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Washington, DC 20423

Office of Economics, Environmental Analysis and Administration

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Re: Finance Docket No. 35095, The Alaska Railroad Corporation – Petition for
Exemption to Construct and Operate a Rail Line to Port MacKenzie, Alaska

Dear Ms. Floyd:

This letter responds to your request for a copy of the 2008 stream crossing data that were collected by our third-party consultant for the project area. This information may be useful for a stream crossing permit that the Alaska Railroad Corporation would be required to obtain should the Surface Transportation Board approve the proposed project. Three shape files will be transferred to you electronically and these files will include the following information: 1) fish habitat database, 2) hydrology database, and 3) stream sample location database.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact Dave Navecky, SEA Project Manager, at 202-245-0294, or Alan Summerville, ICF Consulting Project Manager, at 703-934-3616.

Sincerely,

Victoria Rutson
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