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

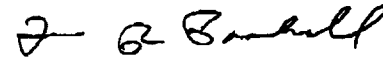
Re: STB Docket No. AB-290 (Sub. No. 243X), Norfolk Southern Railway
Company - Abandonment - In Winston-Salem, Forsyth County, North
Carolina - Notice of Exemption

Dear Mr. Williams:

The Board received NSR's notice of exemption to abandon a 2.4-mile rail line between Milepost R-124.2 and Milepost R-126.6 at Winston-Salem in Forsyth County, NC on June 29, 2005. In the cover letter, NSR asked that the notice be docketed as filed on June 30, 2005. The list of bridges and structures on the line was inadvertently omitted from the filing, for which we apologize. I attach a copy of that list to the faxed copy of this letter and am sending an original and ten copies of this letter and the attached list to supplement the filing.

A sentence in the environmental report concerning "current freight operations" on the line has caused some confusion. This sentence was meant to refer only to overhead traffic which may have moved over the line in the past two years but which can be and will be re-routed. The notice itself and the certification that there has been no local traffic on the line for more than two years and that overhead traffic can be re-routed is correct.

Very truly yours,


James R. Paschall

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LOGANIA DIVISION
S WINSTON-SALEM DISTRICT

NAME OF MILEPOST CROSSING	NO OF SPANS	STRUCTURE	DESCRIPTION	DECK	LENGTH	TOTAL LENGTH	DATE BALT	MAX HT	ALIGN DG MKT'S	NO. 1K HIGHEST ID STATION	DOT ST NO	FILE NO	OLD BR NO	REMARKS
R-124.21 28TH STREET	3	STL BEAM		OPEN		62.66	1921	15.0	E	2 Y	NORTH WINSTON	NC 470221X	117-20350	1898A SEE 117-20344 PRIOR
R-124.21 28TH STREET	3	STL BEAM		OPEN		62.66	1927	15.0	T	2 5	NORTH WINSTON	NC 470221X	117-20354	1898A SEE 117-20344 PRIOR
R-124.45 ABANDONED ROAD	1	RAIL TOP		CONC BAL		10.00	1914	13.4	T	2 5	NORTH WINSTON	NC	117-20351	
O R-124.91 16TH STREET	4	DN HMT-REIN CONC				76.00		22.0	T	1 0	NORTH WINSTON	NC 470227N	117-20352	
R-125.16 13TH STREET	4	DECK PL GDR		OPEN		154.07	1923	19.0	T	1 5	NORTH WINSTON	NC 470228V	117-20353	1899
O R-125.44 LIBERTY STREET	2	OR HMT-REIN CONC				47.50		20.0	L 1 0	1 0	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470229C	117-20354	
R-125.75 7TH STREET	1	DECK PL GDR		OPEN		50.00	1927	17.0	L 6 45	2 J	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470231D	117-20355	1901
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R-125.91 5TH STREET	1	DECK PL GDR		OPEN		58.50	1923	20.0	T	4 J	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470232K	117-20356	1901A SEE 117-20355 PRIOR
R-125.81 5TH STREET	1	DECK PL GDR		OPEN		58.50	1923	20.0	T	4 5	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470232K	117-20356	1901A SEE 117-20355 PRIOR
R-126.01 4TH STREET	3	DECK PL GDR		OPEN		97.00	1928	19.0	T	2 5	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470233S	117-20357	1902 SEE 117-20355 PRIOR
R-126.05 WATERWAY, 3RD STREET	3	DECK PL GDR		OPEN		255.00	1901	48.0	T	2 5	WINSTON-SALEM	NC	117-20358	1903 SEE 117-20355 PRIOR
R-126.10 ROAD	2	R-CONC SLAB		CONC BAL		40.00	1916	14.0	T	2 5	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470233F	117-20359	
O R-126.43 1-40 BUS, US 421	8	ON HMT-REIN CONC		CONCRETE		660.00	1998	22.0	T	3 0	WINSTON-SALEM	NC 470238N	117-20360	ALSO CROSSES K- LINE
R-126.45 ROAD	1	CONC ARCH		BALLAST		26.00		27.0	T	1 5	WINSTON-SALEM	NC	117-20361	
R-126.65 WATERWAY	1	CONC ARCH		BALLAST		12.00		12.0	T	1 0	WINSTON-SALEM	NC	117-0	

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