



**American Short Line and
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Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, SW
Washington, DC 20423-0001

Re: Docket No. EP 775 – Growth in the Freight Rail Industry

Pursuant to the Board's July 9, 2024, notice in the above-referenced proceeding, the American Short Line and Regional Railroad Association (ASLRRRA) hereby provides notice of its intent to participate in the public hearing scheduled for September 16-17, 2024.

The following individuals will present testimony on behalf of the short line railroad industry:

- Kennan H. Beard III, President and CEO, Sierra Northern Railway
- Shannon Drown, Vice President Commercial & Industrial Development, R.J. Corman Railroad Company
- Henry Posner III, Chairman, Iowa Interstate Railroad
- Marlon Taylor, President, New York & Atlantic Railway
- Kimberly C. Thompson, Vice President Sales & Marketing, Genesee & Wyoming Railroad Services, Inc.
- Sarah Yurasko, Senior Vice President, Law & General Counsel, ASLRRRA

ASLRRRA requests 60 minutes for the presentation.

Respectfully submitted,

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