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The Honorable John Pappageorge, Chair
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee
on Transportation
Michigan State Senate
P.O. Box 30036
Lansing, Michigan 48909

Mr. John E. Nixon, Director
State Budget Office
Michigan Department of Technology,
Management & Budget
George W. Romney Building, 6th Floor
111 South Capitol Avenue
Lansing, Michigan 48933

The Honorable Rob VerHeulen, Chair
House Appropriations Subcommittee
on Transportation
Michigan House of Representatives
P.O. Box 30014
Lansing, Michigan 48909

Dear Senator Pappageorge, Mr. Nixon, and Representative VerHeulen:

In accordance with Section 703 of 2012 PA 200, this is to advise you that the Michigan Department of Transportation has received notification that a railroad company has filed for abandonment of a rail line.

The West Michigan Railroad Company has filed with the Surface Transportation Board to abandon 10.67 miles of rail line between Mile Post 19.88 near Lawrence and Mile Post 30.55 near Paw Paw in Van Buren County.

If you have any questions, please contact either me or Tim Hoeffner, Office of Rail Director, at 517-373-6672.

Sincerely,

Kirk T. Steudle
Director

Enclosure

cc: Members of the House and Senate Appropriations Subcommittees on Transportation

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