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The Honorable Ann Begeman
Chairman
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, SW
Washington, DC 20423-0001

Re: Schedule for KCS Responses to Information Requests Stated in Your Letter
of December 17, 2018 to Patrick J. Ottensmeyer

Dear Chairman Begeman:

The Kansas City Southern Railway Company (KCSR) has asked me to write you to request minor extensions of the deadlines stated in your above-referenced letter for filing information with the Board on demurrage and accessorial charges. This letter follows up on my communications yesterday with OPAGAC Director Lucille Marvin on this subject.

KCSR will do its best to provide the information that your letter requests. However, KCSR requests that you accept KCSR's filing of its 2018 data on January 30, 2019 and the quarterly submissions of its 2019 data on April 30, July 30, October 30, 2019 and January 30, 2020.

The requested January 21 filing comes shortly after Kansas City Southern's January 18 call on its 2018 results and precedes the planned date for filing Kansas City Southern's 10-K for 2018. The January 21 deadline thus falls right in the middle of a very busy time for the KCSR accounting staff. Moreover, Kansas City Southern's quarterly 10-Q filings and earnings calls with analysts normally occur after the 15th of the month following the end of a calendar quarter. Accordingly, the requested January 21, April 15, July 15, October 15 and January 15 filing deadlines would interfere with the obligations of Kansas City Southern's Accounting Department in preparing these important SEC-required financial reports and in providing support to the executive team's preparations for earnings calls. To alleviate these conflicts, KCSR requests that the Board accept KCSR's filings of information requested in your December 17 letter on the 30th day of each of the involved reporting months, rather than the dates specified in your letter.

If there are any questions concerning this, please contact me at 202-663-7823 or by e-mail at wmullins@bakerandmiller.com. Thank you.

Sincerely,



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