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Hon. Anne K. Quinlan  
Acting Secretary  
Surface Transportation Board  
395 E Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20024

**Re: STB Docket No. AB-55 (682X)  
CSX Transportation, Inc. -- Abandonment  
Exemption -- in Greenbrier and Fayette Counties, WV**

Dear Acting Secretary Quinlan:

Reference is made to the letter filed with Board on February 9, 2009, on behalf of the Greenbrier and Fayette County Commissions requesting a 180-day extension of the NITU negotiating period (the "Extension Request") with CSX Transportation, Inc ("CSXT") in the above-captioned proceeding.

CSXT hereby acknowledges and concurs with the Extension Request in all respects. Accordingly, CSXT respectfully requests the NITU negotiating period be extended for 180 days to August 24, 2009 and the time to consummate the abandonment of the line in the above-captioned proceeding to October 23, 2009.

CSXT is e-filing this notice. Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions please call or email me.

Very truly yours,

  
Kathryn R. Barney

cc: Parties of Record