

**Public Utilities
Commission of Ohio**

Memo

To: Docketing Division
From: George Martin, Grade Crossing Planner, Rail Division *RM*
Re: PUCO Case No. 10-945-RR-FED Request by the Youngstown & Austintown Railroad Company for a 30-day extension of time to complete a project
Date: July 7, 2011

By its entry dated July 29, 2010, the Commission ordered, in part, that the Youngstown & Austintown Railroad Company (YARR) install mast-mounted and cantilevered flashing lights at Mahoning County, City of Youngstown, Meridian Rd, DOT# 262368A, on or before July 29, 2011.

On July 6, 2011, YARR filed in this docket a request for an extension of 30 days to complete the project. The original contractor for the project, Rail Signal Systems, backed out of the project. The second contractor, Progress Rail, would not accept the terms and conditions of YARR for the work to be done. Rail Systems International has the contract at this time, and the additional time involved moved the project back.

Staff recommends that the Attorney Examiner grant this request for additional time.

C: Legal Department

Please serve the following parties of record.

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