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TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
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April 10, 2003

FD 34284

Ms. Victoria Rutson, Chief
Section of Environmental Analysis
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street NW
Washington, DC 20423-0001

Re: STB Finance Docket No. 34284, Southwest Gulf Railroad Company - Construction and
Operation Exemption - Medina County, TX;
Request for Preliminary Comments

Dear Ms. Rutson:

On April 1, 2003, the Austin Regional Office of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) received the referenced request for comment. The project is located in Medina County which is within the area regulated by the San Antonio Regional Officer. Therefore, the request is being forwarded to Mr. Bobby Caldwell, Water Section Manager for that region.

Mr. Bobby Caldwell
Water Section Manager
San Antonio Regional Office
14250 Judson Road
San Antonio, Texas 78233-4480
(210) 490-3096

If you need any addition information, please contact Mr. Caldwell at the San Antonio Regional Office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "James Bice".

James Bice, P.E.
Field Investigator
Austin Regional Office

cc: Ms. Jaya Zyman-Ponebshek, URS Corporation, Austin, Texas

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