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Mr. Vernon Williams, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
Section of Environmental Analysis
1925 "K" St., N.W., Room 504
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**RE: Proposed Abandonment of the Stillwater Industrial Lead
from Milepost 4.69 to Milepost 5.50, a distance of
0.81 miles in Washington County, Minnesota; STB Docket
No. AB-33 (Sub-No. 234X)**

Dear Mr. Williams:

The Union Pacific Railroad Company ("Union Pacific") filed a verified Notice of Exemption in the above-referenced matter in accordance with 49 C.F.R. 1152.50 on November 14, 2006. In the body of the Notice of Exemption under Proposed Consummation Date the Union Pacific indicated that the abandonment is proposed to be consummated on or after January 2, 2007. This date is inaccurate. It should read "January 3, 2007" (at least 50 days after filing the Notice of Exemption). It is respectfully requested that the Board accept this amendment to the Notice of Exemption and that the Proposed Consummation Date be changed to read "January 3, 2007".

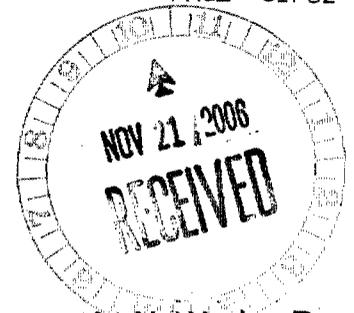
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Sincerely yours,

Enclosures

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Comments: Attached is my letter dated November 21, 2006, regarding the above-referenced matter. MHS

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