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Hon. Anne K. Quinlan
Acting Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street SW
Washington, DC 20024

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Re: STB Docket No. AB 996 (X)
Reading Blue Mountain & Northern Railroad, Inc. –
Abandonment Exemption - In Schuylkill County, PA
Change of Counsel / Change of Address

Dear Secretary Quinlan:

Effective September 1, 2007, the undersigned joined the law firm of Thorp Reed & Armstrong, LLP. Please update the Board's records in this proceeding to substitute Thorp Reed & Armstrong, LLP as counsel of record for the applicant in this proceeding, and to reflect that Gollatz, Griffin & Ewing, P.C. will no longer be counsel of record.

Copies of any STB notice, pleadings or other correspondence in this proceeding should be sent to my attention at:

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A copy of this letter is being sent to all active parties of record in this proceeding.

Respectfully,

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cc: Andrew W. Dyer, Jr. (by email)

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