

SERVICE DATE - OCTOBER 6, 1997

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

DECISION

STB No. 41997

NSL, INC., v. OWEN EUGENE WHITLOCK, et al.

STB No. 41998^{1/}

GRANITE CITY STEEL DIVISION OF
NATIONAL STEEL CORPORATION v.
OWEN EUGENE WHITLOCK, et al.

Decided: October 3, 1997

By decision served September 5, 1997, petitioners were directed to respond to certain issues by October 6, 1997. By letters filed October 2, 1997, petitioners request a two-week extension, until October 20, 1997, of this due date. Petitioners' representatives state that respondents do not object to the extension requests.

The requests are reasonable and will be granted.

This action will not significantly affect either the quality of the human environment or the conservation of energy resources.

It is ordered:

1. The requests for an extension are granted.
2. Petitioners' responses are due October 20, 1997.
3. This decision is effective on its service date.

By the Board, Vernon A. Williams, Secretary.

Vernon A. Williams
Secretary

^{1/} These proceedings are not consolidated at this time; a single decision is being issued for administrative convenience.