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U.S. Department of Transportation
Surface Transportation Board

RE: FD 30186 (Reopened)—Montana Department of Environmental Quality--Notice of Intent to Participate

Greetings:

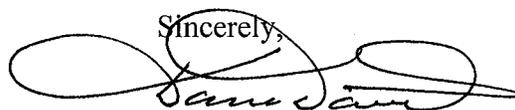
The undersigned, legal counsel to the Montana Department of Environmental Quality (MTDEQ), pursuant to 49 CFR § 1104.12, hereby notifies the Surface Transportation Board (STB) that MTDEQ intends to participate as a party-of-record in the proceedings for Tongue River I, FD 30186, concerning the Tongue River Railroad Company Construction and Operation Application as described in the STB Decision dated June 18, 2012.

Accordingly, MTDEQ respectfully requests to be included in the service list and be served with all filings for this reopened matter. Transmittals should be directed as follows:

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If you identify any problems with this request, please notify me at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,


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