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Cynthia T. Brown  
Chief of the Section of Administration, Office of Proceedings  
Surface Transportation Board  
395 E Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20423

RE: **Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 625X), CSX Transportation, Inc.—  
Abandonment Exemption—in Preston County, WV**

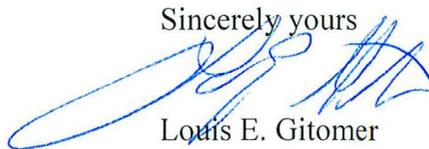
Dear Ms. Brown:

CSX Transportation, Inc. (“CSXT”) agrees to a 180-day extension until August 6, 2014, to negotiate interim trail use/rail banking with the West Virginia State Rail Authority (“West Virginia”) for the 6.78-mile portion of the line between Manheim, WV, milepost BAJ 3.0, and Preston, WV, milepost BAJ 9.78 (the “WV Line”). Most recently, the Surface Transportation Board (the “Board”) granted an extension of time for CSXT and West Virginia to negotiate until February 7, 2014. See *CSX Transportation, Inc.—Abandonment Exemption—in Preston County, WV*, Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 625X) (served August 23, 2013). CSXT has not consummated the abandonment of the WV Line.

CSXT is also advising the Board that the sale to Greer Industries, Inc. (“Greer”) of the 3.0-mile portion of the line between Rowlesburg, WV, milepost BAJ 0.0, and Manheim, WV, milepost 3.0 closed on December 13, 2013. Therefore an extension is no longer needed for that portion of the line.

CSXT is e-filing this letter. Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions please call or email me.

Sincerely yours



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cc: Ms. Butler – West Virginia State Rail Authority