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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown
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Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board
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October 18, 2013
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Record

Re: Docket No. FD 35247, Grenada Railway, LLC--Acquisition and
Operation Exemption-- Illinois Central Railroad Company and
Waterloo Railway Company

Dear Ms. Brown:

Petitioner, Mr. Robert J. Riley, by letter from his attorney served October 17, 2013, states that he intends to file a petition for reconsideration of the Board's Decision, served September 10, 2013, which denied his request to revoke the previously granted authority for the Grenada Railway, LLC to acquire and operate the line in question.

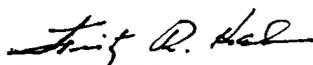
Under the Board's rules, 49 C.F.R. § 1115.3(e), such petitions must be filed within 20 days of the date of service of the Board's Decision. Mr. Riley's petition was due on or before October 1, 2013, and accordingly is out of time.

Mr. Riley states that he intends to file the petition for reconsideration within 20 days of the service date of the Board's Decision ruling on Mr. Riley's Motion to Compel responses to his discovery requests.

Under the Board's rules, 49 C.F.R. § 1114.31(a) such a motion must be filed within 10 days after failing to receive answers to interrogatories. Mr. Riley asked that the answers to his 75 interrogatories be filed on or before September 20, 2013. Mr. Riley's Motion to compel was due on or before October 1, 2013, and accordingly is out of time.

The letter should be rejected, under 49 C.F.R. § 1104.10(a), for its failure to comply with the Board's rules.

Sincerely yours,



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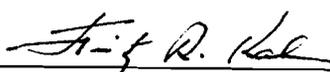
Attorney for

GRENADA RAILWAY, LLC

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I this day have served the foregoing letter upon each party of record by mailing it a copy for prepaid first-class mail.

Dated at Washington, DC, this 18th day of October 1, 2013.



Fritz R. Kahn