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Mr. Vernon A. Williams
Secretary
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Re: Notice of Consummation of Abandonment Authority –
Second Street Track in Kansas City, Missouri
Docket No. AB-103 (Sub. No. 17X)

Dear Mr. Williams:

This is to advise that as of August 26, 2004, The Kansas City Southern Railway Company ("KCS") has consummated the abandonment and discontinuance of service over KCS's line of rail known as the Second Street Track, extending from Milepost 0+/- to Milepost 0+5188'+/-, and from Milepost 0-W to approximately Milepost 0+1518'-W at the east end of railroad bridge B-1-W, all in Kansas City, Missouri, pursuant to an exemption granted by the Surface Transportation Board ("Board") in a decision decided in this docket on July 26, 2004 and served on July 27, 2004.

An additional ten (10) copies of this letter are enclosed for the Board's use and discretion.

Very truly yours,

Thomas J. Healey

cc: Warren Erdman
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