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**BEFORE THE
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD**

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NORTH AMERICA FREIGHT CAR	)	
ASSOCIATION; AMERICAN FUEL &	)	
PETROCHEMICALS MANUFACTURERS;	)	
THE CHLORINE INSTITUTE; THE	)	
FERTILIZER INSTITUTE; AMERICAN	)	
CHEMISTRY COUNCIL; ETHANOL	)	
PRODUCTS, LLC D/B/A POET ETHANOL	)	
PRODUCTS; POET NUTRITION, INC.; and	)	
CARGILL INCORPORATED	)	NOR 42144, 42150, 42152, 42153
	)	
Complainants,	)	
	)	
vs.	)	
	)	
UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	
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Weekly Status Report of Arkema Inc.—October 26, 2017

Complainant Arkema Inc., submits this weekly status report on discovery progress pursuant to the Order that Administrative Judge Dring issued on March 2, 2017, in this proceeding.

1. Progress of Discovery

On October 23, 2017, the Surface Transportation Board served its decision to expand the protective order in this proceeding to cover Arkema. Arkema plans to begin producing records over the next week.

2. Outstanding Discovery Concerns

Arkema has contacted Union Pacific's counsel about narrowing the scope of certain Union Pacific requests for which the date range places an undue burden on Arkema.

3. Plans to Address Outstanding Discovery

Arkema is collecting and reviewing records on a rolling basis to facilitate responses to Union Pacific discovery requests. At present, Arkema is prioritizing the collection of various tank car movement data that Union Pacific has requested. Arkema also has contacted Union Pacific about addressing certain discovery requests with stipulations and is preparing stipulations for Union Pacific's consideration.

4. Estimate of Time to Address Concerns

Arkema expects that, over the next week, it and Union Pacific will address Arkema's requests to narrow discovery. Arkema still expects to begin the bulk of its production within 4-8 weeks. This estimate may change because Arkema and Union Pacific are still in the early stages of the discovery process.

Respectfully submitted,

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I certify that, on October 26, 2017, I caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served by e-mail on counsel for all parties of record in this proceeding and on the Honorable John P. Dring of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

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