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Re: Request to Testify at Growth in the Freight Rail Industry Hearing, September 16, 2024

Dear Mr. Zimmerman,

I would like to request to testify for ten minutes at the STB hearing on September 16, 2024, regarding Growth in the Freight Rail Industry. Unfortunately, I will be unavailable on September 17th. I will submit a copy of my testimony to the docket. Thank you for holding this hearing on an important topic affecting rail workers and the future of the rail industry. We appreciate the proactive efforts the STB is taking to highlight and address service challenges.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'Mark L. Wallace'.

President
Teamsters Rail Conference and National First Vice President BLET