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Cynthia T. Brown
Chief of the Section of Administration, Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, SW
Washington, DC 20423

Re: STB Ex Parte No. 705 – Competition in the Railroad Industry –
Notice of Intent to Participate of CSX Transportation, Inc.

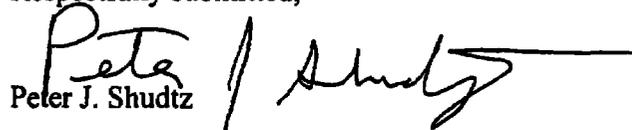
Dear Ms. Brown:

CSX Transportation, Inc. ("CSXT") welcomes the opportunity to provide testimony at the Board's hearing on June 22 at its offices in Washington, D.C. This letter will serve as CSXT's notice of intent to participate.

The speaker representing CSXT will be Michael J. Ward, Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of CSX Corporation. Mr. Ward's presentation will address the highly competitive surface transportation marketplace and the importance of maintaining the current balanced regulatory system, including the continued ability to invest in our rail infrastructure network and equipment in order to meet our nation's current and future freight transportation requirements. CSXT requests fifteen (15) minutes for Mr. Ward's Power Point presentation, which will be provided to the Board in advance of the hearing.

CSXT is e-filing this notice. Thank you for your assistance.

Respectfully submitted,


Peter J. Shudtz

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