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CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

August 11, 2016

Mr. Gary Buchler
Vice President, Operations and Engineering
Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, LLC
1001 Louisiana Street
Houston, TX 77002

CPF 4-2015-1009H

Dear Mr. Buchler:

On August 3, 2015, a failure occurred on TGP's Line 400-1 approximately 1.5 miles from the City of Falfurrias, Texas. The incident was reported to the National Response Center (NRC Report # 1124690) on August 3, 2015 at approximately 9:49 p.m. CST.

PHMSA issued the Corrective Action Order (CAO) 4-2015-1009H to Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company (TGP) on August 6, 2015 requiring a pressure restriction on the affected segment, development of a remedial work plan and mitigative actions necessary for the continued safe operation of the pipeline.

Based on our review of the documentation you provided, it has been determined that you have complied with the terms of this Order.

Accordingly, this case is now closed and no further action is contemplated with respect to the matters involved in this case. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

R. M. Seeley
Director, Southwest Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration