

Roesmary Chiavetta , Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street 2nd Floor
Harrisburg Pa. 17105-3265

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Dear Secretary Chiavetta ,

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As a resident of Pennsylvania I do not support the Reversal of the Laurel Pipeline owned by Buckeye Partners.

The Refineries in southeast Pennsylvania have been using the Laurel pipeline since construction and operation was granted by the PUC of Penna. since 1957.

If Buckeye Partners were granted the right to reverse the Pittsburgh/ Altoona section it would just be a matter of time before the entire Laurel Line will be Reversed.

A partial or complete Reversal will cut off access for the two remaining major Refineries in Southeast Pennsylvania to send there products westward.

Midwest Refiners already have access to the Pittsburgh/ Western Pa. market.

Western Pa. benefits from a number of refined product Sources provided by East Coast and Midwestern Refineries.

To allow Buckeye to Reverse Flow on any part of the Laurel Pipeline will put Thousands of Jobs in Trainer, Delaware County and Philadelphia Pa. in serious Jeopardy.

Pennsylvania can not afford to have two major Refinery's possibly shutdown by allowing Buckeye Partners to reverse the flow of the Laurel Pipeline.

Please take every action at your disposal to Reject the Application for Reversal of the Laurel Pipeline.

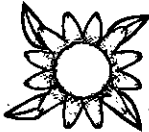
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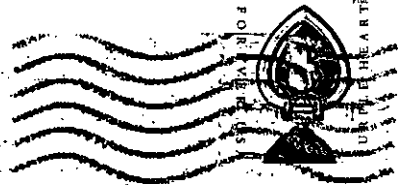
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