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Cynthia T. Brown
Chief of Administration
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United States Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street SW
Washington, D.C. 20423

Re: Docket No. EP 765, *Rulemaking to Establish Voluntary Arbitration in Small Rate Disputes*

Dear Ms. Brown:

On November 24, 2020, the Board initiated rulemaking in response to the petition brought by CSX Transportation, Inc., Canadian National Railway, Kansas City Southern Railway Company, Norfolk Southern Corporation, and Union Pacific Railroad Company in this matter. During the initial stage of the proceeding, Canadian Pacific¹ did not file comments, which may have caused a concern on the part of some stakeholders.

In order to dispel any confusion on the matter, CP now states that it supports the effort to find a workable, reasonable, accessible arbitration program for small rate cases, and would participate in such a pilot program.

We respectfully ask that the Board accept this letter as a late filed comment by CP, and to include it in the record for sake of completeness. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Charles W. Webster

cc: Parties of Record

¹ Canadian Pacific is a trade name under which Canadian Pacific Railway Company and its United States subsidiaries, Soo Line Railroad Company, Dakota, Minnesota & Eastern Railroad Corporation, Delaware and Hudson Railway Company, Inc., and Central Maine & Quebec Railway US Inc. operate.