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Railroad Commission

RE: "Common Carrier"

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We oppose the attempt by this agency to change this precedents and Jurisprudence of Texas Law as evolved and approved over a long history of Court decisions and Legislative enactments.

Recent attempts to properly change the law through the Legislative branch have met defeat.

If you change the definition, imagine how much time and cost will be lost in litigation for both carriers and owners. There could be no consistent rulings, leading to a jungle of misunderstood (to put it mildly) results. That's not progress. Don't do this.

Very truly yours,

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P. S. This smacks of Obama politics – Do what you can by regulation (e.g., EPA, IRS, etc.)