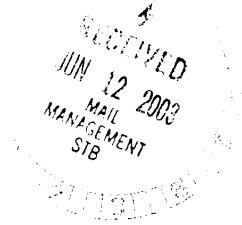


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June 11, 2003



VIA U.P.S. Overnight

Mr. Vernon Williams, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423-0001

**Re: Docket AB-33 (Sub-No. 166X), Union Pacific Railroad Company --
Abandonment Exemption - In Adams and Hall Counties, Nebraska (Hansen
Industrial Lead between Hastings and Hansen, Nebraska)**

NOTICE OF CONSUMMATION

Dear Mr. Williams:

This is to advise the Surface Transportation Board (the "Board") that the Union Pacific Railroad Company (the "UP") with regard to the subject Abandonment Exemption has consummated the abandonment from Milepost 1.0 near Hastings to Milepost 7.5 at Hansen, Nebraska (the "Line"), pursuant to authority granted in the Board's Decision served May 21, 2001.

The Board's Decision imposed the following prior to salvaging or disposal to (1) consult with EPA, Region 7, and Corp of Engineers, (2) notify National Geodetic Survey, (3) consult with counties, and (4) consult with Nebraska Departments of Roads. All notices and consultation conditions have been complied with in preparation for salvage of the Line and salvage was completed September, 2002. A Public Use Condition was imposed for 180 days, but has since expired. A Trail Use Condition was imposed for 180 days and extended on several occasions, the latest in the Board's Decision served November 18, 2002 extending the trail use condition to May 11, 2003. The trail use condition has expired and UP has no further interest in extending the trail use condition. An additional ten (10) copies of this letter are enclosed for the Board's use and distribution.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mack H. Shumate, Jr.".

**ENTERED
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