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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown
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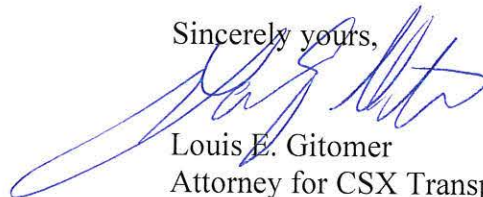
Re: **Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 768X), CSX Transportation, Inc.—Abandonment
Exemption—in Greenbrier and Fayette Counties, WV**

Dear Ms. Brown,

By letter filed March 15, 2017, Greenbrier and Fayette Counties, WV (the “Counties”) filed a Statement of Willingness to Assume Financial Responsibility for an approximately 6.0-mile rail line on its Southern Region, Huntington Division, Sewell Valley Subdivision, from milepost CAF 21.0 to milepost CAF 27.0 near Rainelle, in Greenbrier and Fayette Counties, WV (the “Line”). The Counties also sought issuance of a 180-day public use condition (“PUC”) applicable to the Line. By this letter, CSXT expresses its non-opposition to the PUC, and agrees to negotiate with the Counties toward a possible interim trail use/rail banking arrangement for the Line.

This letter is being efiled. Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely yours,



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Cc: Woody Hanna