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**Re: STB Docket No. AB-6 (Sub-No. 485X), BNSF Railway Co. - Abandonment
Exemption – In McKinley County, New Mexico**

Dear Ms. Brown:

Pursuant to the decision of the Surface Transportation Board (the "Board") served on September 19, 2012 in this proceeding, BNSF Railway Company ("BNSF") hereby notifies the Board that, effective November 26, 2019, BNSF consummated the abandonment of 5.11 miles of rail line located between milepost 14.50 and milepost 19.61, north of Defiance, in McKinley County, N.M. (the Line). This line traverses United States Postal Service Zip Code 87319.

Please contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jill M. Rugema". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Jill M. Rugema