

1                   BEFORE THE

2           PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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4   In the Matter of the       :

   Petition of Norfolk       :

5   Southern Railway Company :

   toClose the Township Road :

6   256 (DOT No. 472447R)   :Case No. 08-97-RR-UNC

   and/or Township Road 261 :

7   (DOT No. 472441A)       :

   Crossings in Washington :

8   Township, Hancock County, :

   Ohio                    :

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10                   PROCEEDINGS

12   before Mr. Richard M. Bulgrin, Attorney Examiner, at

13   the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East

14   Broad Street, Room 111-G, Columbus, Ohio, called at

15   10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 22, 2008.

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Wednesday Morning Session,

October 22, 2008.

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ATTORNEY EXAMINER BULGRIN: Good morning.

This is the third day of the evidentiary hearing for

Case No. 08-97-RR-UNC being the Matter of the

Petition of Norfolk Southern Railway Company to Close

the Township Road 256 and/or Township Road 261

Crossings in Washington Township, Hancock County,

Ohio.

My name is Dick Bulgrin. I'm the

Attorney Examiner Bulgrin assigned by the Commission.

And I would note for the record that I have spoken

with Casey Talbot, the attorney for Norfolk Southern

Railway, and Casey Collette, it's C-O-L-L-E-T-T-E,

the Hancock County Prosecutor, and they have

indicated that they are working on an agreement to

resolve this matter but want additional time to

finalize their agreement.

20 I've also spoken with the Staff Attorney,  
21 John Jones, and he has no problem with continuing  
22 this matter; and therefore we will continue it until  
23 January 21st at 10:00 a.m.  
24 I'd also note for the record that there  
25 are no public witnesses present at this time. And

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1 there being nothing further, this hearing will be

2 continued until January 21st.

3 Thank you.

4 (Thereupon, the proceedings concluded at

5 10:03 a.m.)

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10 CERTIFICATE

11 I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a

12 true and correct transcript of the proceedings taken

13 by me in this matter on Wednesday, October 22, 2008,

14 and carefully compared with my original stenographic

15 notes.

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17 Sandra D. Kin, Professional  
Reporter and Notary Public  
in and for the State of Ohio.

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19 My Commission Expires May 14, 2012.

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