

205-112

COVINGTON & BURLING

1201 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20004-2401
TEL 202.662.6000
FAX 202.662.6291
WWW.COV.COM

WASHINGTON
NEW YORK
SAN FRANCISCO
LONDON
BRUSSELS

ERIC C. BOSSET
TEL 202.662.5606
FAX 202.778.5606
EBOSSET@COV.COM

April 11, 2002

BY HAND DELIVERY

Honorable Vernon A. Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W.
Room 715
Washington, DC 20423-0001

ENTERED
Office of the Secretary
APR 12 2002
Part of
Public Record



Re: Docket No. 42059, Northern Sates Power Company Minnesota
d/b/a Xcel Energy v. Union Pacific Railroad Company

Dear Secretary Williams:

On behalf of defendant Union Pacific Railroad Company ("UP"), I advise the Board that UP has located locomotive unit-mile information that is responsive to NSP Request for Production No. 47, which is a subject of NSP's pending motion to compel. This information is not tracked by UP in the ordinary course of business, but rather was developed by a UP employee for purposes of preparing a special study that UP previously produced to NSP, and about which the Board was notified by my letter of February 20, 2002. This supporting information is being produced to NSP, and, like the previously produced special study, is also responsive to Request for Production Nos. 18 and 19.

Thank you.

Sincerely,


Eric C. Bosset

Counsel for Defendant
Union Pacific Railroad Company

cc: John H. LeSeur, Esq. (Counsel for NSP)