

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**Surface Transportation Board**

[STB Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 620X)]

**CSX Transportation, Inc.—
Discontinuance of Service Exemption
in Raleigh County, WV**

CSX Transportation, Inc. (CSXT) has filed a notice of exemption under 49 CFR 1152 Subpart F—*Exempt Abandonments and Discontinuances* to discontinue service over approximately 15.12 miles of railroad at Jarrold's Valley Junction between milepost CLP 0.0 and the end of track near Clear Creek at milepost CLP 15.12, in Raleigh County, WV. The line traverses United States Postal Service Zip Codes 25008, 25044, 25048, 25060, and 25193.

CSXT has certified that: (1) No local traffic has moved over the line for at least 2 years; (2) there is no overhead traffic on the line; (3) no formal complaint filed by a user of rail service on the line (or by a state or local government entity acting on behalf of such user) regarding cessation of service over the line either is pending with the Surface Transportation Board (Board) or with any U.S. District Court or has been decided in favor of complainant within the 2-year period; and (4) the requirements at 49 CFR 1105.7 (environmental reports), 49 CFR 1105.8 (historic reports), 49 CFR 1105.11 (transmittal letter), 49 CFR 1105.12 (newspaper publication), and 49 CFR 1152.50(d)(1) (notice to governmental agencies) have been met.

As a condition to this exemption, any employee adversely affected by the discontinuance shall be protected under *Oregon Short Line R. Co.—Abandonment*—Goshen, 360 I.C.C. 91 (1979). To address whether this condition adequately protects affected employees, a petition for partial revocation under 49 U.S.C. 10502(d) must be filed.

Provided no formal expression of intent to file an offer of financial assistance (OFA) has been received, this exemption will be effective on August 20, 2002, unless stayed pending reconsideration. Petitions to stay and formal expressions of intent to file an OFA under 49 CFR 1152.27(c)(2),¹ and trail use/rail banking requests under 49 CFR 1152.29 must be filed by July 29, 2002. Petitions to reopen² must be filed

by August 8, 2002, with: Surface Transportation Board, 1925 K Street, NW., Washington, DC 20423.

A copy of any petition filed with the Board should be sent to CSXT's representative: Natalie S. Rosenberg, Counsel, CSX Transportation, Inc., 500 Water Street J150, Jacksonville, FL 32202.

If the verified notice contains false or misleading information, the exemption is void *ab initio*.

Board decisions and notices are available on our website at WWW.STB.DOT.GOV.

Decided: July 12, 2002.

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

Vernon A. Williams,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**Office of the Assistant Secretary
(Financial Institutions); Proposed
Renewal of Information Collection;
Comment Request**

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Treasury's ("Treasury") Office of the Assistant Secretary (Financial Institutions), which administers the First Accounts Grant Program, and as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on a continuing information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). Currently, the Office of the Assistant Secretary (Financial Institutions) within Treasury is soliciting comment concerning its renewal of a collection of information titled, "First Accounts Program Agreement for Grants."

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before September 20, 2002 to be assured of consideration.

CSXT only intends to discontinue service over the line and does not intend to abandon the line, but intends instead to leave the line in place. CSXT indicates that this would facilitate possible future operations over the line in the event the coal market would warrant those operations. Because CSXT's discontinuance of service will merely result in the cessation of service over the line, and has not sought abandonment authority, this proceeding is exempt from the report requirements listed above and no environmental documentation will be prepared. See 49 CFR 1105.6 (c)(6) and 1105.8 (a) and (b).

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to either Department of the Treasury, ATTN: First Accounts, Main Treasury Building, Room 5017, 15th and Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20220 (Tel.: 202/622-0741) or first.accounts@do.treas.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: You can request additional information from or a copy of the collection from Jean Whaley, Director, Office of the Assistant Secretary (Financial Institutions), Department of the Treasury, Main Treasury Building, 15th and Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20220 (Tel.: 202/622-0741).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: First Accounts Program Agreement for Grants.

OMB Number: 1505-0188.

Abstract: Treasury's Office of the Assistant Secretary (Financial Institutions) is collecting information under the terms of a Grant Agreement between Treasury and awardees of First Accounts grants. The paramount goal of the First Accounts grants is to move a maximum number of "unbanked" low- and moderate-income individuals to a "banked" status with either an insured credit union or an insured depository institution. The collection of information in the Grant Agreement is fivefold. First, it requires each awardee to submit to Treasury an opinion of awardee counsel addressing such commercially standard matters as the due authorization, execution, delivery and enforceability of the Grant Agreement. Second, it requires each awardee to submit to Treasury quarterly reports addressing the awardee's financial and project performance. Third, it requires each awardee to submit to Treasury a final financial and performance report after the expiration of the grant. Fourth, it requires each awardee to submit annually to Treasury audited financial statements. Fifth, it imposes specific record keeping requirements. The purpose of the collection of information is to ensure that the Grant Agreement constitutes a legally binding obligation of each awardee and to monitor awardee compliance, performance, and financial soundness. The purpose of the record keeping requirements is to ensure both the effective and efficient use of the grant consistent with sound business practices, and the ability to audit the use of the grant consistent with the Grant Agreement.

¹ Each offer of financial assistance must be accompanied by the filing fee, which is currently set at \$1,100. See 49 CFR 1002.2(f)(25).

² Because this is a discontinuance proceeding, trail use/rail banking and public use conditions are not appropriate. This proceeding is exempt from environmental and historic reporting requirements.