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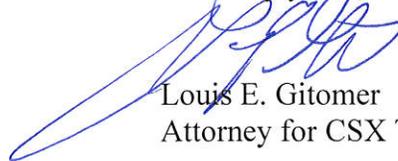
Re: **Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 745X), CSX Transportation, Inc.—Abandonment
Exemption—in Floyd County, KY**

Dear Ms. Brown,

The first paragraph of the Verified Notice of Exemption filed by CSX Transportation, Inc. (“CSXT”) on October 5, 2015, provided an unartful explanation of the background for the line. The correct explanation is that after the Notice of Exemption in CSX Transportation, Inc.—Abandonment Exemption—in Floyd County, KY, Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 645X) (served February 9, 2004, CSXT temporarily leased the line to a coal company for private use in conjunction with its operations. During that time, CSXT also engaged in trail use negotiations for the line under a NITU that was served on March 9, 2004. There was no other part of the line. The lease has expired, the NITU expired on February 23, 2008, and consummation deadline expired on April 23, 2008. Therefore, CSXT has refiled a Notice of Exemption to abandonment the line and engage in trail use negotiations.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely yours,



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Attorney for CSX Transportation, Inc.