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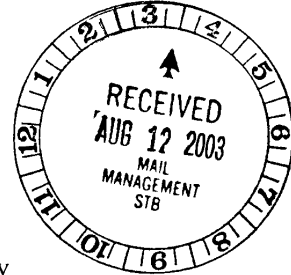
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Re: STB Docket No. 42079
Ag Processing Inc v. Norfolk Southern Railway Company

Dear Secretary Williams:

On July 11, 2003, we advised you that, as a result of discussions between Norfolk Southern Railway ("NS") and National Grain and Feed Association (of which Ag Processing is a member), it appeared possible that consideration is being given by NS to certain actions that could moot the issues in this proceeding, in whole or in part.

So far as Ag Processing is aware, NS is continuing to give consideration to those actions. Accordingly, Ag Processing hereby extends its request that the Board take no further action in this case at this time. Ag Processing will undertake to advise the Board within the next four weeks regarding any perceived need for further proceedings or with respect to dismissal of the complaint.

Sincerely,

Andrew P. Goldstein
Ag Processing Inc

cc: Counsel for Norfolk Southern Railway