

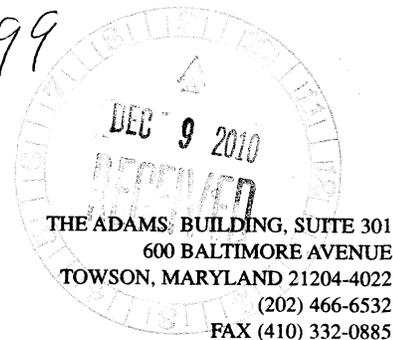
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RE: Docket No. AB-1022 (Sub-No. 1X), *Arizona & California Railroad Company—Abandonment Exemption—in San Bernardino and Riverside Counties, CA*

Dear Ms. Brown:

On June 10, 2010, San Pedro Trails, Inc. (“SP Trails”) requested a notice of interim trail use/rail banking for the Arizona & California Railroad Company’s (“ARZC”) 49.4-mile Blythe Subdivision between milepost 0.0, near Rice, CA and milepost 49.4, near Ripley, CA, the end of the line (the “Line”), all in San Bernardino and Riverside Counties, CA. By decision served June 21, 2010, the Surface Transportation Board (the “Board”) granted the request.

The current negotiating period expires on December 18, 2010. SP Trails has been unable to finalize negotiations with ARZC, for interim trail use/rail banking for the Line. However, the parties continue to negotiate and are confident of succeeding in reaching an agreement. ARZC has not consummated the abandonment. Therefore, SP Trails respectfully requests the Board to grant a 180-day extension of time to June 17, 2011 to negotiate trail use with ARZC. Enclosed is a check for the filing fee of \$450.

An original and 10 copies of this letter are being filed. Please time and date stamp the additional copy of this letter and return it in the enclosed self addressed stamped envelope. Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions please call or email me.

Sincerely yours,

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Attorney for San Pedro Trails, Inc.

Cc: Arizona & California Railroad Company