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Mr. Vernon A. Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
Washington, D.C. 20423

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a), are two (2) copies of a Release of Security Interest, dated November 21, 1997, a secondary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The enclosed document relates to the Security Agreements which were previously filed with the Commission under Recordation Numbers 16357 and 16357-A.

The name and address of the party to the enclosed document are:

Secured Party: First Vermont Bank and Trust Company
2 Church Street
Bellows Falls, VT 05101

A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed documents is:

one (1) 1954 EMD Locomotive #1848

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Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$24.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return one stamped copy of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert W. Alvord", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Robert W. Alvord

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Enclosures

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RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST

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First Vermont Bank and Trust Company, for good and valuable consideration (the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged), hereby terminates, releases, and discharges its security interest in and to the railroad equipment described as follows: one (1) 1954 EMD engine #1848.

Such security interest was granted pursuant to the Security Agreements, dated May 3, 1989 and May 3, 1992, between First Vermont Bank and Trust Company and Cheshire Railway Corporation filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission on May 30, 1989 and June 2, 1992, respectively, under Recordation Numbers 16357 and 16357-A.

November 21, 1997

First Vermont Bank and Trust Company

By: *Christopher J. Hackett*
CHRISTOPHER J. HACKETT
Title: *VICE PRESIDENT*

State of Vermont)
County of Windsor Windham)

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On the 21st day of November, 1997, before me personally came Christopher J. Hackett, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he/she is a(n) vice president of First Vermont Bank and Trust Company, and that the foregoing instrument was signed on behalf of that corporation by authority of its Board of Directors.

Carolyn A. McAuliffe
Notary Public
2/10/99 Commission Expires