

Hamre, John G.

From: Sweeney, Brian J <Brian.Sweeney@bnsf.com>
Sent: Monday, September 28, 2015 10:49 AM
To: Hamre, John G.
Subject: RE: RR-15-676 Rail Clearance Variance Request

Our engineering department indicates we would be agreeable to the variance if:

The plant owner posts signs for the clearance issues that say no not ride rail cars and that they put reflective tape on anything in the clearance envelop to make it visible to train crews.

Brian Sweeney

From: Hamre, John G. [<mailto:jghamre@nd.gov>]
Sent: Friday, September 25, 2015 10:41 AM
To: Sweeney, Brian J
Cc: Nitschke, Darrell D.
Subject: RE: RR-15-676 Rail Clearance Variance Request

See attached.

Thanks,
John

John G Hamre
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From: Sweeney, Brian J [<mailto:Brian.Sweeney@bnsf.com>]
Sent: Friday, September 25, 2015 10:36 AM
To: Hamre, John G.
Cc: Nitschke, Darrell D.
Subject: Re: RR-15-676 Rail Clearance Variance Request

I have been out of the office, please email the letter to me. Thanks.

Brian Sweeney

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 25, 2015, at 10:33 AM, Hamre, John G. <jghamre@nd.gov> wr

Mr. Sweeney,

This is just a follow-up regarding the 18 September 2015 letter we sent to you regarding the Dakota Gasification Loading Facility variance request.

Could you please send us your comments regarding Basin Electric's request as soon as possible?

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E-mail – response to request for variance –
conditional no protest

BNSF Railway Company

Brian Sweeney

It is our understanding that this is a rather time sensitive matter for Basin Electric.

Thank you,

John

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