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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown
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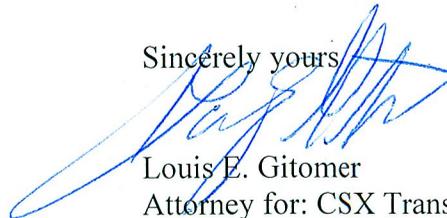
RE: Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 675X), *CSX Transportation, Inc.–
Abandonment Exemption–in Ware County, GA*

Dear Ms. Brown:

CSX Transportation, Inc. (“CSXT”) agrees to the request from the City of Waycross filed on September 11, 2012, for an extension of 180 days to negotiate interim trail use/rail banking over the 1.08-mile rail line in Waycross between milepost AP 588.84 and milepost AP 587.76, in Ware County, GA (the “Line”). The period to negotiate trails use was most recently extended to September 18, 2012. *CSX Transportation, Inc.-Abandonment Exemption-in Ware County, GA*, STB Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 675X) (STB served March 15, 2012). CSXT has not consummated the abandonment and concurs in an extension of the negotiating period until March 17, 2013. CSXT understands that the consummation date would then be extended to May 16, 2013 pursuant to 49 CFR 1152.29(e)(2).

This letter is being efiled. Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions please call or email me.

Sincerely yours



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cc: Mr. Spearman