

BEFORE THE
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

DOCKET NO. FD 36892

**ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY—
PETITION FOR DECLARATORY ORDER**

MOTION TO HOLD PROCEEDING IN ABEYANCE

Illinois Central Railroad Company (“IC”) respectfully asks the Board to hold this proceeding in abeyance for another 20 days. This continued abeyance period would allow the parties to attempt to resolve their dispute without the need for further proceedings before the Board. IC understands from Union Pacific Railroad Company (“UP”) that qualification is being scheduled for IC’s crews.

IC has consulted with UP, which supports this request for abeyance.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 9th day of January, 2026, a copy of the preceding Motion to Hold Proceeding in Abeyance was served by email on Union Pacific Railroad Company.

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