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VIA E-FILING

The Honorable Anne K. Quinlan
 Acting Secretary
 Surface Transportation Board
 395 E Street, S.W.
 Washington, DC 20423

Re: Docket No. AB-515 (Sub-No 2), Central Oregon & Pacific Railroad, Inc -
 Abandonment and Discontinuance of Service - in Coos, Douglas, and Lane
 Counties, Oregon (Coos Bay Rail Line)

Dear Secretary Quinlan:

Pursuant to 49 C.F.R. § 1152.29(c)(2) and the decision served by the Board in the above-captioned proceeding on October 31, 2008 (the "*October 31 Decision*"), which became effective on November 30, 2008, Central Oregon & Pacific Railroad, Inc. ("CORP") hereby provides notice that it has exercised the authority granted to it by the *October 31 Decision* to discontinue rail service on its Coos Bay Subdivision, including (1) the CORP-owned line between Milepost 669.0 near Vaughn, OR and Milepost 763.13 near Cordes, OR, (2) the Coquille Branch between Milepost 763.13 near Cordes, OR and Milepost 785.5 near Coquille, OR (which CORP leases from UP); and the LPN Branch between CORP Milepost 738.8 and LPN Branch Milepost 2.0 (which CORP leases from Longview, Portland & Northern Railway Company). In connection with the discontinuance of operations over those lines, CORP is cancelling all tariffs and published rate quotations for shipments to/from points on the Coos Bay Subdivision.

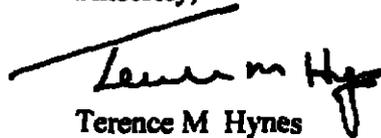
In the *October 31 Decision*, the Board also granted CORP conditional authority to abandon the Coos Bay Subdivision. *October 31 Decision* at 16-17. That conditional authority will not become effective unless the feeder line process in Finance Docket 35160 ends without a sale of the line, and UP and LPN obtain authority to abandon the Coquille Branch and the LPN Branch, respectively. The Board has indicated that, if those conditions are met, it will establish an effective date for the abandonment authority conditionally granted in the *October 31 Decision*. See *October 31 Decision* at 14-15.



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CORP certifies that a copy of this letter is being served on the Oregon Department of Transportation, the Oregon International Port of Coos Bay, all parties of record, and all shippers on the Coos Bay Subdivision.

Sincerely,



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cc: Matthew Garrett, Director, Oregon Department of Transportation
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