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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown
Chief of the Section of Administration, Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board
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RE: **Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 811X), CSX Transportation, Inc.—
*Abandonment—in Bronx County, NY***

Dear Ms. Brown:

Pursuant to 49 CFR 1152.29(h), CSXT Transportation, Inc. ("CSXT") and the City of New York (the "City"), notify the Surface Transportation Board that they have entered a Purchase Sale Agreement (the "Agreement") for the rail banking/interim trail use of the CSXT 0.77-mile rail line between milepost Q## 3.79 and milepost Q## 4.50 on its Albany Division, New York Terminal, Putnam Branch, in Bronx County, N.Y. (the "Premises"). A map is attached.

As required by 49 CFR 1152.29(a)(2), CSXT and the City certify that under the Agreement, that the City has agreed that upon the conveyance of the Premises to the City pursuant to the terms of the Agreement (the "Conveyance"), that the City shall assume full responsibility for: (i) managing the Premises; (ii) indemnifying CSXT against any potential legal liability arising out of the transfer or use of the Premises; and (iii) the payment of any and all taxes that may be levied or assessed against the Premises after the Conveyance.

I certify that a copy of this letter has been served on all parties of record.

The filing of this letter has been authorized by CSXT and the City. This letter is being efiled. Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions please call or email me.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ *Louis E. Gitomer*

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Attorney for CSX Transportation, Inc.

Attachment

