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Mr. Vernon A. Williams, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20423

Re: STB Docket No. AB-290 (Sub. No. 265X), Norfolk Southern Railway
Company – Abandonment Exemption, Calhoun County, Alabama

Dear Mr. Williams:

Norfolk Southern Railway Company consents to the issuance of an interim trail
use negotiation condition in this proceeding, as requested by the City of Anniston in a
letter to the Board dated February 7, 2006.

Yours very truly,

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