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SERVICE DATE – SEPTEMBER 28, 2007

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

NOTICE

STB Ex Parte No. 646 (Sub-No. 1)

SIMPLIFIED STANDARDS FOR RAIL RATE CASES

The following court actions were instituted, on or about September 18, 2007, in the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, seeking judicial review of the Board's decision in the above-titled proceeding:

No. 07-1369

CSX Transportation, Inc.

v.

Surface Transportation Board and United States of America

No. 07-1370¹

Norfolk Southern Railway Company

v.

Surface Transportation Board and United States of America

No. 07-1371

Union Pacific Railroad Company

v.

Surface Transportation Board and United States of America

No. 07-1372

Association of American Railroads

v.

Surface Transportation Board and United States of America

Vernon A. Williams
Secretary

¹ Courts' Order dated September 20, 2007 consolidated cases Nos. 07-1370, 07-1371, and 07-1372 with lead case No. 07-1369.