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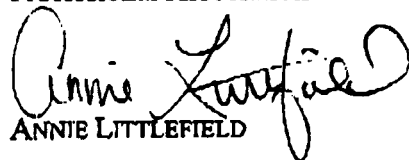
**Rc: Delaware & Hudson Railway Company, Inc. (d/b/a Canadian Pacific Railway Company) ("CPR") - Granting Second Trail Use Negotiation Extension to Albany County, New York - Abandonment of Trackage located in Albany County, New York
STB Docket No. AB-156 (Sub-No. 23X)**

Dear Mr. Williams:

This letter is to inform you that CPR agrees to provide Albany County with an additional 180 days (through January 9, 2006) to complete negotiations with CPR as mentioned in the County of Albany's June 24, 2005 letter to the Surface Transportation Board.

Very truly yours,

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