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The Honorable Vernon Williams
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Office of Proceedings

Re: STB Docket No. AB-987X, Iowa, Chicago & Eastern Railroad Corporation – Discontinuance of Service Exemption – In Rock Island and Whiteside Counties, Illinois

Dear Secretary Williams:

Iowa, Chicago & Eastern Railroad Corporation ("ICE") hereby notifies the Surface Transportation Board ("Board") that on April 12, 2006 ICE consummated the discontinuance of service over the 5.09-mile rail line located between milepost 20.31 and milepost 25.40, near Albany, IL. The discontinuance of service was authorized by the Board by decision served December 27, 2005.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please call me.

Sincerely,

Karl Morell
Attorney for Iowa, Chicago & Eastern Railroad Corporation

cc: Illinois Commerce Commission
Illinois Transportation Department