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Re: STB Ex Parte No. 724 (Sub-No. 3), United States Rail Service Issues—Data Collection

Dear Ms. Brown:

Enclosed for electronic filing in the above captioned proceeding is the Weekly Report of BNSF in response to the Board's Order of October 8, 2014. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jill K. Mulligan".

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**BEFORE THE
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD**

STB EX PARTE NO. 724 (Sub-No. 3)

UNITED STATES RAIL SERVICE ISSUES—DATA COLLECTION

**WEEKLY REPORT OF
BNSF RAILWAY COMPANY**

BNSF Railway Company (“BNSF”) provides the following weekly report in response to the Board’s Order of October 8, 2014 in the above referenced sub-docket. The Board’s Order contained requests for reporting that can be grouped into three separate categories: (i) weekly railroad-specific reporting on performance metrics for that railroad’s network; (ii) a weekly overview of the operating conditions in the Chicago gateway including specific metrics regarding Chicago terminal inventories and trains held for delivery to Chicago; and (iii) a report summarizing the current Chicago Transit Coordination Office (CTCO) service contingency protocols, including Alert Levels, with notice of future changes. Covered parties are required to submit weekly reports of data responsive to the Board’s requests, which are described as temporary.

Included with this pleading is an electronic spreadsheet containing BNSF’s weekly submission of data responsive to the first category of data requests in the Order, which cover BNSF-specific network performance measures. A hardcopy of the spreadsheet is also included herein as Attachment A. Information responsive to the second and third categories of requests is being submitted on behalf of BNSF and the other Class I railroads through the AAR in a separate filing that will also be updated according to the schedule contained in the Board’s Order.

BNSF will continue to update the enclosed spreadsheet on a weekly basis, and will continue to review available data sets and definitions as we gain more familiarity with the data sources relied on for this report. We repeat our earlier caution against drawing firm conclusions based on the absolute values reported in BNSF's report or across the various railroads that are also submitting data. BNSF will also continue to engage frequently and substantively with our customers through direct conversations, and through broader communications and letters, customer forums, meetings and broadcasts to provide real-time information around our service challenges, our short-term and long-term plans to increase network velocity, and our progress against those plans, and to ensure we hear their perspectives and feedback.

Respectfully submitted,



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Railroad: BNSF	Year: 2016	Reporting Week:	Date Week Began: 5/29/2016
			Date Week Ended: 6/4/2016

1. System-Average Train Speed by Train Type for the Reporting Week (MPH)	
Intermodal	35.9
Grain unit	24.9
Coal unit	24.0
Automotive unit	27.0
Crude oil unit	28.7
Ethanol unit	23.7
Manifest	23.5
All Other	21.1

2. Weekly Average Terminal Dwell Time Measured in Hours Excluding Cars on Run Through Trains	
System Average	24.2

2. Weekly Average Terminal Dwell Time Measured in Hours for 10 Largest Terminals In Terms Of Railcar Capacity	
Barstow, CA	33.6
Denver, CO	32.8
Fort Worth, TX	22.3
Galesburg, IL	25.9
Kansas City, KS	33.8
Lincoln, NE	36.9
Memphis, TN	17.7
Northtown, MN	23.7
Pasco, WA	22.9
Tulsa, OK	20.2

3. Total Cars On Line by Car Type for the Reporting Week	
Box	10,833
Covered hopper	68,225
Gondola	8,562
Intermodal	16,548
Multilevel (automotive)	7,719
Open hopper	52,963
Tank	49,603
Other	9,963
Total	224,416

4. Weekly Average Dwell Time at Origin for Unit Train Shipments Measured in Hours	
Grain	5.6
Coal	2.5

Automotive	27.6
Crude Oil	3.2
Ethanol	5.2
All Other Unit Trains	12.0

5. Weekly Total Number of Trains Held Short of Destination or Scheduled Interchange for Longer than 6 Hours by Train Type and Cause

Train Type	Cause						Total
	Crew	Locomotive power	Track maintenance	Mechanical Issue	Other		
					Number	Briefly Explain Cause	
Intermodal	0	0	0	0	41	Road, Terminal, Other	41
Grain unit	10	3	0	0	46	Road, Terminal, Other	59
Coal unit	25	0	3	0	45	Road, Terminal, Other	73
Automotive unit	8	0	0	4	20	Road, Terminal, Other	32
Crude oil unit	0	0	0	0	11	Road, Terminal, Other	11
Ethanol unit	0	0	0	0	4	Road, Terminal, Other	4
Other unit	15	0	10	0	41	Road, Terminal, Other	66
All other trains	16	3	19	0	68	Road, Terminal, Other	106
Total	74	6	32	4	276	Road, Terminal, Other	392

6. Weekly Total Number of Loaded and Empty Cars in Revenue Service That Have Not Moved In:

	Greater Than 120 Hours		Greater Than 48 but Less than or Equal to 120 Hours	
	Loaded	Empty	Loaded	Empty
Intermodal	77	640	544	3,224
Grain	215	535	1,081	1,503
Coal	54	768	244	416
Crude Oil	0	1	14	198
Ethanol	42	40	366	633
Automotive	80	135	1,211	1,006
All Other	796	1,663	9,872	11,271

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7. Weekly total grain cars loaded and billed, reported by State, aggregated for the following Standard Transportation Commodity Codes (STCCs): 01131 (barley), 01132 (corn), 01133 (oats), 01135 (rye), 01136 (sorghum grains), 01137 (wheat), 01139 (grain, not elsewhere classified), 01144 (soybeans), 01341 (beans, dry), 01342 (peas, dry), and 01343 (cowpeas, lentils, or lupines). "Total grain cars loaded and billed" includes cars in shuttle service; dedicated train service; reservation, lottery, open and other ordering systems; and, private cars. Additionally, please separately report the total cars loaded and billed in shuttle service (or dedicated train service) versus total cars loaded and billed in all other ordering systems, including private cars.

Instruction: Please enter "0" if no data is being reported for a field.

State	Total Grain Cars Loaded and Billed For All Ordering Systems	Total Grain Cars Loaded and Billed For Shuttle / Dedicated Train Service Ordering Systems	Total Grain Cars Loaded and Billed For Ordering Systems Other Than Shuttle / Dedicated Train Service
AL	0		
AR	0		
AZ	0		
CA	0		
CO	8		8
CT	0		
DE	0		
FL	0		
GA	0		
IA	587	227	360
ID	18		18
IL	342	338	4
IN	0		
KS	915	791	124
KY	0		
LA	0		
MA	0		
MD	0		
ME	0		
MI	2		2
MN	1,396	1,361	35
MO	225	225	
MS	0		
MT	802	681	121
NC	0		
ND	1,185	687	498
NE	1,072	677	395
NH	0		
NJ	0		
NM	0		
NV	0		
NY	0		
OH	0		
OK	662	662	
OR	3		3
PA	0		

RI	0		
SC	0		
SD	1,176	1,133	43
TN	0		
TX	244	110	134
UT	0		
VA	0		
VT	2		2
WA	19		19
WI	41		41
WV	0		
WY	26		26
Total	8,725	6,892	1,833

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8. For the aggregated STCCs in item 7, report by State the following: a. running total number of outstanding car orders (a car order equals one car); b. average number of days late for all outstanding car orders; c. total number of new car orders received during the past week; d. total number of car orders filled during the past week; and e. number of orders cancelled, respectively, by shipper and railroad during the past week.

State	a. Running Total Number of Outstanding Car Orders	b. Average Number of Days Late For All Outstanding Grain Car Orders	c. Number of New Car Orders	d. Number of Car Orders Filled	e.1. Number of Orders Canceled By Shipper	e.2. Number of Orders Canceled By Railroad
AL						
AR	1	1.0		5		
AZ						
CA			1	1		
CO				15		
CT						
DE						
FL						
GA						
IA				15		
ID						
IL						
IN						
KS			12	87		
KY						
LA						
MA						
MD						
ME						
MI						
MN				48		
MO				2		
MS						
MT				79	6	
NC						
ND	3	1.0		417	24	
NE	7	2.0	5	357		
NH						
NJ						
NM						
NV						
NY						
OH						
OK				116		
OR						
PA						
RI						
SC						
SD				138		
TN						
TX				262	96	
UT						
VA						

VT						
WA				11	1	
WI				61		
WV						
WY				26		
TOTAL	11	1.6	18	1,640	127	0

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9. Plan vs. Performance For Grain Shuttle (Or Dedicated Grain Train) Round Trips, By Region, Updated To Reflect The Previous Four Weeks

Region (Please Specify Destination Region)	Trip Plan	Trip Performance			
	June Plan	6/4/2016	5/28/2016	5/21/2016	5/14/2016
System	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.7	3.1
CA	2.8	3.2	2.9	3.2	2.5
Gulf	3.2	2.9	2.5	2.3	3.6
Mexico	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.6
PNW	3.2	2.9	3.1	3.3	3.3
West TX	3.8	4.3	4.8	4.1	3.8

10. Average Daily Coal Unit Train Loadings vs. Plan for the Reporting Week By Coal Production Region

Region	Loadings Plan	Loadings Average
Powder River Basin	38.0	31.9
Illinois Basin		
Uinta Basin		
Northern Appalachia		
Central Appalachia		
Southern Appalachia		
Other	2.0	1.3

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