

## **EMPLOYER STATUS DETERMINATION**

### **Mineral Wells & Eastern Railway Company**

This is the determination of the Railroad Retirement Board concerning the status of Mineral Wells & Eastern Railway Company (MWER) (BA No.3875) as an employer under the Railroad Retirement Act (45 U.S.C. §231 et seq.) (RRA) and the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act (45 U.S.C. §351 et seq.) (RUIA).

The Interstate Commerce Commission (ICC) authorized MWER to discontinue operations over its entire line of railroad in Docket No. AB-376X, decided October 14, 1992. MWER ceased operations on October 21, 1992. Its employees last performed compensated service on July 30, 1992.

Based upon the information summarized above, it is determined that Mineral Wells & Eastern Railway Company ceased to be a rail carrier employer under the RRA and the RUIA effective October 21, 1992, the date on which it ceased operations.

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