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Re: STB Finance Docket No. 34178, *Dakota, Minnesota & Eastern Railroad Corporation and Cedar American Rail Holdings, Inc. -- Control -- Iowa, Chicago & Eastern Railroad Corporation*

Dear Secretary Williams:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced proceeding, please find an original and 25 copies of the Certificate of Service of the Western Coal Traffic League.

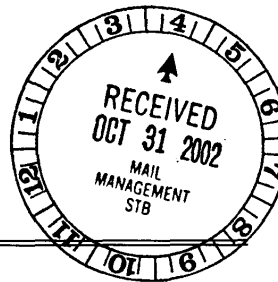
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Sincerely,


Peter A. Pfohl

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BEFORE THE
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Corporation and Cedar American Rail)
Holdings, Inc. -- Control -- Iowa,)
Chicago & Eastern Railroad Corporation)
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Finance Docket No. 34178

**WESTERN COAL TRAFFIC LEAGUE'S
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

In accordance with the Board's decisions in this proceeding served on September 26, 2002 and October 24, 2002, the Western Coal Traffic League hereby confirms that it has served copies of all of its prior filings in this case upon the parties of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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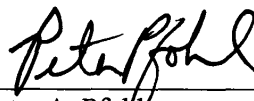
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document along with WCTL's previous October 15, 2002 Notice of Intent to Participate filing were served this 31st day of October, 2002 by first-class mail, postage prepaid upon all parties of record to this case.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter Pfohl", written over a horizontal line.

Peter A. Pfohl