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RE: The New York, Susquehanna and Western Railway Corporation  
Exemption - In Passaic and Morris Counties, New Jersey  
STB Docket No. AB-286 (Sub-No. 7X)  
Notice of Consummation

Dear Ms. Brown:

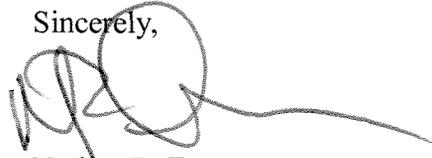
The New York, Susquehanna and Western Railway Corporation ("NYS&W") submitted a Verified Notice of Exemption ("Notice") seeking approval to abandon 4.2 miles of rail line in Passaic and Morris Counties, New Jersey, extending from Mile Post 22.1 in Wayne Township, Passaic County, NJ to Mile Post 26.3 in Pompton Plains Township, Morris County, NJ. Notice of the exemption was served and published in the Federal Register on November 8, 2013 (78 Fed. Reg. 67.216). The exemption was scheduled to become effective on December 11, 2013.

By Decision dated December 9, 2013, the Board imposed two conditions: one relating to preservation of geodetic station markers during salvage operations; the second relating to historic preservation. The second condition was removed by Decision of the Board dated February 3, 2014.

NYS&W hereby advises the Board of its formal consummation of abandonment of the line in accordance with the provisions of 49 C.F.R. § 1152.29(e)(2). Specifically, NYS&W hereby notifies the Board that it has exercised the authority granted to it under the applicable class exemption, and has fully abandoned the Line.

Should you have any questions concerning this notice of consummation, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'NRF', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Nathan R. Fenno  
President

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