Statement No. M-350 November, 2008

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 of Employees Mid-Month		f Change From		
	November 2008	November 2007	October 2008		
Total - All employees	163,020	-1.68%	-0.61%		
Executives, officials, and staff assistants	10,124	-0.02%	0.30%		
Professional and administrative	13,512	-1.80%	0.61%		
Maintenance of way and structures	35,833	1.06%	-0.60%		
Maintenance of equipment and stores	30,411	-0.10%	0.33%		
Transportation (other than train and engine)	6,693	-2.59%	0.90%		
Transportation (train and engine)	66,447	-3.90%	-1.57%		

PART 2. Indexes of employment

Index, same month 1967 = 100

Index, year 1967 = 100*

	2008	2007	2006		2008	2007	2006
January	26.5	27.0	26.6	January	26.7	27.3	26.8
February	26.7	27.3	27.0	February	26.8	27.3	27.0
March	26.8	27.4	27.2	March	26.8	27.4	27.1
April	26.9	27.4	27.1	April	27.0	27.4	27.2
May	26.9	27.3	27.2	May	27.1	27.5	27.4
June	26.2	26.7	26.9	June	26.8	27.4	27.5
July	26.4	26.6	26.6	July	27.0	27.2	27.2
August	26.5	27.0	27.1	August	27.0	27.4	27.6
September	26.8	27.4	27.7	September	26.6	27.2	27.6
October	27.5	27.7	28.1	October	26.9	27.1	27.5
November	27.5	27.9	28.4	November	26.7	27.2	27.7
December	0.0	27.8	28.4	December	0.0	27.0	27.5
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* 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.

CARRIER November,	2008	L100	L 200	L 300	L 400	L500	L600	TOTAL
BNSF	130500	2,398	3,410	9,293	7,472	1,477	16,558	40,608
CSX	121500	1,250	2,758	6,427	5,690	1,935	12,284	30,344
CN/GT Co	114900	348	492	1,803	863	415	1,975	5,896
(Includes all CN US Operations)								
KCS	134500	293	354	480	415	104	1,329	2,975
NS	117100	1,858	2,934	6,218	5,787	1,545	11,972	30,314
SOO	137700	147	323	529	420	156	962	2,537
UP	139400	3,830	3,241	11,083	9,764	1,061	21,367	50,346
TOTAL		10,124	13,512	35,833	30,411	6,693	66,447	163,020
NRPC	103000	1,348	4,683	2,520	4,718	2,747	3,296	19,312

	November November		October	% Change
	2008	2007	2008	Year Month
L 100	10,124	10,126	10,094	-0.02% 0.30%
L 200	13,512	13,760	13,430	-1.80% 0.61%
L 300	35,833	35,458	36,051	1.06% -0.60%
L 400	30,411	30,441	30,310	-0.10% 0.33%
L500	6,693	6,871	6,633	-2.59% 0.90%
L600	66,447	69,147	67,507	-3.90% -1.57%
TOTAL	163,020	165,803	164,025	-1.68% -0.61%
				Ratio Ratio
	1967		2008	Corresp. Average
	Months		Months	Months Month
January	614,766		162,946	26.5 26.7
February	610,335		163,100	26.7 26.8
March	608,751		163,430	26.8 26.8
April	611,136		164,577	26.9 27.0
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June	624,153		163,416	26.2 26.8
July	623,096		164,644	26.4 27.0
August	619,419		164,268	26.5 27.0
September	606,714		162,303	26.8 26.6
October	597,271		164,025	27.5 26.9
November	593,568		163,020	27.5 26.7
December	590,100		0	0.0 0.0

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