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Meeting under Section 5, STB Reauthorization Act

December 18, 2019

Present: Members Begeman, Fuchs, and Oberman
Staff Rachel Campbell, Anika Cooper, Ellen Erichsen, Sarah Fancher,
Amanda Gorski, Kim Hillenbrand, Craig Keats, Gabriel Meyer, Rebecca
Morrow, Lisa Novins, Valerie Quinn, John Rackson, Janie Sheng, Jennifer
Smith-Bozek, Julie Waddell, Amy Ziehm, Scott Zimmerman

Topic: Docket No. EP 759, Demurrage Billing Requirements

Summary of the Matters Discussed, Prepared by General Counsel Craig Keats:

At this meeting, staff and Board Members reviewed the comments and replies filed by railroad, shipper, and warehouse/third-party logistics interests in response to the notice of proposed rulemaking issued on October 7, 2019. The notice proposed that the Board adopt changes to its regulations with respect to demurrage liability. Staff and Members discussed the various issues and options raised by the comments and replies.

In particular, staff and Board Members discussed the following issues:

1. Background of the proceeding and the nature of the proposals made.
2. Additional information provided by the various commenters.
3. Agency precedent on various issues raised.
4. Next steps.