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Cynthia T. Brown
Chief, Section of Administration
Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board
395 E. Street, SW
Washington, DC 20423-0001

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Office of Proceedings
November 22, 2017
Part of
Public Record

Re: STB Finance Docket No. 36156, Chicago South Shore & South Bend Railroad Company --
Lease Exemption Containing Interchange Commitment -- Wisconsin Central Ltd.

Dear Ms. Brown:

Pursuant to 49 C.F.R. § 1150.42(e), enclosed for filing in the above-referenced proceeding are the (1) Certificate of Service of the Notice of Intent, (2) Certificate of Posting of the Notice of Intent, and (3) Notice of Intent.

Sincerely,

Rose-Michele Nardi/EJY

Rose-Michele Nardi

**BEFORE THE
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD**

DOCKET NO. FD 36156

**CHICAGO SOUTH SHORE & SOUTH BEND RAILROAD COMPANY
-- LEASE EXEMPTION CONTAINING INTERCHANGE COMMITMENT--
WISCONSIN CENTRAL LTD.**

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
OF NOTICE OF INTENT**

I hereby certify on November 22, 2017, a copy of the Notice of Intent, relating to the proposed lease transaction referenced above in Docket No. FD 36156, was served by U.S. first-class mail, postage prepaid, on the following:

Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees Division -
International Brotherhood of Teamsters
41475 Gardenbrook Road
Novi, MI 48375-1328

American Train Dispatchers Association
4239 W. 150th Street
Cleveland, OH 44135

Brotherhood of Railroad Signalmen
917 Shenandoah Shores Road
Front Royal, VA 22630

Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Trainmen
7061 East Pleasant Valley Road
Independence, OH 44131

SMART Transportation Division
24950 Country Club Blvd., Ste. 340
North Olmsted, OH 44070-5333

Rose-Michele Nardi/EDY

Rose-Michele Nardi, Transport Counsel PC

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CERTIFICATE OF POSTING
OF NOTICE OF INTENT

The undersigned certifies that, as of November 21, 2017, the attached Notice of Intent relating to the proposed lease transaction encompassed by Docket No. FD 36156 has been posted at various locations at the following workplace(s) of potentially affected employees of Wisconsin Central Ltd:

Kirk Yard

1 N Buchanan Street

Gary, IN 46402

[various buildings at the same address]

Signature: _____



Printed Name: _____

JEFF EXLINE

Title: _____

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

17641 Ashland Avenue

Homewood, IL 60430

[dispatchers]

Signature:

Tom Healy

Printed Name:

Thomas J. Healy

Title:

Counsel- Regulatory

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE
A VERIFIED NOTICE OF EXEMPTION
PURSUANT TO 49 C.F.R. § 1150.42(e)
IN
DOCKET NO. FD 36156**

**CHICAGO SOUTH SHORE & SOUTH BEND RAILROAD COMPANY
--LEASE EXEMPTION CONTAINING INTERCHANGE COMMITMENT--
WISCONSIN CENTRAL LTD.**

On or about December 1, 2017, Chicago South Shore & South Bend Railroad Company ("CSS") expects to file for authority from the Surface Transportation Board to lease from Wisconsin Central Ltd ("WC"), and to operate, approximately 5.64 miles of WC's City Industrial Track in Gary, IN, between the clearance point of the switch at milepost 1.21 and milepost 6.85 (the "Rail Line").

CSS is providing this notice pursuant to the Surface Transportation Board requirements at 49 C.F.R. § 1150.42(e).

CSS does not anticipate any new job openings in connection with its proposed lease and operation of the Rail Line. WC employees desiring further information regarding the transaction may contact Mike Shore, Vice President at CSS, at mshore@anacostia.com.