



**American Short Line and
Regional Railroad Association**

The Voice of America's Independent Railroads

July 11, 2006

Honorable Vernon Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
Room 715
1925 K Street N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423

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

Dear Secretary Williams:

Attached please find a Motion to File Notice of Intent to Participate Out of Time in the
above referenced action submitted on behalf of Robert Dingman, President, Oil Creek & Titusville
Lines, Inc. Also attached is his proposed Notice of Intent to Participate.

Respectfully,

Keith T. Borman

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Vice President & General Counsel

cc: Robert Dingman

**BEFORE THE
SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD
WASHINGTON, D.C.**

STB EX PARTE NO. 575

REVIEW OF RAIL ACCESS AND COMPETITION ISSUES

MOTION TO FILE NOTICE OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE OUT OF TIME

Robert O. Dingman, President of the Titusville & Oil Creek Lines, Inc., a class III common carrier, hereby moves the Surface Transportation Board to accept his Notice of Intent to Participate at the July 27, 2006 hearing in this matter, which is attached hereto. Mr. Dingman apologizes to the Board for his late filing, which resulted from a misunderstanding of the notice process and his absence from his office on and before the July 6, 2006 filing deadline. Mr. Dingman will, if his motion is granted, file his testimony summary on or before July 13, 2006, and no prejudice to any party will result.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robert O. Dingman, by



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NOTICE OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE

Dear Secretary Williams:

I have been asked by Robert Dingman, President, Oil Creek & Titusville Lines, Inc., to submit his formal notice of intent to participate in the public hearing scheduled for July 27, 2006 in the above-referenced matter. Mr. Dingman requests 5 minutes for his testimony.

Sincerely,

Keith T. Borman
Vice President & General Counsel

cc: Robert Dingman