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North Dakota Public Service Commission
Department 408
600 East Boulevard Avenue
Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480

**RE: Docket No. AB1003X
Notice of Exemption of Mohall Central Railroad, Inc.
in Nelson, Ramsey and Cavalier Counties, North Dakota**

Dear Sir/Madam:

This is to inform you that pursuant to 49 C.F.R. § 1152.50 (Exempt Abandonments and Discontinuance of Service and Trackage Rights), Mohall Central Railroad, Inc. shall on or after October 9, 2007, file a Notice of Exemption with the Surface Transportation Board for approval to abandon a 44.44 mile line of railroad between milepost 3.75 and milepost 48.19 in Nelson, Ramsey and Cavalier Counties, North Dakota. Such line runs through U.S. Postal Zip Codes 58321, 58330, 58338, 58344, 58345, and 58352.

The exemption procedures set forth in § 1152.50 are being used in this case because no local traffic has moved over this line for at least two years and there is no overhead traffic that would have to be rerouted over other lines. Based on information in our possession, the line does not contain any federally granted rights of way. Any documentation in the railroad's possession will be made available promptly to those requesting it.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Karen R. Kees".

Karen R. Kees
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