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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown
Chief, Section of Administration
Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20423-0001

Re: *Georgia Department of Transportation – Abandonment Exemption – in Fulton County, Georgia*, STB Docket No. AB-1096X

Dear Ms. Brown:

The Georgia Department of Transportation respectfully submits the attached Notice of Consummation in the above-captioned proceeding

Sincerely,

Charles A. Spitulnik
Counsel for Georgia Department of Transportation

Enclosures

cc: All Parties of Record

Before the Surface Transportation Board

Docket No. AB-1096X

**Georgia Department of Transportation
Abandonment Exemption – in Fulton County, Georgia**

**NOTICE OF CONSUMMATION OF
THE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

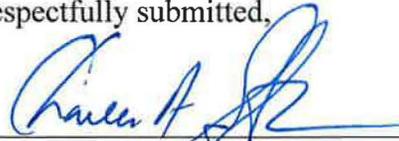
The Georgia Department of Transportation (“GDOT”) hereby submits its Notice of Consummation and exercise of the abandonment authority granted in the above-listed proceedings. GDOT’s consummation is effective as of the date of this Notice.

By a decision served in this proceeding on May 30, 2012 (the “*Abandonment Decision*”), this Board granted GDOT the authority to abandon a 3.12-mile line of railroad between milepost 469.15 and milepost 472.27, comprising a portion of a line formerly known as the L&N Belt, in Fulton County, GA. The Board imposed conditions requiring GDOT to (1) consult with the Georgia Environmental Protection Division regarding hazardous material spills, contamination sites and underground storage tanks prior to consummation of the abandonment; and (2) consult with NGS at least 90 days before beginning any salvage activities that would disturb or destroy any geodetic station markers. *Abandonment Decision* at 5. By letters dated January 16, 2013, and May 1, 2013, entered into the record of this proceeding, GDOT has confirmed that it has satisfied these conditions.

WHEREFORE, because GDOT has demonstrated its satisfaction of the conditions imposed on it pursuant to the requirements of 49 C.F.R. §1152.29(e)(2), GDOT hereby notifies the Board that it is consummating the abandonment authority granted in these proceedings.

Dated: May 3, 2013

Respectfully submitted,



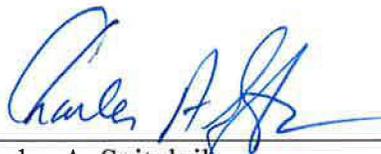
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day caused to be served a copy of the foregoing Notice of Consummation upon all parties of record in this proceeding by first class mail with postage prepaid and properly addressed.

Dated this 3rd day of May, 2013.



Charles A. Spitulnik