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Honorable Vernon A. Williams, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20423-0001



Re: STB Docket No. AB-290 (Sub. No. 243X), Norfolk Southern Railway
Company - Abandonment - In Winston-Salem, Forsyth County, North
Carolina - Notice of Exemption

Dear Mr. Williams:

The Board received NSR's notice of exemption to abandon a 2.4-mile rail line between Milepost R-124.2 and Milepost R-126.6 at Winston-Salem in Forsyth County, NC on June 29, 2005. In the cover letter, NSR asked that the notice be docketed as filed on June 30, 2005. The list of bridges and structures on the line was inadvertently omitted from the filing, for which we apologize. I attach a copy of that list to the faxed copy of this letter and am sending an original and ten copies of this letter and the attached list to supplement the filing.

A sentence in the environmental report concerning "current freight operations" on the line has caused some confusion. This sentence was meant to refer only to overhead traffic which may have moved over the line in the past two years but which can be and will be re-routed. The notice itself and the certification that there has been no local traffic on the line for more than two years and that overhead traffic can be re-routed is correct.

Very truly yours,

James R. Paschall

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NS WINSTON-SALEM DISTRICT

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORPORATION
BRIDGES AND STRUCTURES DEPARTMENT
BRIDGE LISTING

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NAME OF MILEPOST CROSSING	NO OF SPANS	DESCRIPTION STRUCTURE	DECK	LENGTH	TOTAL LENGTH	DATE BLT	MAX HT	ALIGN DG	NO TKS	TK ID	NEAREST STATION	DOT ST NO	FILE NO	OLD BR NO	REMARKS
R-124.21 28TH STREET	3	STL BEAM	OPEN		62.66	1927	15.0	T	2	Y	NORTH WINSTON	NC 470221X	117-20350	1898A	SEE 117-20344 PRIOR
R-124.21 28TH STREET	3	STL BEAM	OPEN		62.66	1927	15.0	T	2	5	NORTH WINSTON	NC 470221X	117-20350	1898A	SEE 117-20344 PRIOR
R-124.45 ABANDONED ROAD	1	RAIL TOP	CONC BAL		10.00	1914	13.0	T	2	5	NORTH WINSTON	NC	117-20351		
O R-124.91 16TH STREET	4	OH HWY-REIN CONC			76.00		22.0	T	1	0	NORTH WINSTON	NC 470227H	117-20352		
R-125.16 13TH STREET	4	DECK PL GDR	OPEN		154.07	1923	19.0	T	1	5	NORTH WINSTON	NC 470228V	117-20353	1899	
O R-125.44 LIBERTY STREET	2	OH HWY-REIN CONC			47.50		20.0	L	1	0	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470229C	117-20354		
R-125.75 7TH STREET	1	DECK PL GDR	OPEN		50.00	1927	17.0	L	6	45	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470231D	117-20355	1901	
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R-125.91 5TH STREET	1	DECK PL GDR	OPEN		56.50	1923	20.0	T	4	J	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470232K	117-20356	1901A	SEE 117-20355 PRIOR
R-125.91 5TH STREET	1	DECK PL GDR	OPEN		56.50	1923	20.0	T	4	5	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470232K	117-20356	1901A	SEE 117-20355 PRIOR
R-126.01 4TH STREET	3	DECK PL GDR	OPEN		67.00	1928	19.0	T	2	5	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470233S	117-20357	1902	SEE 117-20355 PRIOR
R-126.05 WATERWAY, 3RD STREET	3	DECK PL GDR	OPEN		255.00	1901	48.0	T	2	5	WINSTON-SALEM	NC	117-20358	1903	SEE 117-20355 PRIOR
R-126.10 ROAD	2	R-CONC SLAB	CONC BAL		40.00	1916	14.0	T	2	5	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470235F	117-20359		
O R-126.43 I-40 BUS, US 421	8	OH HWY-REIN CONC	CONCRETE		660.00	1998	22.0	T	3	0	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470236M	117-20360		ALSO CROSSES K- LINE
R-126.45 ROAD	1	CONC ARCH	BALLAST		26.00		27.0	T	1	5	WINSTON-SALEM	NC	117-20361		
R-126.65 WATERWAY	1	CONC ARCH	BALLAST		12.00		12.0	T	1	0	WINSTON-SALEM	NC	117-0		