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The Honorable Martin Oberman
Chairman
Surface Transportation Board
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**Attn: Surface Transportation Board Docket No. EP. 772 (Oversight Hearing
Pertaining to Union Pacific Railroad Company's Embargoes)**

RE: Notice of Intent to Participate

Dear Chairman Oberman,

The National Mining Association (NMA) appreciates the opportunity to speak at the Surface Transportation Board (STB) hearing on Dec. 13 and 14, 2022, and hereby submits this notice of intent to participate.

The NMA is a national trade association that includes the producers of most of the nation's coal, metals, industrial, and agricultural minerals; the manufacturers of mining and mineral processing machinery, equipment, and supplies; and the engineering and consulting firms, financial institutions, and other firms serving the mining industry. The NMA's members conduct mining operations throughout the United States and rely on Class I rail carriers to transport mined materials, including coal.

The NMA's proposed speaker at the hearing is Katie Mills, NMA Associate General Counsel, with a requested speaking time of 5 minutes.

If there are any questions, please reach out to me at kmills@nma.org.

Sincerely,

Katie Mills

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