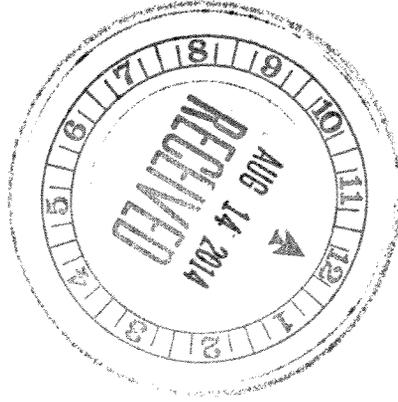




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*Re: EP 670 (Sub-No. 2) Notice of Rail Energy Transportation Advisory Committee-
Vacancy
Nomination of James J. McCaffrey, Senior Vice President Energy Marketing,
CONSOL Energy Inc.*

Dear Mr. Elliott:

I am writing in response to the Board's request, issued on July 24, 2014, for nominations to the Rail Energy Transportation Advisory Committee in the above-captioned proceeding. I hereby submit my name for consideration and provide the following information:

- (1) My name is James J. McCaffrey, and I am Senior Vice President Energy Marketing at CONSOL Energy Inc.*
- (2) As a candidate I would represent the interest of coal producers (for the remainder of a three-year term ending Sept. 30, 2017).*
- (3) CONSOL Energy Inc. is engaged in the mining of bituminous coal. I have been in the mining industry for 38 years. In addition, I presently serve as Director of CNX Marine Terminals and have extensive experience in the coal supply chain*
- (4) I hereby represent that I am willing to serve as a member of RETAC.*
- (5) I hereby represent that I am not a federally registered lobbyist.*

I appreciate your consideration of my candidacy and look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

James J. McCaffrey