



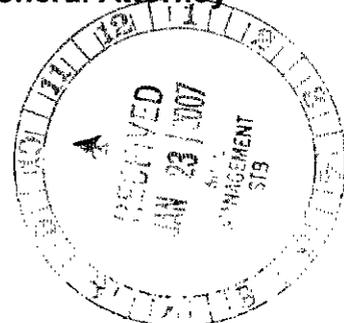
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Mr. Vernon A. Williams, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
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Re: STB Docket No. AB-290 (Sub-No. 251X), Norfolk Southern Railway Company--Abandonment Exemption -- in Chowan County, North Carolina

NOTICE OF CONSUMMATION

Dear Mr. Williams:

This refers to the STB's decision authorizing abandonment of the line of railroad between milepost NS 73.67 and milepost NS 74.00 in Edenton, Chowan County, North Carolina.

The conditions set forth have been met and abandonment of this line in Chowan County, North Carolina is consummated with the filing of this letter with the Board.

This notice has been sent to the North Carolina Utilities Commission and the North Carolina Department of Transportation, pursuant to 49 C.F.R. parts 1152(e)(2).

Very truly yours,

James R. Paschall

cc: JoAnne Sanford, Chair
North Carolina Utilities Commission

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