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10904 Earls Gate Lane
Rockville, MD 20852
October 11, 2001

Mr. Dennis Watson
Surface Transportation board
1925 K Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20423-0001

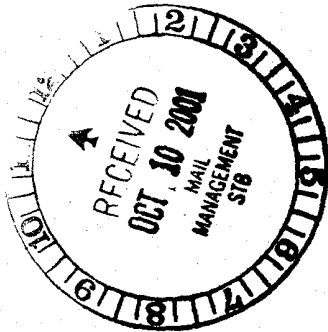
Dear Mr. Watson:

This is an application to be listed as an STB Arbitrator in accordance with CFR 1108.6(a). A copy of my qualifications is attached and I can provide additional information if so desired. I appreciate your consideration.

Sincerely,

Harvey A. Levine

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DR. HARVEY A. LEVINE

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Dr. Levine is an independent transportation economist with expertise in national transportation policy in general, and railroad economics in particular. In 1997, he took an early retirement from the Association of American Railroads, where for 18 years he was the Vice President of the Economics & Finance Department and the railroads' Chief Economist. Since that time, Dr. Levine has provided consultation to a variety of private shipper and railroad clients in both the United States and Canada. In this country he has testified before the United States Senate Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation on the financial state of the railroad industry, and has conducted extensive research in such areas as revenue adequacy, cost of capital, competitive access, railroad costing, railroad inflation indices (Dr. Levine created the Rail Cost Adjustment Factor), labor economics, productivity measurement, and transportation data bases. In Canada, he has participated in Final Offer Arbitration proceedings, has analyzed the national railroad regulatory system, and has submitted a report and made oral presentations to the Canada Transportation Act Review Panel. Dr. Levine has written countless reports focusing on railroad economics, given a multitude of presentations, and has experience as a college professor at American, Duquesne and Howard Universities.

EDUCATION

PhD: American University, 1972 (Fletcher Fellow in Transportation Economics)
MBA: Duquesne University, 1964 (Graduate Fellow)
BBA: University of Pittsburgh, 1961 (Senatorial Scholarship)

EMPLOYMENT

1997-	Self Employed, Levine Consulting Services (Transportation Consultant)
1979-97	Vice President, Economics & Finance Department, Chief Economist, Association of American Railroads
1973-79	Senior Consultant, Vice President, R.L. Banks & Associates, Inc. (Transportation Consultants)
1971-73	Senior Economist, United States Department of Transportation (Office of the Secretary)
1970-71	Director of Economics, Interstate Commerce Commission
1967-70	Assistant Director, Transportation Planning, Planning Research Corporation
1965-67	Assistant Manager, Market Research and Assistant Director, Pricing Research, New York Central Railroad

TESTIMONY

- California Equalization Board	- Railroad Commission of Texas
- Interstate Commerce Commission	- Surface Transportation Board
- Judicial Bodies	- U.S. Price Commission
- Presidential Emergency Board	- Washington Metropolitan Transit Authority

PUBLICATIONS

Books: National Transportation Policy: A Study of Studies (Lexington Books, D.C. Heath, 1978), and Small Railroads (AAR, 1982). Treatise: "The USSR and its Railroad System," 1989. (Excludes hundreds of articles and research reports.)

PERSONAL

Born 1939; married 1965, two children; hobbies include: writing, painting and golf.