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

Dear Secretary Williams:

In accordance with the Board's Decision served in the above-referenced proceeding on June 2, 2006, the Western Coal Traffic League ("WCTL") hereby provide notice of its intention to participate in the July 27, 2006 public hearing. WCTL requests twenty minutes of time at the hearing. Speakers appearing on behalf of WCTL will include Mr. David Laffere, Manager of Fuels for Kansas City Power & Light Company, and the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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An Attorney for the Western
Coal Traffic League