

# Alabama

## TRAILS COMMISSION

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Re: Request for 180-day NITU Extension for Negotiations  
*Alabama and Florida Railway Co., Inc - CSX – Abandonment Exemption – In  
Geneva, Coffee and Covington Counties, Al.*; STB Docket Number AB (Sub-No.  
1073X)

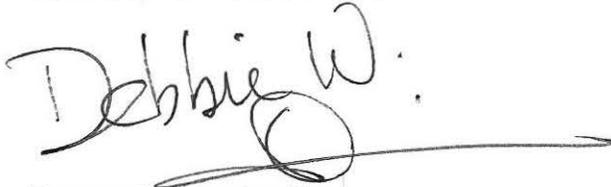
Dear Board Members:

This request is filed by the Alabama Trails Commission, a public entity, hereinafter referred to as the "proponent." The proponent remains engaged in discussions with CSX Railway toward the desired outcome for all parties, which is an agreement regarding acquisition and trail use of the line and interconnecting lines owned by the company by the proponent.

The STB has granted the proponent's request in the past to impose interim trail use/rail banking to allow for negotiating the acquisition of the line for trail use. Subsequent time extension was granted. The proponent hereby request an additional 120-day period in which to continue negotiations with The CSX who owns the property. CSX is amenable to this extension and continued negotiations. Thank you for your consideration.

By my signature below, I certify service of a copy of this statement upon CSX by email and to the STB by E file and to CSX's attorney's by registered mail.

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Respectfully submitted,  
Debbie W. Quinn, Chairman

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