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US Environmental Protection Agency
Office of Federal Activities
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Mail Code 2252-A, Room 7241
Ariel Rios Building (South Oval Lobby)
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20460

RE: Filing of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for STB Finance Docket No. 35095,
Alaska Railroad Corporation Construction and Operation of a Rail Line Extension to Port
MacKenzie, Alaska

Dear Madame or Sir:

Enclosed please find five copies of the above referenced Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for filing. The Draft EIS has been transmitted and made available to the public and commenting agencies. The Draft EIS is also available on the Board's Web site at www.stb.dot.gov. The Federal official within the Section of Environmental Analysis at the Surface Transportation Board who is responsible for the distribution and contents of the Draft EIS is Dave Navecky, Environmental Protection Specialist. He can be reached at 202-245-0294.

Sincerely,

Victoria Rutson
Chief, Section of Environmental Analysis
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The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has received the

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Environmental Impact Statement prepared by the

(Agency) Surface Transportation Board

entitled Alaska Railroad Corporation Construction and Operation of
a Rail Line Extension to Port Mackenzie, Alaska

The above document has been hand carried to the USEPA for official filing purposes by the undersigned. The undersigned also verifies that complete distribution to all Agencies/Persons as been made simultaneously with this filing.

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