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The Honorable Daniel R. Elliott III, Chairman United States Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20423

The Honorable Debra Miller, Vice Chairman United States Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20423 242162

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The Honorable Ann D. Begeman, Commissioner United States Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20423

#### Re: STB Docket No. EP 724-3 - United States Rail Service Issues- Data Collection 2016 Reporting Week Forty Eight

Dear Mr. Elliott, Ms Miller and Ms Begeman:

I am writing to provide comment on the service data that we are filing contemporaneous herewith in response to the Board's data collection order of October 8, 2014.

CP's US network continues to be fluid and in good operating condition, as it has for many months. Again this week, system average train speed, weekly average terminal dwell, and cars on line data are all good.

Grain car demand and performance remained steady this reporting week. We received 1202 new grain car orders, and spotted a total of 2123 grain cars, which total includes single cars and cars in dedicated trains. The number of outstanding grain car orders this week is 1509.

Sincerely,

Steven Nettleton, Vice President Operations

Railroad: CPRS		Describer 144 and 140	Date Week Began:	11/20/2010	
Kaliroad: CPRS	Year: 2016	Reporting Week: 48	Date Week Ended:	11/26/2016	
	Speed by Train Type for the Week (MPH)				
Intermodal	33.1				
Grain unit	30.0				
Coal unit	23.8				
Automotive unit	26.1				
Crude oil unit	30.6				
Ethanol unit	27.3				
Manifest	27.0				
All Other	26.8				
2. Weekly Average Termi Hours Excluding Car	inal Dwell Time Measured in				
System Average	16.0	_			
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29.9

10.2

16.8

12.5

9.8

23.4

3. Total Cars On Line by Car Type for the Reporting Week			
Box	801		
Covered hopper	11,145		
Gondola	2,040		
Intermodal	641		
Multilevel (automotive)	421		
Open hopper	274		
Tank	7,072		
Other	856		
Total	23,250		

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4. Weekly Average Dwell Time at Origin for Unit Train Shipments Measured in Hours				
Grain 63.3				
Coal -				
Automotive -				
Crude 12.3				
Ethanol 31.1				
Other	23.0			

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						
	Crew	Locomotive power	Track maintenance	Mechanical Issue	Other		Total
					Number	Briefly Explain Cause	
Intermodal	0	0	0	0	0		0
Grain unit	0	0	0	0	0		0
Coal unit	0	0	0	0	0		0
Automotive unit	0	0	0	0	0		0
Crude oil unit	0	0	0	0	0		0
Ethanol unit	0	0	0	0	0		0
Other unit	0	0	0	0	0		0
All other trains	0	0	0	0	0		0
Total	0	0	0	0	0		0

6. Weekly Total Number of Loaded and Empty Cars in Revenue Service That Have Not Moved In:						
	Greater Tha	n 120 Hours	Greater Than 48 or Equal to			
	Loaded	Empty	Loaded	Empty		
Intermodal	1	5	8	-		
Grain	99	6	32	20		
Coal	-	-	-	1		
Crude Oil	2	10	-	-		
Ethanol	2	-	18	6		
Automotive	2	-	1	-		
All Other	58	65	211	134		

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7. Weekly total grain cars	loaded and billed, reported by State, aggregated for the	following Standard Transportation Commodity Codes (S	TCCs): 01131 (barley), 01132 (corn), 01133 (oats),		
			s, 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.					
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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	0	0
AZ	0	0	0
AR	0	0	0
CA	0	0	0
со	0	0	0
СТ	0	0	0
DE	0	0	0
FL	0	0	0
GA	0	0	0
ID	4	0	4
IL	13	0	13
IN	0	0	0
IA	6	0	6
KS	0	0	0
КҮ	0	0	0
LA	0	0	0
ME	0	0	0
MD	0	0	0
MA	0	0	0
MI	0	0	0
MN	985	528	457
MS	0	0	0
MO	31	0	31
MT	15	0	15
NE	0	0	0
NV	0	0	0
NH	0	0	0
NJ	0	0	0
NM	0	0	0
NY	6	0	6
NC	0	0	0
ND	792	600	192
ОН	0	0	0
ОК	0	0	0
OR	0	0	0
PA	0	0	0

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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.

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State	Total Grain Cars Loaded and Billed For All Ordering Systems	tal Grain Cars Loaded and Billed For All Ordering Systems Train Service Ordering Systems	
RI	0	0	0
SC	0	0	0
SD	0	0	0
TN	0	0	0
тх	0	0	0
UT	0	0	0
VT	0	0	0
VA	0	0	0
WA	0	0	0
wv	0	0	0
WI	35	0	35
WY	0	0	0
Total	1,887	1,128	759

Railroad:	CDRS
Railroad:	CPRS

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 11/21/2016

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 11/27/2016

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		Orders				
AZ						
AR						
CA						
CO						
СТ						
DE						
FL						
GA						
ID						
IL IL						
IN						
IA						
KS						
KY						
LA						
ME						
MD						
MA						
MI	664	0.00 mm ala	540	010	50	
MN	661	0.68 weeks	543	810	50	
MS						
MO	50	1.00	56	31 96		
MT	50	1.00 weeks		96		
NE						
NV						
NH						
NJ						
NM						
NY						
NC						
ND	773	0.27 weeks	578	1,161	60	
ОН						
ОК						
OR						
PA						
RI						
SC						
SD						
TN						
ТХ						
UT						
VT						
VA						

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WA						
wv						
WI	25	0.00 weeks	25	25		
WY						
TOTAL	1,509	0.47 weeks	1,202	2,123	110	0

Railroad: CPRS	Year: 2016	Reporting Week: 48	Date Week Began:	11/20/2016
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	rain Shuttle (Or Dedicated Gra d To Reflect The Previous Four	in Train) Round Trips, By Regic <sup>r</sup> Weeks	on,	
Region (Please Specify Destination Region)	Trip Plan	Trip Performance		
Pacific North West	2.2	2.1	-	
Other	2.2	2.4		
			_	
			-	
10. Average Daily Coal Unit Trai	n Loadings vs. Plan for the Rep Region	porting Week By Coal Production	on	
Region	Loadings Plan	Loadings Average		
Powder River Basin			-1	
Illinois Basin				
Uinta Basin				
Northern Appalachia				
Central Appalachia				

Southern Appalachia

EP 724(3) - US RAIL SERVICE ISSUES - DATA COLLECTION				
Railroad: CPRS	Year: 2016	Reporting Week: 48	Date Week Began:	11/20/2016
			Date Week Ended:	11/26/2016
Chicago Gateway				
1. Average Daily Car Counts By Terminal Yard For The Reporting Week				
Barr				
Bensenville	775			
Blue Island				
Calumet	10			
Cicero				
Clearing	32			
Corwith				
Gibson				
Kirk				
Markham				
Proviso	1			
Other Yards				
*See EP 724 (Sub-No.3)*				
2. Average Daily Number Of Trains	Held For Delivery To Chicago Sorted by			
	or The Reporting Week			
BNSF	0.00			
CN	0.00			
СР	0.00			
CSX	0.00			
NS	0.00			
UP	0.00			

#### Status of the Chicago Terminal

As of this writing, the Chicago Terminal OPCON status is green. Our railroad is in normal operating condition at Chicago.