BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Authorization of the Cleveland Commercial Railroad to Begin)	
a Consolidation Project in the City of)	Case No. 10-821-RR-FED
Bedford, Cuyahoga County.)	

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) By entry of June 30, 2010, the Commission ordered Cleveland Commercial Railroad (CCR) to close to vehicular and pedestrian traffic the grade crossings located at Monroe Street (475-968S) and South Park Street (475-969Y) and to upgrade, with new mast-mounted flashing lights and roadway gates, the grade crossings located at Powers Street (524-342Y), Willis Street (475-971A), and North Park Street (475-970T). CCR was ordered to complete these projects by June 30, 2011.
- (2) By previous entries, CCR was granted extensions to complete the projects. Most recently, CCR was granted an extension of time until March 31, 2012, to complete the projects due to a delay in the city of Bedford providing the pre-emption interconnection circuitry at one of the projects.
- (3) On March 27, 2012, CCR filed a request for an additional extension of the construction deadline from March 31, 2012, until April 30, 2012. CCR states that there has been a delay in relocating utility wires for the project. CCR adds that the city of Bedford has contacted the utilities and is awaiting a completion date for the relocation.
- (4) Staff filed a memorandum on March 29, 2012, recommending that the extension request be granted.
- (5) Upon review, good cause exists to grant an extension of the completion deadline, in accordance with the staff's recommendation. Accordingly, the deadline for completion of the projects is extended to April 30, 2012. CCR is directed to follow all standard railroad crossing safety protocol so as to ensure the protection of the traveling public at these crossings. In addition,

Commission staff should continue to monitor the projects to ensure they are completed within the newly ordered time frame.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That CCR's request for an extension of time be granted and that CCR complete the projects by April 30, 2012. It is, further,

ORDERED, That copies of this entry be served upon CCR, W&LE, ORDC, Bedford City Manager, CEI, and any other interested person of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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