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This is latest info we received yesterday. Becca - any other updates?

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As mentioned to you briefly yesterday, the AL pipeline that was damaged is starting to cause gasoline supply issues in the southeast. While the main issue should be resolved over the weekend, there may be a reduced supply for the next two or three weeks. Currently, industry believes that the Hours of Service waiver (issued yesterday) is enough to minimize impacts to customers by increasing the number of deliveries by truck.

Dukes Scott reports that there should be no significant impact to gasoline supply in South Carolina. The price of gas may increase slightly due to increased transportation costs. His major concern is not to alarm the public or create a panic that could then actually affect the supply--i.e. If people buy normally, then there should be no issues.

We advise to rely on the current Executive Order issued for GA's emergency and not issue an order specifically for SC. The effect of either order is the same: Hours of Service requirements are waived for all gasoline and fuel truckers in SC. If you have any other questions, please let us know.

Additional updates may be necessary if the situation changes.