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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

ORDER OF PRESIDING ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
GRANTING MOTION TO WITHDRAW MOTION TO COMPEL AND
CANCELLING DISCOVERY STATUS CONFERENCE

Docket No. AB 1258

ALLOY PROPERTY COMPANY, LLC—ADVERSE ABANDONMENT—CHICAGO
TERMINAL RAILROAD IN CHICAGO, ILL.

Decided: January 25, 2018

On September 18, 2017, Chicago Terminal Railroad (CTM) filed a motion to compel discovery from Alloy Property Company, LLC (Alloy). On October 5, 2017, Alloy filed a reply. On October 25, 2017, the Surface Transportation Board assigned and authorized the undersigned to entertain and rule upon discovery matters and to resolve all disputes concerning discovery in this proceeding. The undersigned scheduled a discovery status conference on February 1, 2018.

On January 16, 2018, CTM filed a motion to withdraw its motion to compel. CTM represented that it and Alloy have entered into discussions likely to resolve the underlying controversy in this proceeding. Thus, CTM stated, further discovery is unnecessary and no remaining discovery disputes exist. CTM also represented that Alloy consented to CTM's motion to withdraw. CTM requested that the undersigned cancel the discovery status conference and grant its motion to withdraw.

It is ordered:

1. CTM's motion to withdraw is granted.
2. The discovery status conference scheduled for February 1, 2018, is cancelled.
3. This decision is effective on its date of service.

By the Board, Patricia E. Hurt, Administrative Law Judge.