

Railroad (Quebec) Inc., operating in Vermont.

GW1 states that: (i) The rail lines involved in this transaction do not connect with any rail lines in the corporate family; (ii) the control transaction is not part of a series of anticipated transactions that would connect any of the rail lines with each other; and (iii) the transaction does not involve a Class I carrier. Therefore, the transaction is exempt from the prior approval requirements of 49 U.S.C. 11323. See 49 CFR 1180.2(d)(2).

Under 49 U.S.C. 10502(g), the Board may not use its exemption authority to relieve a rail carrier of its statutory obligation to protect the interests of its employees. Because the transaction involves at least one Class II and one or more Class III rail carriers, the exemption is subject to the labor protection requirements of 49 U.S.C. 11326(b).

If the verified notice contains false or misleading information, the exemption is void *ab initio*. Petitions to revoke the exemption under 49 U.S.C. 10502(d) may be filed at any time. The filing of a petition to revoke will not automatically stay the transaction.

An original and 10 copies of all pleadings, referring to STB Finance Docket No. 34235, must be filed with the Surface Transportation Board, 1925 K Street, NW., Washington, DC 20423-0001. In addition, a copy of each pleading must be served on Troy W. Garris, Weiner Brodsky Sidman Kider PC, 1300 Nineteenth Street, NW., Fifth Floor, Washington, DC 20036-1609.

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By the Board, David M. Konschnik, Director, Office of Proceedings.

**Vernon A. Williams,**

Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Surface Transportation Board

[STB Finance Docket No. 34245]

#### Timber Rock Railroad, Inc.—Lease Exemption—The Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company

Timber Rock Railroad, Inc. (TRRR), a Class III rail carrier, has filed a verified notice of exemption under 49 CFR 1150.41 to lease from The Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company (BNSF) 99.2 miles of rail line

located between milepost 51.0 near Kirbyville, TX, and milepost 150.2, near Tenaha, TX. TRRR will also acquire 2.49 miles of incidental overhead trackage rights over BNSF's rail line between milepost 150.2, near Tenaha, and milepost 152.69, at BNSF's Tenaha Yard, for the purpose of interchanging traffic with BNSF. TRRR will be the operator of the property.<sup>1</sup>

TRRR certifies that its projected revenues as a result of this transaction will not result in its becoming a Class II or Class I rail carrier, and further certifies that its projected annual revenues will not exceed \$5 million.

The transaction was scheduled to be consummated on or shortly after September 1, 2002.

If the notice contains false or misleading information, the exemption is void *ab initio*. Petitions to revoke the exemption under 49 U.S.C. 10502(d) may be filed at any time. The filing of a petition to revoke does not automatically stay the transaction.

An original and 10 copies of all pleadings, referring to STB Finance Docket No. 34245, must be filed with the Surface Transportation Board, 1925 K Street, NW., Washington, DC 20423-0001. In addition, a copy of each pleading must be served on Karl Morrell, Ball Janik LLP, Suite 225, 1455 F Street, NW., Washington, DC 20005.

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Transportation Security Administration

#### Aviation Security Advisory Committee Meeting

**AGENCY:** Transportation Security Administration, DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces a public meeting of the Aviation Security Advisory Committee (ASAC).

**DATES:** The meeting will take place on October 1, 2002 from 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at the Marriott Wardman Park Hotel, 2660

<sup>1</sup> BNSF will retain the right to operate certain overhead trains over the line being leased to TRRR.

Woodley Road, NW., Washington, DC, 20008.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dean Walter, Office of Security Regulation and Policy, 400 7th St. SW., Washington, DC, 20590, Room 3034, telephone 202-385-1236.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This meeting is announced pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463; 5 U.S.C. App.11). The agenda for the meeting will include; a discussion of ASAC, its structure and role; a status report on the Transportation Security Administration structure and recent activities; and implementation of the Aviation and Transportation Security Act (Pub. L. 107-71).

The meeting is open to the public, but attendance is limited to the space available. Members of the public must make advance arrangements to present oral statements at the meeting. Written statements may be presented to the committee by providing copies of them to the Chair prior to or at the meeting. Anyone in need of assistance or a reasonable accommodation for the meeting, should contact the person listed under the heading **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**. In addition, sign and oral interpretation, as well as a listening device, can be made available at the meeting if requested 10 calendar days before the meeting. Arrangements may be made by contacting the person listed under the heading **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.

Issued in Washington, DC, on September 10, 2002.

**Thomas R. Blank,**

Associate Under Secretary for Security Regulation and Policy.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Fiscal Service

#### Financial Management Service; Proposed Collection of Information: Claims Against the United States for Amounts Due in the Case of a Deceased Creditor

**AGENCY:** Financial Management Service, Fiscal Service, Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Financial Management Service, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this