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Chief
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Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423

Contract C-7114 Rider 61

Dear Section Chief,

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of a Memorandum of Lease, dated as of December 21, 2009, a primary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

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

Lessor: American Railcar Leasing LLC
620 North Second Street
St. Charles, Missouri 63301

[Lessee: BASF Corporation Chemicals Division
100 Cherry Hill Road
Parsippany, NJ 07054]

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

22 railcars within the series ACFX 069778 - ACFX 069818 as more particularly set forth in the attachment to the document.

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

Memorandum of Lease.

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,

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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MEMORANDUM OF LEASE

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This Memorandum of Lease is prepared and filed by American Railcar Leasing LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, on behalf of (i) itself as lessor and/or as assignee of ACF Industries, Incorporated, ACF Industries LLC, American Railcar Industries, Inc., and/or ACF Acceptance LLC as the sole member of various ACF Acceptance entities, and/or (ii) as manager for one or more of the following affiliated lessors: ARI First LLC, ARI Second LLC, ARI Third LLC, ARI H Funding LLC and Shippers Third LLC, all with respect to **BASF Corporation Chemicals Division**, a Delaware Corporation ("Lessee").

American Railcar Leasing LLC (as assignor or lessor, herein, "Lessor") and Lessee have entered into that certain **Master Service Contract as identified on Schedule A** (as amended, changed, assigned, modified and supplemented from time to time, together with any schedules and exhibits thereto, the "Lease"), pursuant to which Lessee leased the railcars listed on Schedule A attached hereto from Lessor on the terms and conditions set forth therein, and from time to time may lease other railcars bearing the reporting marks **SHPX and/or ACFX**.

Schedule A

Equipment

BASF Corporation Chemicals Division

Contract C-7114 rider 61 dated 5/1/08

<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Reporting Marks</u>	<u>Road Numbers</u>
	Hopper	ACFX	069778
	Hopper	ACFX	069779
	Hopper	ACFX	069780
	Hopper	ACFX	069781
	Hopper	ACFX	069782
	Hopper	ACFX	069785
	Hopper	ACFX	069787
	Hopper	ACFX	069788
	Hopper	ACFX	069792
	Hopper	ACFX	069800
	Hopper	ACFX	069801
	Hopper	ACFX	069803
	Hopper	ACFX	069804
	Hopper	ACFX	069808
	Hopper	ACFX	069809
	Hopper	ACFX	069810
	Hopper	ACFX	069812
	Hopper	ACFX	069813
	Hopper	ACFX	069814
	Hopper	ACFX	069816
	Hopper	ACFX	069817
	Hopper	ACFX	069818

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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: 1/6/2010



Robert W. Alvord