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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

STB No. 41748

THE STROH BREWERY COMPANY -- PETITION FOR DECLARATORY ORDER --
CERTAIN RATES AND PRACTICES OF
AMERICAN FREIGHT SYSTEM, INC. AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES

Decided: November 4, 1996

By decision served May 31, 1996, the Board established a procedural schedule in this proceeding. Petitioner filed its opening statement.

By letter filed November 1, 1996, petitioner advised the Board that this proceeding is a settled and should be withdrawn. The request will be granted and the proceeding will be dismissed.

It is ordered:

1. This proceeding is dismissed.
2. This decision is effective on the service date.
3. A copy of this decision will be mailed to:

The Honorable James A. Pusateri
United States Bankruptcy Court for
the District of Kansas
204 U.S. Courthouse
444 Quincy
Topeka, KS 66683

Re: Case No. 88-41050-11,
Adv. No. 90-7803

By the Board, Vernon A. Williams, Secretary.

Vernon A. Williams
Secretary