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**SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD**  
Washington, D.C. 20423

April 30, 1998

Finance Docket No. 32766

PORTLAND & WESTERN RAILROAD, INC.—LEASE AND  
OPERATION EXEMPTION—LINES OF BURLINGTON  
NORTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY

**NOTICE**

A court action, entitled as shown below,  
was instituted on or about April 27, 1998,  
involving the above-entitled proceeding:

No. 98-1222

United Transportation Union-General Committee of Adjustment

v.

Surface Transportation Board

United States of America

*before the*

*United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit*

VERNON A. WILLIAMS  
Secretary