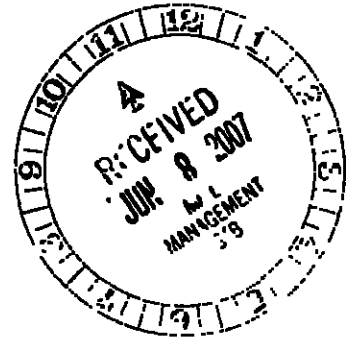


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Honorable Vernon A. Williams
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423

***RE: STB Docket No. AB-1012, The Shops at Kingsbury
Square, LLC-Adverse Abandonment-Chicago Terminal
Railroad in Chicago, IL***

Dear Mr. Williams:

I am writing on behalf of the Chicago Terminal Railroad ("CTR") in connection with the above-captioned adverse abandonment proceeding.

The parties are still negotiating a resolution to this matter and are optimistic as to the possibility of reaching a settlement acceptable to all. Accordingly, CTR requests an additional extension to the Board's May 22, 2007, deadline, now extended until June 11, 2007, for filing a reply to the petition for waiver filed in this proceeding. CTR believes that an additional 10 days or until June 21, 2007, will be sufficient. Applicant-petitioner's counsel Tom McFarland advises that he has no objection to this further extension request.

Please date stamp and return one copy of this letter.

Sincerely yours,


John D. Heffner

cc: Thomas F. McFarland, Esq.
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