EMPLOYER STATUS DETERMINATION Chicago West Pullman & Southern Railway Company

This is the decision of the Railroad Retirement Board regarding the continued status of the Chicago West Pullman & Southern Railway Company (also known as the Chicago West Pullman & Southern Railroad Company and the Chicago West Pullman & Southern Railroad Company, Limited Liability Company) as an employer under the Railroad Retirement and Railroad Unemployment Insurance Acts.

The Chicago West Pullman was held to be an employer under the Acts effective February 5, 1900 (B.A. Number 4317). On August 15, 1996, it was merged into Chicago Rail Link L.L.C., an employer under the Acts (B.A. No. 4713).

Accordingly, the Board holds that Chicago West Pullman ceased to be an employer under the Railroad Retirement and Railroad Unemployment Insurance Acts effective with the close of business on August 15, 1996.

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