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Surface Transportation Board
Attn: Docket No. EP 670 (Sub-No. 2)
395 E Street, SW
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Dear Mr. Zimmerman:

I realize that the deadline for filing for the nominations for the Surface Transportation Board's Rail Energy Transportation Advisory Committee was due Tuesday, December 27, 2012; however, I was not able to make the submission and with this said I request that the board waive this deadline and allow this late filling of my nominations. Thank you in advance for your consideration and understanding.

Cheers,

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Dear Mr. Zimmerman:

1. I nominate myself, Matthew R. Goitia, as a candidate for the vacancy on the Surface Transportation Board's Rail Energy Transportation Advisory Committee.
2. I hope to be the designate for the petroleum producer or shipper representative to the Surface Transportation Board's Rail Energy Transportation Advisory Committee, for the three year term ending September 30, 2015.
3. I have over 8 years of energy industry experience having experience in the downstream, upstream, and most recently midstream and trading segment of the energy industry. I currently focus on developing and growing BioUrja's supply, logistics, and trading platform with an emphasis on rail.
4. I am willing to serve as a member of the Surface Transportation Board's Rail Energy Transportation Advisory Committee for the entire term of the appointment.
5. I am not a federally registered lobbyist.

Kind regards,

//SIGNED//

Matthew Goitia
Manager of Business Development