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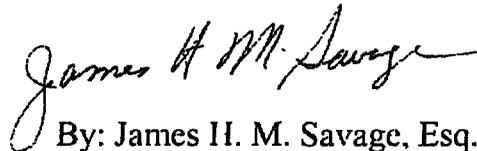
**Re: STB Finance Docket No. 35333
Burlington Shortline Railroad, Inc. D/b/a Burlington Junction
Railway – Lease and Operation Exemption – BNSF Railway
Company**

Dear Madam Chief:

On behalf of Burlington Junction Railway (“BJRY”), I am submitting an original Certification of Service of BJRY’s Exemption Notice, filed December 15, 2009 in this proceeding.

Should you have questions about this filing, or this matter generally, please contact me either by telephone: (202) 296-3335 or by E-mail: jsavagelaw@aim.com.

Respectfully submitted,
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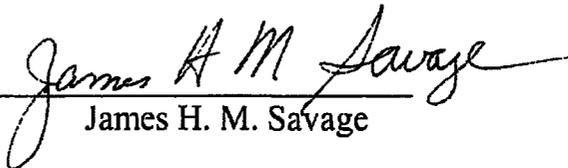


By: James H. M. Savage, Esq.
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CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

I, James H. M. Savage, an attorney-at-law of the District of Columbia, certify that I have served this day by electronic mail a true copy of the within pleading upon Karl Morell, attorney for BNSF Railway Company in this proceeding.


James H. M. Savage

Dated: December 16, 2009