

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

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THE VILLAGE OF HARTFORD )  
MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS )  
 )  
Petitioners )  
 )  
vs. )  
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NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILWAY )  
A VIRIGNIA CORPORATION )  
AND STATE OF ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT )  
OF TRANSPORTATION )  
 )  
Respondents )

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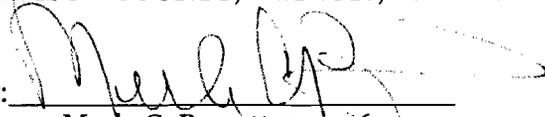
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WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays that this Honorable Commission will set the aforesaid matter for hearing with notice to the parties hereto sometime after December 30, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Petitioner

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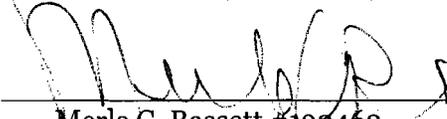
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Merle C. Bassett, states that he is the Attorney for the Village of Hartford in the foregoing cause and that he served the foregoing MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE of Dockets To8-0038 and To8-0039 set for December 17, 2008, on the parties by mailing a true and exact copy thereof to the following ATTORNEYS/PARTIES OF RECORD.

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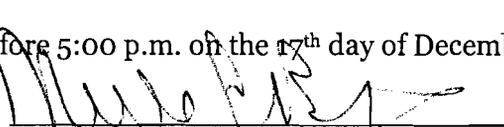
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