Statement No. M-350 December, 2006

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD REPORT OF RAILROAD EMPLOYMENT - CLASS I LINE-HAUL RAILROADS

This statement furnishes current employment data trends for class I line-haul railroads.

PART 1. Number of Employees

	Number ofEmployees% of ChangeMid-MonthFrom		0
	December	December	November
	2006	2005	2006
Total - All employees	167,558	1.63%	-0.61%
Executives, officials, and staff assistants	10,148	6.37%	1.20%
Professional and administrative	13,845	1.22%	1.21%
Maintenance of way and structures	34,000	-0.98%	-3.81%
Maintenance of equipment and stores	30,529	0.72%	0.73%
Transportation (other than train and engine)	7,221	-1.81%	-0.55%
Transportation (train and engine)	71,815	3.10%	-0.20%

PART 2. Indexes of employment

Index, same month 1967 = 100

Index, year 1967 = 100*

-	2006	2005	2004	
January	26.6	25.7	24.9	Ja
February	27.0	26.1	25.0	F
March	27.2	26.4	25.3	M
April	27.1	26.5	25.5	A M
May	27.2	26.5	25.4	M
June	26.9	26.1	25.1	Ju
July	26.6	26.0	25.2	Ju
August	27.1	26.4	25.1	A
September	27.7	27.0	26.0	S
October	28.1	27.3	26.4	0
November	28.4	27.7	26.7	N
December	28.4	27.9	27.0	D

	2006	2005	2004
January	26.8	26.0	25.1
February	27.0	26.1	25.1
March	27.1	26.4	25.3
April	27.2	26.5	25.5
May	27.4	26.7	25.5
June	27.5	26.8	25.7
July	27.2	26.6	25.8
August	27.6	26.8	25.5
September	27.6	26.9	25.9
October	27.5	26.8	25.9
November	27.7	27.0	26.0
December	27.5	27.1	26.1

* Average of 12 months, 1967 = 100

Source: Monthly Report of Number of Employees submitted by Class I Railroads. These reports have not been verified by the Surface Transportation Board.

600 TOTAL
79 41,194
64 31,802
5,964
90 2,913
83 30,762
13 2,527
52,396
15 167,558
18,384

	December December November		% Change	
	2006	2005	2006	Year Month
L 100	10,148	9,540	10,028	6.37% 1.20%
L 200	13,845	13,678	13,680	1.22% 1.21%
L 300	34,000	34,337	35,347	-0.98% -3.81%
L 400	30,529	30,310	30,308	0.72% 0.73%
L500	7,221	7,354	7,261	-1.81% -0.55%
L600	71,815	69,658	71,958	3.10% -0.20%
TOTAL	167,558	164,877	168,582	1.63% -0.61%
				Ratio Ratio
	1967		2006	Corresp. Average
	Months		Months	Months Month
January	614,766		163,406	26.6 26.8
February	610,335		164,797	27.0 27.0
March	608,751		165,433	27.2 27.1
April	611,136		165,850	27.1 27.2
May	613,824		166,860	27.2 27.4
June	624,153		167,650	26.9 27.5
July	623,096		165,606	26.6 27.2
August	619,419		168,009	27.1 27.6
September	606.714		168,101	27.7 27.6
October	597,271		167,642	28.1 27.5
November	593,568		168,582	28.4 27.7
December	590,100		167,558	28.4 27.5

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