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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 (681X)
CSX Transportation, Inc. -- Abandonment
Exemption -- in Orange County, FL**

Dear Acting Secretary Quinlan:

Reference is hereby made to the letter request of Roger Neiswender, Transportation Director of the City of Orlando, Florida to the Board, dated January 29, 2009 and received by the Board on February 19, 2009, 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 17, 2009 and the time to consummate the abandonment of the line in the above-captioned proceeding to October 16, 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kathryn R. Barney". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping "y" at the end.

Kathryn R. Barney

cc: Parties of Record