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SERVICE DATE – APRIL 10, 2006

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

DECISION

STB Finance Docket No. 34795

ROQUETTE AMERICA RAILWAY, INC.  
—CONSTRUCTION EXEMPTION—  
IN KEOKUK, IA

Decided: April 7, 2006

On April 4, 2006, Roquette America Railway, Inc. (Roquette), filed a motion to dismiss its petition for an exemption under 49 U.S.C. 10502 from the prior approval requirements of 49 U.S.C. 10901 with respect to its proposed construction of a line of railroad in Keokuk, IA. Roquette states that it has reached an agreement with Keokuk Junction Railway Co. that renders the proposed construction unnecessary. Roquette's motion to dismiss will be granted.

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

It is ordered:

1. The motion to dismiss is granted and this proceeding is discontinued.
2. This decision is effective on its service date.

By the Board, Vernon A. Williams, Secretary.

Vernon A. Williams  
Secretary