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RE: The New York, Susquehanna and Western Railway Corporation
Exemption - Bergen County, New Jersey
STB Docket No. AB-286 (Sub-No. 8X)
Notice of Consummation

Dear Ms. Davis:

The New York, Susquehanna and Western Railway Corporation ("NYS&W") submitted a Verified Notice of Exemption ("Notice") seeking approval to abandon two rail lines in Bergen County, New Jersey, extending from MP 15.80 I Lodi, NJ to MP 14.50 in Hackensack, NJ (the "Lodi Branch") and from MP 17.30 in Elmwood Park, NJ to MP 18.40 in Garfield, NJ (the "Passaic Branch"). Notice of the exemption was served and published in the Federal Register on December 31, 2020 (85 Fed. Reg. 86,974). The exemption was scheduled to become effective on January 30, 2021.

By Decision served January 29, 2021, the Board imposed no conditions and provided NYS&W a deadline of December 31, 2021 to consummate the abandonment.

NYS&W hereby advises the Board of its formal consummation of abandonment of the lines in accordance with the provisions of 49 C.F.R. §1152.29(e)(2). Specifically, NYS&W hereby notifies the Board that it has exercised the authority granted to it under the applicable class exemption, and has fully abandoned the lines as of March 10, 2021.

Should you have any questions concerning this notice of consummation, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,



Nathan R. Fenno
President

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