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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of the Authorization of
the Norfolk Southern Railway
Company to Install Active Grade
Crossing Warning Devices in Erie
County.

: Case No. 14-1010-RR-FED

: **REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF**
CONSTRUCTION DEADLINE

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Norfolk Southern Railway Company (“Norfolk Southern”) respectfully requests an extension of time of thirty (30) days – through May 1, 2015 – within which to complete the involved construction project at the Olds Street grade crossing (DOT# 481-670T) in Sandusky, Erie County.

A memorandum in support is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT

By Entry of July 9, 2014, the Commission authorized Norfolk Southern to install mast-mounted flashing lights and roadway gates at the Olds Street grade crossing. After some delay due to inclement (winter) weather, substantial progress has been made – specifically, various utility conflicts have been resolved, and Norfolk Southern has removed one track and performed related asphalt work. Norfolk Southern has also worked with the involved power company to install new power to the crossing (the original plan was to utilize adjacent power, but with the input/approval of the ORDC, it was agreed that new power was preferable). The new power installation is expected to be accomplished within the coming days, following which Norfolk Southern will hang the gates and perform required FRA testing and cut-in. In the meantime, a stop and flag order has been placed at the crossing.

In light of the above, Norfolk Southern respectfully requests an extension of time of thirty (30) days – through May 1, 2015 – to complete the involved construction project.

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