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Re: Petition to Reconsider ASTM D2513 Plastic Pipe Petition
PHMSA-2010-0026, RIN 2137-AE59

Dear Mr. Wiese and Ms. Sutherland:

Please find enclosed AGA's Petition to Reconsider the ASTM D2513 plastic pipe petition. AGA believes an informal hearing to discuss the petition for reconsideration is warranted to decide how to quickly update the obsolete standards in PHMSA regulations.

If you have questions or need additional information, please feel free to contact me at 202-824-7339.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Philip Bennett". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Philip Bennett
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