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CAPTION SUMMARY

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

Notice of Exemption

FINANCE DOCKET NO. FD 36422

BRANCH LINE RAILROAD, INC.

- ACQUISITION EXEMPTION -

RAIL LINE OF NORTHWOODS DISTRIBUTION SERVICES, INC.

AT RHINELANDER TRANSLOAD FACILITY, RHINELANDER, WISCONSIN

Branch Line Railroad, Inc. (BLRR), has filed a Notice of Exemption to acquire and operate from Northwoods Distribution Services, Inc., a non-carrier, approximately 3,000 feet (0.56 mile) of right-of-way and trackage at the Northwood Distribution Services' Rhinelander Transload Facility in Rhinelander, Wisconsin. Comments must be filed with the Board and be served on BLRR's representative, David C. Dillon, Dillon & Nash, Ltd., 3100 Dundee Road, Suite 508, Northbrook, Illinois, 60062, (847) 498-3000.

This Notice is filed under 49 C.F.R. § 1150.31. If the Notice contains false or misleading information, the exemption is void *ab initio*. Petitions to revoke the exemption under 49 U.S.C. §10502(d) may be filed at any time. The filing of a petition to revoke will not automatically stay the transaction.

By the Board

(Seal)

Chief, Section of Administration
Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board

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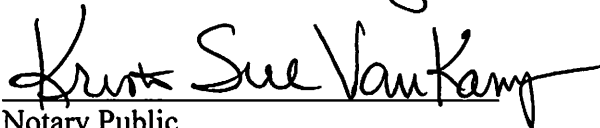
CERTIFICATION UNDER 49 C.F.R. § 1150.33(h)

Branch Line Railroad, Inc. hereby certifies under 49 C.F.R. § 1150.33(h), that the acquisition and operation of 3,000 feet (0.56 miles) of track located at the Rhinelander Facility does not involve a provision or agreement that will limit future interchange with a third-party connecting carrier.



David C. Dillon
*Authorized Representative of
Branch Line Railroad, Inc.*

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before
me this 13th of January, 2020.



Notary Public



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, at Chicago, Illinois, this 1st day of January, 2018.

[Signature]
Notary Public
State of Illinois

[Signature]
Kristin Sue Van Kampen

My Commission Expires 1/18/2022
Notary Public, State of Illinois
KRISTIN SUE VAN KAMPEN
"OFFICIAL SEAL"