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Anne K. Quinlan, Esq.
Acting Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
395 "E" Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423-0001

Dear Ms. Quinlan:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of a Partial Release, dated as of December 4, 2008, a secondary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The enclosed document relates to the Memorandum of Assignment of Lease Agreement previously filed with the Board under Recordation Number 27201-A.

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

Lessor/
Secured Party: U.S. Bancorp Equipment Finance, Inc.
13010 SW 68th Parkway
Portland, OR 97223

[Lessee/Debtor: The Andersons, Inc.
480 West Dussel Drive
Maumee, OH 43537]

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

2 railcars RELEASED: AEX 1149 and AEX 1239.

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

Partial Release.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$41.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,



Robert W. Alvord

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Enclosures

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PARTIAL RELEASE

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: U.S. Bancorp Equipment Finance, Inc. hereby releases all of its right, title and interest in and to, the railcars more specifically described as follows on:

AEX 1149
AEX 1239

The primary document(s) to which this PARTIAL RELEASE relates, are between U.S. Bancorp Equipment Finance, Inc. (Lessor/Secured Party) and The Andersons, Inc., (Lessee/Debtor), were recorded with the Surface Transportation Board, under Recordation Number 27201-A dated October 11, 2007.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, U.S. Bancorp Equipment Finance, Inc., has hereunto set its name, by its proper office thereunto duly authorized, this 4th day of December 2008.

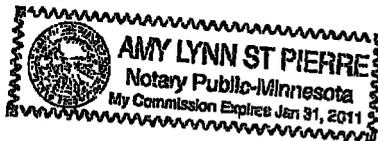
U.S. BANCORP EQUIPMENT FINANCE, INC.

By: Heather Holmgren

STATE OF MN
County of Lyon) ss

On this 4th day of December 2008, personally appeared Heather Holmgren, to me personally known, who, being duly sworn, did say that She (he/she) is the Collateral Manager of U.S. Bancorp Equipment Finance, Inc., and that said instrument was signed by authority of its board of directors, and She (she/he) acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

BEFORE ME: [Signature]
Notary Public



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: 12/5/08



Robert W. Alvord