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May 31, 2011

Cynthia T. Brown
Chief, Section of Administration
Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street SW
Washington, DC 20024

Re: **STB Docket No. AB-986 (Sub-No. 1X)**
Willamette & Pacific Railroad, Inc.
-- Petition for Discontinuance of Service Exemption --
Bailey Branch and Hull Oakes Lead in Benton County, Oregon

STB Docket No. AB-33 (Sub-No. 257X)
Union Pacific Railroad Company
-- Petition for Abandonment Exemption --
Bailey Branch and Hull Oakes Lead in Benton County, Oregon

Dear Ms. Brown:

We are filing this letter to supplement the Combined Petition for Exemption filed on May 21, 2011, on behalf of Willamette & Pacific Railroad, Inc. ("WPRR") and Union Pacific Railroad, Inc. ("UP").

In response to an inquiry from the Board's staff, we are writing to confirm that there are no "agency stations" located along the line that is the subject of this proceeding. The following "tariff stations" (those listed in OPSL) would be affected if the exemption were granted:

Bailey Branch:

Greenberry MP 681.3, PNWR FSAC 72035, UP FSAC 71958, SPLC 854757.¹

Alpine Junction MP 673.0, PNWR FSAC 72040, UP FSAC 71952, SPLC 854773.

Monroe MP 671.7, PNWR FSAC 72050, UP FSAC 71950, SPLC 854777.

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One Commerce Square
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¹ These WPRR stations have been adopted by WPRR's affiliate Portland & Western Railroad, Inc. ("PNWR") for billing purposes.



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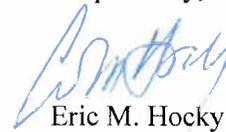
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Hull Oaks Lead:

Dawson MP 679.9, PNWR FSAC 72045, UP FSAC 71954, SPLC 854788.

Please let us know if there are any additional questions about the filing. Thank you for your assistance.

Respectfully,



Eric M. Hocky

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Enclosures

cc: Mack H. Shumate, Jr. (by email)
WPRR (by email)
All persons on attached service list (by mail)

SERVICE LIST

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A. Persons Receiving Copy of EHR

State Clearinghouse (or alternate):

Oregon Department of Transportation

Rail Division

555 13th Street N.E., Suite 3

Salem, OR 97301-4179

State Environmental Protection Agency:

Oregon Dept of Environmental Quality

811 SW 6th Avenue

Portland, OR 97204-1390

Head of each County:

Benton County Board of Commissioners

P.O. Box 3020

Corvallis, OR 97339-3020

Environmental Protection Agency

(Regional Office):

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Region 10

1200 Sixth Avenue, Suite 900

Seattle, WA 98101

State Historic Preservation Office:

Parks and Recreation Department

State Historic Preservation Office

725 Summer Street NE, Suite C

Salem, OR 97301-1266

U.S. Fish and Wildlife:

U.S. Fish & Wildlife
Region 1
911 NE 11th Avenue
Portland, OR 97232

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers:

U. S. Army Corps of Engineers,
Northwestern Division
P.O. Box 2870
Portland, OR 97208-2870

National Park Service:

Pacific West Regional Office
National Park Service
One Jackson Center
1111 Jackson Center, Suite 700
Oakland, CA 94607

U.S. Natural Resources Conservation Service:

State Conservationist
Natural Resource Conservation Service
1201 NE Lloyd Blvd
Portland, OR 97232

National Geodetic Survey:

National Geodetic Survey
Geodetic System Division
Information Services
NOAA/NGS12
1315 E-W Highway
Silver Spring, MD 20910-3282

B. Persons to Receive Notices under 49 CFR 1152.50(d)

Oregon Department of Transportation
Rail Division
[see Section A above]

Office of Chief of Forest Service
U.S. Department of Agriculture
1400 Independence Ave., SW
Washington, DC 20250-003

United States Department of the Army
Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command
Transportation Engineering Agency
ATTN: SDTE-SA (Railroads for National Defense)
709 Ward Drive, Building 1990
Scott AFB, IL 62225-5357

U.S. Department of the Interior -
National Park Service
RTCA Program (Org code 2240)
1849 C Street, NW
Washington, DC 20240

C. Most Recent Shippers

Loren Smith Farms
30361 Loren Lane
Corvallis, OR 97333-9430

Goracke Brothers
25870 Old River Road
Monroe, OR 97456

Van Beek Dairy Farm
26405 McFarland Rd
Monroe, OR 97456-8709

Nusbaum Farms
27031 Bellfountain Road
Monroe, OR 97456

Hull Oakes Lumber
23837 Dawson Road
P.O. Box 48
Monroe, OR 97456

Wilbur Ellis Company
555 Depot Street
P.O. Box 82
Monroe, OR 97456

D. Other

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447 Harrison Street
Roseburg, OR 97471