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BY HAND DELIVERY

Honorable Vernon Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W., Suite 700
Washington, DC 20423-0001



Re: STB Ex Parte No. 575, Review of Rail Access and Competition Issues -- Renewed Petition of the Western Coal Traffic League

NOTICE OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE

Dear Secretary Williams:

Pursuant to the decision served on June 2, 2006, in this proceeding, Watco Companies, Inc. ("Watco") hereby submits its Notice of Intent to Participate at the public hearing in this proceeding. Watco requests an allotment of ten (10) minutes to address the Board.

Rich Webb, Chief Executive Officer of Watco, will appear at the public hearing on July 27th.

Please date-stamp the extra copy of this letter and return it with our messenger.

Sincerely,

Karl Morell
Attorney for Watco Companies, Inc.

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