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The Honorable Anne K. Quinlan
Acting Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
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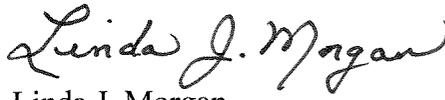
Re: STB Ex Parte No. 677 – Common Carrier Obligation of Railroads

Dear Acting Secretary Quinlan:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned matter, please find Union Pacific Railroad Company's notice of intent to participate in the public hearing scheduled for April 24, 2008.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,


Linda J. Morgan

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Enclosure

BEFORE THE
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

STB Ex Parte No. 677

COMMON CARRIER OBLIGATION OF RAILROADS

**UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY'S
NOTICE OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE**

Pursuant to the Surface Transportation Board's Notice served February 22, 2008, in the above-captioned matter, Union Pacific Railroad Company hereby files its written notice of intent to participate in the public hearing scheduled for April 24, 2008. Union Pacific respectfully requests an allotment of 15 minutes for its proposed speaker, J. Michael Hemmer, Senior Vice President - Law and General Counsel.

Respectfully submitted,



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