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**SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD
WASHINGTON, DC 20423**

FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

Docket No. AB 33 (Sub-No. 351X)

**Union Pacific Railroad Company – Abandonment Exemption –
In Weber and Davis Counties, Utah**

ABANDONMENT TYPE

The time for comments on the Draft Environmental Assessment (Draft EA) has expired in this:

(X) Notice of Exemption () Petition for Exemption () Regulated Abandonment

(X) NO NEW COMMENTS WERE RECEIVED

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In this proceeding, Union Pacific Railroad Company (UP) filed a notice under 49 C.F.R. § 1152.50 seeking exemption from the requirements of 49 U.S.C. § 10903 for abandonment of a portion of the Hill Field Industrial Lead in Weber and Davis Counties, Utah. The rail line proposed for abandonment extends approximately 6.2 miles from milepost 0.6 to milepost 6.8 (the Line). The Office of Environmental Analysis (OEA) served a Draft EA for this proceeding on May 26, 2023 for public review and comment. In the Draft EA, OEA recommended no environmental conditions and concluded that the proposed action would not significantly impact the quality of the human environment.

Conclusions

The Draft EA comment period has ended, and no conditions are recommended by OEA. Accordingly, OEA believes that the proposed action will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment.

By the Board, Danielle Gosselin, Director, Office of Environmental Analysis.