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## FAXED TO 614-466-0313 and US MAIL

The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Attn.: Docketing Division and Kerry K. Sheets, Attorney Examiner

Re: 10-1250-RR-UNC

Raymond Road grade crossing (903-791K), Union County, OH

Public Hearing on October 28, 2010

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please allow this letter to serve as CSX Transportation's response to the request by First Student Transportation pursuant to Section 4511.63, Revised Code, to exempt school buses from stopping at the Raymond Road grade crossing (903-791K).

Investigation by CSXT's Great Lakes Staff Engineer, Mike Cameron, has determined this crossing is on an industrial lead that is currently out of service. There is a bridge located beyond this road crossing that precludes service. The switch on the mainline is locked out of service.

CSX Transportation does not plan to abandon the right of way or remove the rails at this time. CSXT remains committed to promptly complying with the statutes of Ohio and the rules and regulations of the Commission to ensure the safety of railroad personnel and the public.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the above number.

Very truly yours,

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