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Re: Surface Transportation Board Finance Docket No. 36500 – *Canadian Pacific Railway Limited et al. – Control – Kansas City Southern et al.*

Dear Danielle:

In accordance with 49 C.F.R. §1105.10(d), I am requesting that the Office of Environmental Analysis (“OEA”) approve the use of a third party consultant, to be selected by OEA, to work under the supervision of OEA in the preparation of the environmental documentation required under 49 C.F.R. Part 1105 in connection with the above-captioned matter.

I wish to inform OEA that we would have no objection if OEA were to select VHB as the third-party consultant. VHB is among the third-party consultants pre-approved by OEA for use in the environmental studies. Please let me know if you have any questions. We greatly appreciate your assistance and look forward to working with you on this project.

Sincerely,



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