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Mrs. Megan Conley Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, SW Washington, DC 20423

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Dear Mrs. Conley:

Enclosed is the 2012 Form R-1 Schedule 250 "Consolidated Information for Revenue Adequacy Determination" for Norfolk Southern Combined Railroad Subsidiaries.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this schedule.

Sincerely,

Enclosure

c w/ enclosure:

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Road Initials: NS Rail Year: 2012

250 - CONSOLIDATED INFORMATION FOR REVENUE ADEQUACY DETERMINATION

(Dollars in Thousands)

Line No.	Item (a) Adjusted Net Railway Operating Income for Reporting Entity	Beginning of year (b)	End of year (c)
1	Combined/Consolidated Net Railway Operating Income for Reporting Entity		1,866,382
2	Add: Interest Income from Working Capital Allowance-		533
3	Income Taxes Associated with Non-Rail Income and Deductions	N/A	33,978
4	Gain or (loss) from transfer/reclassification to non-rail status (net of income taxes)		2,941
5	Adjusted Net Railway Operating Income (Lines 1, 2, 3 & 4)		1,903,834
6	Adjusted Investment in Railroad Property for Reporting Entity Combined Investment in Railroad Property Used in		
	Transportation Service	23,346,518	24,572,800
7	Less: Interest During Construction	2,580	2,580
8	Other Elements of Investment (if debit balance)	-	-
9	Add: Net Rail Assets of Rail-Related Affiliates	-	-
10	Working Capital Allowance	479,292	830,664
11	Net Investment Base Before Adjustment for Deferred Taxes (Lines 6 through 10)	23,823,230	25,400,884
12	Less: Accumulated Deferred Income Tax Credits (note)	7,943,800	8,123,071
13	Net Investment Base (Line 11-12)	15,879,430	17,277,813

ATTACHMENT TO 2012 FORM R-1 SCEHDULE 250 "CONSOLIDATED INFORMATION FOR REVENUE ADEQUACY DETERMINATION"

Norfolk Southern Combined Railroad Subsidiaries Year 2012

In the space provided, please list all railroads and rail-related affiliated companies which are being reported in this consolidation, along with the nature of the business for each company.

Name of Affiliate	Nature of Business
See Page 4 of R-1 (Schedule C), "Principles of Combined Reporting."	
(see attached)	
Name of Affiliate	Nature of Business
No changes in 2012	

NORFOLK SOUTHERN COMBINED RAILROAD SUBSIDIARIES

SCHEDULE 250 – PART B Year 2012 Determination of Nonrail Taxes

This table is designed to facilitate the calculation of taxes that are not rail-related, the amount to be reported on Schedule 250. Line 3.

PART I – DETERMINE TAXES ON NONRAILROAD INCOME FOR ALL COMBINED/CONSOLIDATED RAILROADS (EXCLUDES ALL RAIL-RELATED AFFILIATES)

(1)Determine Combined/Consolidated Adjusted income from continuing operations (before taxes) for all affiliated railroads (all classes). Donot include rail-related affiliates that are not railroads in this part. This represents the total combined/ consolidated amounts for all items listed below for all railroads in the reporting entity. \$000's Income from continuing operations (before taxes) should be the equivalent of the numbers contained in the R-1 Schedule 210, Line 46 adjusted to include all railroads \$ 2,885,179 Equity in undistributed earnings, which represents the total Schedule 210, Line 26 for all railroads in the reporting entity..... (3,574)Dividends in affiliated companies. (If the affiliate is 80% or more controlled by the parent railroad, then deduct 100% of the affiliate's dividend. If the affiliate is less than 80% controlled by the parent railroad, then deduct 80% of the affiliate's dividend...... 39,422 Adjusted income from continuing operations (before taxes). This represents "A" in item (3) below..... \$ 2,849,331 (2) Determine Combined/Consolidated Adjusted Pretax NROI for all railroads in the reporting entity Combined/Consolidated Pretax NROI for the entire entity, which equals the amount \$ 1,866,382 shown on Schedule 250, Line 1..... + Current provision for taxes, which represents the consolidated amounts of Schedule 210, Line 51 for all railroads in the reporting entity. (This figure includes both Account 556, Income Taxes on Ordinary Income and Account 557, Provision for Deferred Taxes. 1.045.195 + Interest income on working capital allowance, which represents the total consolidated interest income relative to the working capital component of the net investment base and should equal the amount shown in Schedule 250, Line 2 for all railroads in the reporting entity..... 533 + Release of premiums on funded debt, which represents the consolidated total of release of premiums on funded debt as shown on Schedule 210, Line 22 for all railroads in the reporting entity..... - Total fixed charges, which represents the consolidated total of fixed charges as shown on schedule 210, Line 42 for all railroads in the reporting entity..... 194,474 - Railroad-related income from affiliates (other than railroads) which was included in = Combined/Consolidated Pretax Adjusted NROI for all railroads. This represents "B" \$ 2,717,636 in Item (3) below.

NORFOLK SOUTHERN COMBINED RAILROAD SUBSIDIARIES

SCHEDULE 250 – PART B

Year 2012

Determination of Nonrail Taxes

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(3)	Calculate the railroad-related tax ratio: "B/A"	95.38%	
(4)	Compute the nonrailroad-related complement: (1 – Railroad-related income ratio) which equals the nonrailroad-related tax ratio	4.62%	
(5)	Compute the nonrailroad portion of the total provisions for both taxes. This equals:		
	The nonrailroad-related tax ratio (Item (4) above) times the total current income taxes accrued on ordinary income (Account 556) which represents the consolidated amounts of Schedule 210, Lines 47, 48 and 49 for all railroads in the reporting entity	\$ 33,978	
PAF	RT II – DETERMINE NONRAILROAD-RELATED TAXES FOR ALL RAIL-RELATED AFFILIATES (EXCLUDES ALL AFFILIATED RAILROADS)		
(6)	This is calculated by dividing the nonrailroad-related income for combined rail-related affiliates by the total pretax net income for all combined rail-related affiliates and multiplying this result by the total taxes (current provision plus deferred). This equals the taxes on nonrailroad income for all affiliated companies	<u> </u>	
PART III – DETERMINE TOTAL NONRAILROAD-RELATED TAXES			
(7)	This is determined as follows:		
	Total income taxes on nonrailroad-related income for all railroads in the reporting entity (Item 5 above)	\$ 33,978	
	+ Total nonrailroad-related taxes for rail-related affiliates (Item 6 above)	<u> </u>	
	Equals total nonrailroad-related taxes. (This amount should be transferred to Schedule 250, Part A, Line 3)	\$ 33,978	

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C. VOTING POWERS AND ELECTIONS - Continued

10. State the total number of votes cast at the latest general meeting for the election of directors of the respondent.

NSR - 16,668,997 votes

11. Give the date of such meeting. NSR - May 22, 2012

12. Give the place of such meeting. Norfolk, Virginia

NOTES AND REMARKS

Principles of Combined Reporting

Norfolk Southern Combined Railroad Subsidiaries (NS Rail) includes the affiliated railroads under the COMMON CONTROL of Norfolk Southern Corporation (NS). The major subsidiary is Norfolk Southern Railway Company and consolidated subsidiaries (NSR). See listing of companies included in combined rail reporting below. Nonrailroad subsidiaries whose assets and operations are not deemed to be an integral part of rail operations are included in this combined report in the following classifications:

Balance Sheet - Fixed Capital Assets - "Property Used in Other Than Carrier Operations" Results of Operations - "Other Income" and "Miscellaneous Deductions From Income"

All significant intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated in combination.

This form of Combined reporting was approved by the ICC Accounting and Valuation Board on March 23, 1987, as indicated in Chairman William F. Moss, III's letter.

The following companies are included in the combined rail reporting to the Surface Transportation Board:

Class I

Alabama Great Southern Railroad Company, The Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas Pacific Railway Company, The Norfolk Southern Railway Company

Class II

Central of Georgia Railroad Company Georgia Southern and Florida Railway Company

Class III

Camp Lejeune Railroad Company Chesapeake Western Railway Interstate Railroad Company

Norfolk and Portsmouth Belt Line Railroad Company

State University Railroad Company

Tennessee, Alabama & Georgia Railway Company

Tennessee Railway Company

Lessors and Other

Airforce Pipeline, Inc.

Alabama Great Southern, LLC

BRF Investment, LLC

Central of Georgia, LLC

Chicago Land Management, LLC

Citico Realty Company

High Point, Randleman, Asheboro and

Southern Railroad Company

Lamberts Point Barge Company, Inc.

Mobile and Birmingham Railroad Company

Norfolk Southern International, Inc.

Norfolk Southern-Mexico, LLC

NorfolkSouthernMexicana, S de RL de CV

North Carolina Midland Railroad Company, The

NS Spectrum Corporation

PLS Investment, LLC

Rail Investment Company

Reading Company, LLC [Delaware]

Reading Company, LLC [Virginia]

S-VA Corporation

South Western Rail Road Company, The

Southern Rail Terminals, Inc.

Southern Rail Terminals of North Carolina, Inc.

Southern Region Materials Supply, Inc.

T-Cubed of North America, LLC

TCS Leasing, Inc.

TCV, Inc.

 $\label{thm:constraints} \mbox{Thoroughbred Direct Intermodal Services, Inc.}$

Thoroughbred Emissions Research, LLC

Thoroughbred Funding, Inc.

Thoroughbred Technology and Telecommunications, LLC

Transworks Company

Transworks Inc.

Transworks of Indiana, Inc.

Triple Crown Services Company

Virginia and Southwestern Railway Company

Wheelersburg Terminal, LLC

Yadkin Railroad Company