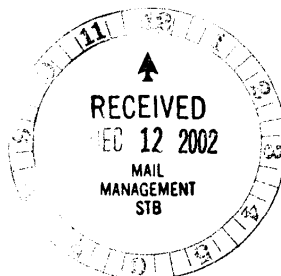




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Re: STB Docket No. AB-290 (Sub-No. 213X), Norfolk Southern Railway
Company—Abandonment Exemption—in Wise County, Virginia

NOTICE OF CONSUMMATION

Dear Mr. Williams:

This refers to the decision served January 4, 2002, authorizing abandonment of the line of railroad between Mileposts LT-0.0 and LT-0.66 at Banner, Virginia.

Our engineering department has retained for storage of equipment the segment of track between Mileposts LT-0.0 and LT-0.05.

Accordingly, abandonment of the remaining segment of line between Mileposts LT-0.05 and LT-0.66 in Wise County, Virginia, was consummated on April 17, 2002.

Very truly yours,

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