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The Honorable Patrick J. Fuchs, Chairman
United States Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street SW
Washington, DC 20423-0001

Dear Chairman Fuchs:

My name is Tony Reck. I am the retired Chairman, President and CEO of P&L Transportation, Inc. (PLT), the parent company of Paducah & Louisville Railway, Inc. (Class II), Evansville Western Railway, Inc. (EVWR) (Class II), Appalachian and Ohio Railway, Inc. (Class III) and Midway Southern Railway, Inc. (Class III).

This letter is submitted to endorse the nomination of Mr. Tom Greene to the Surface Transportation Board's Rail Energy Transportation Advisory Committee (RETAC) vacancies for Class II and III Railroads. Tom assumed the role of Chairman, President, and CEO when I retired in January 2023. I have known Tom for 30 years, having joined our company in 1995 as Vice President and CFO. In 2000 I added the responsibilities of Operations to his role with us. He served as EVP, COO & CFO until assuming his current position. He has been influential in growing PLT from one railroad to four, including two Intermodal facilities and growing the EVWR into a Class II Railroad. Prior to joining PLT he held several positions of increasing responsibility at CSX and predecessor companies.

He also serves on several business and industry boards such as the American Short Line and Regional Railroad Association and Kentuckians for Better Transportation.

As a former member of RETAC myself, I feel that Tom's extensive experience and solid leadership makes him a worthy candidate who will bring significant value to the Committee.

Tom is willing to serve as a member of RETAC representing Class II and III Railroads.

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Tony Reck
Chairman, President & CEO - Retired