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Ford B. West
President

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Surface Transportation Board
Attn: STB Ex Parte No 677 (Sub-No 1)
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Washington, D.C. 20423-0001

Dear Sir/Madam

This is to advise that Ford West, President, The Fertilizer Institute, Washington, D.C., requests 10 minutes to present oral testimony at the July 22 hearing at the Surface Transportation Board (STB) on Ex Parte 677 (Sub-No 1), Common Carrier Obligation of Railroads – Transportation of Hazardous Materials

Sincerely yours,

Ford B. West