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Dear Sirs:

Please be advised that Dave Brown, Chief Operating Officer for Genesee & Wyoming Railroad Services, Inc., will be pleased to provide brief (five to ten minute) testimony at the upcoming Surface Transportation Board hearing on September 4, 2014 in Fargo, North Dakota regarding the handling of grain by freight railroads.

Mr. Brown will provide a very brief overview of efforts on the Rapid City, Pierre & Eastern Railroad (RCP&E) to handle the tremendous surge in outbound grain this year. He will also provide a one-page written summary on recent efforts on RCP&E to handle grain shipments.

Here is a brief bio for Mr. Brown:

David A. Brown was appointed Chief Operating Officer in October 2012. He joined G&W in June 2012 to succeed James W. Benz. From 2010 to early 2012, Mr. Brown was Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of CSX Transportation. He was Chief Transportation Officer for CSX from 2006 to 2010 and, prior to that, served 25 years with Norfolk Southern.

Mr. Brown earned a B.S. from the University of Tennessee and completed the Advanced Management Program at Harvard University.

If you need more information, please let me know.

Very truly yours,

Jerry Vest
Assistant Vice President