

*Co.—Abandonment—Goshen*, 360 I.C.C. 91 (1979). To address whether this condition adequately protects affected employees, a petition for partial revocation under 49 U.S.C. 10505(d) must be filed.

Provided no formal expression of intent to file an offer of financial assistance (OFA) has been received, this exemption will be effective on April 21, 1995, unless stayed pending reconsideration. Petitions to stay that do not involve environmental issues,<sup>1</sup> formal expressions of intent to file an OFA under 49 CFR 1152.27(c)(2),<sup>2</sup> and trail use/rail banking requests under 49 CFR 1152.29<sup>3</sup> must be filed by April 3, 1995. Petitions to reopen or requests for public use conditions under 49 CFR 1152.28 must be filed by April 11, 1995, with: Office of the Secretary, Case Control Branch, Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, DC 20423.

A copy of any pleading filed with the Commission should be sent to applicant's representative: Sarah J. Whitley, 3800 Continental Plaza, 777 Main St., Fort Worth, TX 76102-5384.

If the notice of exemption contains false or misleading information, the exemption is void *ab initio*.

BN has filed an environmental report which addresses the abandonment's effects, if any, on the environmental and historic resources. The Section of Environmental Analysis (SEA) will issue an environmental assessment (EA) by March 27, 1995. Interested persons may obtain a copy of the EA by writing to SEA (Room 3219, Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, DC 20423) or by calling Elaine Kaiser, Chief of SEA, at (202) 927-6248. Comments on environmental and historic preservation matters must be filed within 15 days after the EA is available to the public.

Environmental, historic preservation, public use, or trail use/rail banking conditions will be imposed, where appropriate, in a subsequent decision.

Decided: March 16, 1995.

<sup>1</sup> A stay will be issued routinely by the Commission in those proceedings where an informed decision on environmental issues (whether raised by a party or by the Commission's Section of Environmental Analysis in its independent investigation) cannot be made prior to the effective date of the notice of exemption. See *Exemption of Out-of-Service Rail Lines*, 5 I.C.C.2d 377 (1989). Any entity seeking a stay on environmental concerns is encouraged to file its request as soon as possible in order to permit this Commission to review and act on the request before the effective date of this exemption.

<sup>2</sup> See *Exempt. of Rail Abandonment—Offers of Finan. Assist.*, 4 I.C.C.2d 164 (1987).

<sup>3</sup> The Commission will accept a late-filed trail use request as long as it retains jurisdiction to do so.

By the Commission, David M. Konschnik, Director, Office of Proceedings.

**Vernon A. Williams,**  
Secretary.

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**Chicago & North Western Railway Co.—Construction Exemption—Douglas County, Wisconsin**

The Chicago & North Western Railway Co. (CNW) has petitioned the Interstate Commerce Commission (Commission) for authority to construct and operate a 2,900-foot rail line extension which would provide CNW with access to the Midwest Energy Resources Company coal dock facility in Superior, Wisconsin. The Commission's Section of Environmental Analysis (SEA) has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) for this project. Based on the information provided and the environmental analysis conducted to date, this EA concludes that this proposal should not significantly affect the quality of the human environment if the recommended mitigation measures set forth in the EA are implemented. Accordingly, SEA preliminarily recommends that the Commission impose on any decision approving the proposed construction and operation conditions requiring CNW to implement the mitigation contained in the EA.

The EA will be served on all parties of record as well as all appropriate Federal, state and local officials and will be made available to the public upon request. SEA will consider all comments received in response to the EA in making final environmental recommendations to the Commission. The Commission will then consider SEA's final recommendations and the environmental record in making its final decision in this proceeding.

Comments (an original and 10 copies) and any questions regarding this Environmental Assessment should be filed with the Commission's Section of Environmental Analysis, Office of Economic and Environmental Analysis, Room 3219, Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, DC 20423, to the attention of Dana White (202) 927-6214. Requests for copies of the EA should also be directed to Ms. White.

Date made available to the public: March 22, 1995.

Comment due date: April 21, 1995.

By the Commission, Elaine K. Kaiser, Chief, Section of Environmental Analysis,

Office of Economic and Environmental Analysis.

**Vernon A. Williams,**  
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Immigration and Naturalization Service

[INS No. 1626ROD-94]

**Record of Decision for the Program of Protecting the Southwest Border Through the Interdiction of Illegal Drugs With the Support of Joint Task Force Six**

**AGENCY:** The Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice (lead); Joint Task Force Six, Department of Defense (cooperating); and Environmental Protection Agency (cooperating).

**ACTION:** Notice of availability of the record of decision.

**SUMMARY:** This Notice is to announce that the Record of Decision (ROD) for the continuation of the Joint Task Force Six (JTF-6) activities along the United States (U.S.)/Mexico border, jointly signed by JTF-6 and the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), is available.

The JTF-6 program involves providing operational, engineering, and general support to law enforcement agencies (LEAs) that have drug interdiction responsibilities within the southwestern border states. The JTF-6's primary area of concern is within a 50-mile-wide corridor along the U.S./Mexico border from Port Arthur, Texas, to San Diego, California.

**ADDRESSES:** Copies of the ROD are available upon written request to either of the following addresses:

1. U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Fort Worth District, CESWF-PL-RE, P.O. Box 17300, 819 Taylor Street, Fort Worth, Texas 76102-0300.
2. Immigration and Naturalization Service, 425 I Street NW, Facilities Branch (Room 2003), Washington, DC 20536.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Statutory Authority**

This Notice of Availability (NOA) is being issued in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), Public Law 91-190, and Regulations for Implementing the Procedural Provisions of NEPA, 40 CFR 1500-1508.