

Before The
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD
Washington, D.C. 20423

STB Finance Docket No. 34178



DAKOTA, MINNESOTA & EASTERN RAILROAD CORPORATION AND
CEDAR AMERICAN RAIL HOLDINGS, INC. – CONTROL – IOWA, CHICAGO &
EASTERN RAILROAD CORPORATION

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION

Arkansas Electric Cooperative Corporation ("AECC") respectively submits its notice to intervene in the above-caption proceeding entailing the proposed control of Iowa, Chicago & Eastern Railroad Corporation by the Dakota, Minnesota & Eastern Railroad Corporation. All pleadings, notices and decisions regarding this proceeding should be sent to the undersigned counsel for AECC.

Respectfully submitted,

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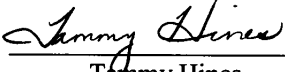
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 20th day of August, 2002, a copy of the foregoing Notice of Intervention of Arkansas Electric Cooperative Corporation was served to:

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