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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown
Chief, Section of Administration
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Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, SW
Washington, DC 20423-0001

Re: *Alloy Property Company, LLC – Adverse Abandonment – Chicago Terminal
Railroad – In Chicago, IL, STB Docket No. AB-1258*

Dear Ms. Brown:

Kaplan Kirsch & Rockwell LLP represents the City of Chicago (City) in connection with the above-captioned matter and submits this entry of appearance on behalf of the City.

The City intends to participate in this proceeding and has no comment at this time on the Petition for Partial Waiver of Abandonment Regulations and for Exemption filed by Alloy Property Company, LLC, on June 1, 2017 ("Petition"). As noted in the Petition, the Chicago Plan Commission adopted the North Branch Framework Plan on May 18, 2017, to guide future development in the area of Chicago where the subject property is located. The City's interest in the implementation of its development goals supports its participation in the above-captioned matter. Please enter the City as a party of record on the service list.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Charles A. Spitulnik
Counsel for City of Chicago, Illinois

cc: All Parties of Record

Enclosures

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day caused to be served a copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF INTENT TO PARTICPATE OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO upon the following parties of record in this proceeding by first-class mail with postage prepaid and properly addressed:

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