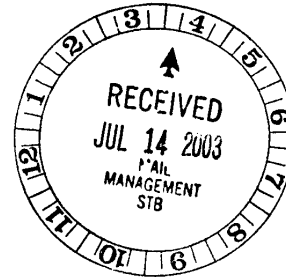


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Vernon Williams, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
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RE: Withdrawal of Verified Notice of Exemption and Caption Summary

Dear Secretary William:

On July 7, 2003, I filed a Verified Notice of Exemption and a Caption Summary with the Board. With the Board's permission, I would like to withdraw that Verified Notice of Exemption and that Caption Summary. At a later date, I plan to file a Petition for Exemption instead of the Verified Notice of Exemption.

Thank you for your indulgence in this matter.

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Sincerely,

James Riffin t/a NCRR

Certificate of Service

I certify A copy of the foregoing Withdrawal of Verified Notice of Exemption & Caption Summary was hand delivered to the offices of Sidney Austin Brown & Wood at 1501 K St NW Washington DC C/o G. Paul Moates, Esq., Attorney(s) for Norfolk Southern, on July 14, 2003.

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