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

**December 22, 1999**

*STB Finance Docket No. 33705*

**MISSOURI FRIENDS OF THE WABASH  
TRACE NATURE TRAIL, INC. v. NORTHERN  
MISSOURI RAILROAD COMPANY, ET AL.  
(PETITION FOR DECLARATORY ORDER)**

## **NOTICE**

**A court action, entitled as shown below,  
was instituted on or about November 30, 1999,  
involving the above-entitled proceeding:**

**No. 99-4102**

**Missouri Friends Of The Wabash Trace Nature Trail, Inc.  
v.  
Surface Transportation Board  
and  
United States of America**

*before the*

*United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit*

**VERNON A. WILLIAMS  
Secretary**