the Governor of the state or that Governor's designee, shall contain the following information and shall be attested to by a person having personal knowledge of the matters contained therein:

(a) The Governor's name.

(b) The state's name and the name of any agency filing on behalf of the Governor.

(c) The full address of the solid waste rail transfer facility, or, if not available, the city, state, and United States Postal Service ZIP code.

(d) The name of the rail carrier that owns or operates the facility.

(e) A good-faith certification that the facility qualifies as a solid waste rail transfer facility pursuant to the definition in 49 U.S.C. 10908(e)(1)(H) and 49 CFR 1155.2 both as of the filing date of the petition and on October 16, 2008.

(f) Relief sought (that the rail carrier that owns or operates the facility be required to apply for a land-use-exemption permit).

(g) Name, title, and address of representative of petitioner to whom correspondence should be sent.

§1155.11 Filing and service of petition.

(a) When the petition is filed with the Board, the petitioner shall serve, by first class mail, a copy of the petition on the rail carrier that owns or operates the solid waste rail transfer facility and on the facility if the address is different than the rail carrier's address. A copy of the certificate of service shall be filed with the Board at the same time.

(b) Upon the filing of a petition, the Board will review the petition and determine whether it conforms to all applicable regulations. If the petition is substantially incomplete or its filing otherwise defective, the Board will reject the petition for stated reasons by order (which order will be administratively final) within 15 days from the date of filing of the petition.

§1155.12 Participation in petition proceedings.

(a) An interested person may file a reply to the petition challenging the Governor's classification of the facility as a solid waste rail transfer facility and may offer evidence to support its 49 CFR Ch. X (10–1–10 Edition)

contention. The petitioner will have an opportunity to file a rebuttal.

(b) Filing and service of replies.

(1) Any reply shall be filed with the Board (the Secretary, Surface Transportation Board, 395 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20423) within 20 days of the filing with the Board of a petition to require a solid waste rail transfer facility in existence on October 16, 2008, to apply for a land-use-exemption permit.

(2) A copy of the reply shall be served on petitioner or its representative at the time of filing with the Board. Each filing shall contain a certificate of service.

(3) Any rebuttal to a reply shall be filed and served by petitioner no later than 30 days after the filing of the petition.

§1155.13 Board determination with respect to a Governor's petition.

(a) The following schedule shall govern the process for Board consideration of and decisions regarding a petition to require a solid waste rail transfer facility in existence on October 16, 2008, to apply for a land-use-exemption permit, from the time the petition is filed until the time of the Board's decision on the merits:

Day 0—Petition filed.

Day 20—Due date for reply.

Day 30-Due date for response to reply.

(b) The Board shall accept the Governor's complete petition on a finding that the facility qualifies as a solid waste rail transfer facility pursuant to the definition in 49 U.S.C. 10908(e)(1)(H) and 49 CFR 1155.2 both on the filing date of the petition and on October 16, 2008. In the decision accepting the Governor's petition, the Board shall require that the rail carrier that owns or operates the facility file a land-use-exemption-permit application within 120 days of the service date of the decision.

Subpart C—Procedures Governing Applications for a Land-Use-Exemption Permit

§1155.20 Notice of intent to apply for a land-use-exemption permit.

(a) Filing and publication requirements. An applicant (i.e., a solid waste rail