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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown
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Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, S.W.
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Submitted via e-filing

Re: STB Finance Docket No. 36397, *Wisconsin Central Ltd.—Petition for Declaratory Order—Interchange with Soo Line Railroad Company*

Dear Ms. Brown:

The Commuter Rail Division of the Regional Transportation Authority d/b/a Metra hereby files the attached Notice of Intent to Participate in the above captioned proceeding.

Thank you very much for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,



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Enclosure

**BEFORE THE
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD**

STB Finance Docket No. 36397

**WISCONSIN CENTRAL, LTD. – PETITION FOR DECLARATORY ORDER –
INTERCHANGE WITH SOO LINE RAILROAD COMPANY**

NOTICE OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE

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The Commuter Rail Division of the Regional Transportation Authority d/b/a Metra (“Metra”) hereby submits this Notice of Intent to Participate in the above-referenced proceeding. Metra seeks to participate in order to stay apprised of the status of the interchange location, which may implicate additional or continued use of Metra-owned track. At present, Metra does not intend to comment on the merits of the proceeding or broaden the issues. Metra reserves the right, however, to submit comments in the event that additional proposals for resolution of the dispute or other developments in this proceeding will have further impact on tracks Metra owns or uses for its commuter rail operations.

Undersigned counsel is Metra’s representative for the purpose of receiving filings and copies of the Board’s decisions, orders and notices in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,



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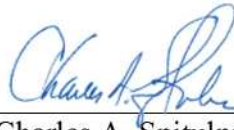
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have on the 19th day of August 2020, caused to be served a copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE, upon the following parties of record in this proceeding by email:

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