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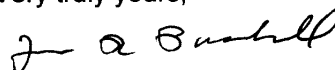
Mr. Vernon A. Williams, Secretary  
Surface Transportation Board  
1925 K Street, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20423-0001

Re: Docket No. AB-290 (Sub-No. 247X), Norfolk Southern Railway Company –  
Abandonment Exemption – in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Williams:

This is to certify that I have served upon Mr. Dan Ruitter, AVP Refined Oils, Cargill, Inc. via e-mail and attachment and letter and enclosure, Mr. Scott Jensen, C&T Refinery via letter and enclosure, Mr. Jeffrey Johnson, Cargill, Inc. via e-mail and attachment and Mr. Jeffrey Moreno, Thompson, Hine, LLC via e-mail and attachment, copies of the Board's decision served April 9, 2004 in the above matter. The letter and enclosure to Messrs. Ruitter and Jensen are being sent via first class mail.

Very truly yours,

  
James R. Paschall