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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown Chief of the Section of Administration, Office of Proceedings Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20423 ENTERED
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Re: Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 812X), CSX Transportation, Inc.—Abandonment Exemption—in Cuyahoga County, OH

Dear Ms. Brown:

By decision served in this docket on September 28, 2023, the Board granted CSX Transportation, Inc. ("CSXT") authority to abandon an approximately 1.3-mile rail line that runs between milepost BJB 73.21 and milepost BJB 74.51, on its Cleveland Subdivision in Cuyahoga County, OH (the "Line"). On September 5, 2024, Norfolk Southern Railway Company ("NSR") filed a Notice of Exemption to discontinue trackage rights over the Line. NSR's trackage rights are a barrier to exit and CSXT cannot consummate abandonment until NSR's trackage rights are extinguished. Out of an abundance of caution, CSXT respectfully requests an extension of the consummation date in this proceeding util 60 days after NSR's discontinuance of trackage rights have been granted.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely yours,

Melanie B. Yasbin

Attorney for CSX Transportation, Inc.

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