

BAKER & MILLER PLLC

ATTORNEYS and COUNSELLORS

2401 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW
SUITE 300
WASHINGTON, DC 20037

TELEPHONE: (202) 663-7820
FACSIMILE: (202) 663-7849

Donald I. Baker
E-Mail: dbaker@bakerandmiller.com

(202) 663-7821 (Direct Dial)

300201

December 19, 2019

Ms. Cynthia T. Brown, Chief
Section of Administration
Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board
395 E. Street, S.W., Room 1034
Washington, DC 20006

ENTERED
Office of Proceedings
December 19, 2019
Part of
Public Record

Re: EP 730 (Sub No. 1) – Annual Update for Continued Inclusion on Roster of Arbitrators

Dear Ms. Brown:

By decision served on September 30, 2016, as corrected on October 11, 2016, the Board adopted modified rules for creating and maintaining a roster of arbitrators.¹ In a subsequent decision served Dec. 2, 2016, the Board sought applications from all interested persons who wished to be included on the initial arbitration roster to be established by the Board.² On January 17, 2017, I submitted an application setting forth my qualifications and requesting inclusion on the arbitrators' roster to be established. The Board named me to its roster of arbitrators in a decision served February 23, 2017.³ In 2018 and 2019, I again requested and the Board again included me in the arbitrators' roster established by the Board.⁴

Recently, in a decision served December 9, 2019, the Board sought new applications for inclusion on the roster and requested that existing arbitrators provide an update, to the extent necessary, and confirm continued interest and availability. Please consider this correspondence

¹ See Revisions to Arbitration Procedures, EP 730, slip op. at 3-4 (STB served Oct. 11, 2016).

² See Revisions to Arbitration Procedures, EP 730 (Sub-No. 1) (STB served Dec. 2, 2016).

³ See Revisions to Arbitration Procedures, EP 730 (Sub-No. 1) (STB served Feb. 23, 2017).

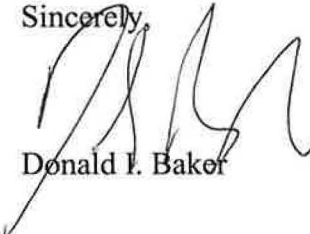
⁴ See Roster of Arbitrators – Annual Update, EP 730 (Sub-No. 1) (STB served Feb. 14, 2018, Feb. 27, 2019, and March 28, 2019).

BAKER & MILLER PLLC

Ms. Cynthia T. Brown, Chief
December 19, 2019
Page 2 of 2

as notice of my continued availability for inclusion on the roster of arbitrators consistent with the Board's decision served December 9, 2019. My biographical and hourly rate information on file with the Board remains accurate. If you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact me by e-mail or telephone.

Sincerely,



Donald I. Baker

cc: Parties of Record