

The Honorable Daniel R. Elliott III
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Dear Chairman Elliott and Surface Transportation Board Members,

I am writing you today, to express our support regarding Canadian Pacific Railway Limited's (CP) proposal for a CP-Norfolk merger.

TASLAR TRADING CORP (Europe) specializes in exporting raw agricultural commodities out of Canada to many countries in Asia, Africa and south America. With the anticipated merger, we expect to access the east cost ports of United States like port of New Jersey. This will probably shorten the transit time, improve efficiency and likely increase the revenue stream within US.

TASLAR believes a CP-NS combination will create a transcontinental railroad with the scale and reach to deliver improved levels of service to us and enable us to better serve new customers in US and beyond. We urge the Surface Transportation Board to judge the proposal on its merits and we look forward to a positive outcome.

Please contact us at the address above for more information if you so desire more clarification.

Sincerely,

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