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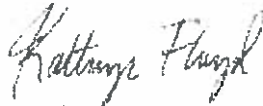
Re: Finance Docket No. 35952, Great Lakes Basin Railroad Project

Dear Ms. Ruston,

In an Information Request #1 dated July 5, 2016, the Office of Environmental Analysis requested Great Lakes Basin Transportation, Inc. ("GLBT") to provide information and feedback on alternatives with a response date of August 29. GLBT's engineering drawings are to be finalized the week of August 29th, and thereafter presentation maps and a narrative will be developed to accompany those materials. Based on these tasks yet to be accomplished, we ask for an extension of our response to September 20, 2016.

We look forward to providing you with the information in the near future.

Regards,



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