Colonial submit for approval the *Restart Plan* prior to removal of the temporary bypass and resuming operation of the *Isolated Segment*. PHMSA Southern Region received the final *Restart Plan* in electronic format on November 15, 2016.

This letter serves as approval of the submitted *Restart Plan*. If you have any questions concerning this letter or any other matter regarding the Amended CAO, please feel free to contact me at 404-832-1150.

Sincerely,

James A. Urisko
Director, Office of Pipeline Safety
PHMSA Southern Region