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Mr. Vernon A. Williams
Surface Transportation Board
Case Control Unit
Washington, DC 20423

Attention: Christa Dean

Re: Docket No. AB-103 (Sub-No. 18X)
Kansas City Southern Railway Company - Abandon Exemption
Winn Parish, LA

Dear Mr. Williams:

The professional staff of the Office of Wildlife reviewed your application/request for the above referenced project.

We have no objection.

The Department of Wildlife and Fisheries seeks to work with you in a facilitative manner on this and future such endeavors. Please call my staff should you need further assistance.

Sincerely,

Venise Ortego
Permit Coordinator

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