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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

Mr. Vernon A. Williams, Secretary  
Surface Transportation Board  
1925 K Street, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20423-0001

Re: BNSF Railway Company  
Leveraged Lease Financing  
BNSF 2005-L

Dear Mr. Williams:

I am enclosing for recording pursuant to Section 11301 of Title 49 of the United States Code, two original copies of the Memorandum of Trust Indenture and Security Agreement (BNSF 2005-L), dated as of September 29, 2005, between U.S. Bank Trust National Association, as owner trustee of the BNSF 2005-L Statutory Trust (the "Owner Trustee"), and Wells Fargo Bank Northwest, National Association, as indenture trustee (the "Indenture Trustee"), a secondary document as defined in the Surface Transportation Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The enclosed document relates to the Memorandum of Equipment Lease Agreement (BNSF 2005-L), dated as of September 29, 2005, between BNSF Railway Company, as lessee (the "Lessee") and U.S. Bank Trust National Association, as Owner Trustee, as Lessor which is being submitted for recording concurrently therewith.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are as follows:

Owner Trustee: U.S. Bank Trust National Association  
225 Asylum Street, 23<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
Hartford, Connecticut 06103  
Attention: Corporate Trust Services

Indenture Trustee: Wells Fargo Bank Northwest, National Association  
299 South Main Street, 12th Floor  
MAC: U1228-120  
Salt Lake City Utah 84111  
Attention: Corporate Trust Department

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The equipment covered as of the date hereof by the aforesaid Memorandum of Trust Indenture and Security Agreement consists of 335 Covered Hopper Cars bearing the reporting marks within the series BNSF 480638 through BNSF 481010; all as specifically described in Exhibit A attached hereto.

A short summary of the document to appear in the index follows:

Memorandum of Trust Indenture and Security Agreement (BNSF 2005-L) between U.S. Bank Trust National Association, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Owner Trustee of the BNSF 2005-L Statutory Trust and Wells Fargo Bank Northwest, National Association, as Indenture Trustee.

A fee of thirty-three dollars (\$33.00) is enclosed. Please time and date stamp the enclosed copy of the enclosed document along with the extra copy of this letter as proof of filing and recordation of the enclosed document and return the original and any extra copies of such document and this letter not needed by the Board for recordation to:

Robert Alvord, Esq.  
Alvord and Alvord  
1050 Seventeenth Street, N.W.  
Suite 301  
Washington, D.C. 20036

If you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned (312-845-2991).

Sincerely,

CHAPMAN AND CUTLER LLP

By Michael D. Robson  
Michael D. Robson

Enclosures

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**EXHIBIT A**

**UNITS**

EQUIPMENT	QUANTITY	REPORTING MARKS
Covered Hopper Cars	335	BNSF 480638 through BNSF 480949 inclusive, BNSF 480951 through BNSF 480962 inclusive, BNSF 481000 through BNSF 481010 inclusive

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**MEMORANDUM OF TRUST INDENTURE AND SECURITY AGREEMENT  
(BNSF 2005-L)**

**SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD**

Memorandum of Trust Indenture and Security Agreement, made and entered into as of September 29, 2005, by and between U.S. Bank Trust National Association, a national banking association, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Owner Trustee ("*Owner Trustee*") of the BNSF 2005-L Statutory Trust, and Wells Fargo Bank Northwest, National Association, a national banking association, as Indenture Trustee ("*Indenture Trustee*").

**WITNESSETH:**

The undersigned have entered into that certain Trust Indenture and Security Agreement (BNSF 2005-L), dated as of September 1, 2005 (the "*Trust Indenture*"), by which the Owner Trustee has granted a security interest in certain railroad equipment bearing reporting marks as listed on Exhibit A attached hereto to the Indenture Trustee in order to secure the Owner Trustee's performance of its obligations as described in the Trust Indenture.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have each caused this memorandum to be duly executed by their respective officers duly authorized as of the date and year first above written.

U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,  
not in its individual capacity, but solely as  
Owner Trustee

By \_\_\_\_\_ 

Name: **Michael M. Hopkins**  
Title: **Vice President**

Executed on this 23 day of September, 2005.

WELLS FARGO BANK NORTHWEST, NATIONAL  
ASSOCIATION

By \_\_\_\_\_

Name:  
Title:

Executed on this \_\_\_ day of September, 2005.

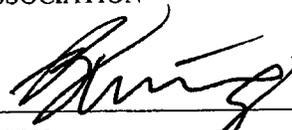
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have each caused this memorandum to be duly executed by their respective officers duly authorized as of the date and year first above written.

U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,  
not in its individual capacity, but solely as  
Owner Trustee

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title:

Executed on this \_\_\_\_ day of September, 2005.

WELLS FARGO BANK NORTHWEST, NATIONAL  
ASSOCIATION

By  \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: **Brett R. King**  
Title: **Vice President**

Executed on this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of September, 2005.

STATE OF Connecticut )  
 )  
 ) SS.:  
COUNTY OF Hartford )

On this, the 23 day of September, 2005, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Michael M. Hopkins, who being by me duly sworn, says that (s)he is the Vice President of U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, that said instrument was signed on September 22, 2005 on behalf of said association by authority of its Board of Directors, and (s)he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said association.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal on the date above mentioned.

Susan P. McNally  
Name: SUSAN P. McNALLY  
Notary Public NOTARY PUBLIC  
My Commission Expires: MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MARCH 31, 2010  
Residing in Vernon, CT

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 )  
 ) SS.:  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

On this, the \_\_\_\_ day of September, 2005, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, who being by me duly sworn, says that (s)he is the \_\_\_\_\_ of WELLS FARGO BANK NORTHWEST, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, that said instrument was signed on September \_\_\_\_, 2005 on behalf of said association by authority of its Board of Directors, and (s)he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said association.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal on the date above mentioned.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires:  
Residing in \_\_\_\_\_



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**CERTIFICATION**

I, Robert W. Alvord, attorney licensed to practice in the State of New York and the District of Columbia, do hereby certify under penalty of perjury that I have compared the attached copy with the original thereof and have found the copy to be complete and identical in all respects to the original document.

Dated: September 27, 2005



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Robert W. Alvord