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Vernon A. Williams, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
Suite 700
1925 K Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423-0001



Re: Finance Docket No. 34424

Dear Secretary Williams:

Pursuant to Decision No. 4 in the above-referenced proceeding, this is to notify you that the undersigned will appear at the oral hearing of March 3 on behalf of the United States Department of Transportation. I request that I be allotted a total of five (5) minutes for my presentation. Ten copies of this notice are enclosed herewith.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures

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