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The Honorable Daniel R. Elliott III Chairman United States Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, SW Washington, DC 20423 -0001

The Honorable Ann D. Begeman Vice Chairman United States Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, SW Washington, DC 20423 -0001

The Honorable Debra Miller United States Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, SW Washington, DC 20423 -0001

RE: Opposition of the CP Acquisition of the NS

I am writing to express my opposition on the CP acquisition of the NS. We have been a customer and have leased a facility 2200 43rd Street Chicago Il. 60609 since 1994.

We have always enjoyed excellent service and excellent communication with the NS. I feel if the acquisition takes place we will suffer in a lease increase as to possible different service and new contacts. It is critical to our business that our service keeps going as to what our customers have been use to since 1994. I see no benefit to us to have a CP - NS. If this acquisition takes place we will lose some of our customer base.

I have enjoyed working with the NS for over 2 decades now. I have enjoyed seeing NS focusing on the restoring and investing of the infrastructure.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gerardo M. Jaime".

Gerardo M. Jaime
General Manager