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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown
Chief, Section of Administration
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Surface Transportation Board
395 E. Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20024

**Re: Docket No. AB-1003 (Sub-No. 1x), Mohall Central Railroad, Inc.—
Abandonment Exemption—in Cavalier County, North Dakota**

Dear Ms. Brown:

By notice of exemption served in the above-captioned proceedings on December 16, 2010, Mohall Central Railroad, Inc. ("MCR") was authorized to abandon its line of railroad extending from milepost 67.5, near Calvin, North Dakota, to milepost 72.9, at Sarles, North Dakota, a distance of 5.4 miles, in Cavalier County, North Dakota. MCR's abandonment exemption became effective on January 15, 2011.

Pursuant to 49 C.F.R. 1152.29(e)(2) and 1152.50(e), MCR hereby provides notice that it exercised the authority granted herein and consummated abandonment of the subject line of railroad on May 20, 2011.

Thank you for your assistance on this matter.

Very truly yours,



Michael J. Barron, Jr.
Attorney for Mohall Central Railroad, Inc.

MJB: jc

cc: North Dakota Department of Transportation, ATTN: Rail Programs, 608 East Boulevard Ave., Bismarck, ND 58505-0700 ✓

North Dakota Public Service Commission, Department 408, 600 East Boulevard Ave.,
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Notice of Exemption to abandon rail line - Calvin to Sarles, ND

Mohall Central Railroad, Inc.

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