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Union Pacific Railroad  
ATTN: Mike Rodriguez, Claims Dept.  
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100 N. Broadway  
Suite 1500  
St. Louis, MO 63103  
VIA: 1<sup>st</sup> Class Mail

RE: Request to Preserve Evidence  
My Client: Estate of Matthew Munchalfen  
Date of Crossing Accident: October 13, 2007  
Location: Greenridge Road, Macoupin County, Illinois  
UP Crossing #294372D

Gentlemen:

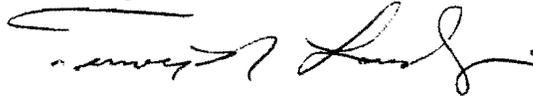
This letter is my formal request that you preserve any and all potential evidence under control of the railroad with regard to the above captioned matter. It is also requested that you take appropriate steps to insure that potential evidence is not altered. I believe the railroad has significant experience in litigation of this matter and understands the type of evidence I am requesting be preserved. This request should include the type of evidence referenced in preservation letters from plaintiffs counsel in similar past litigation.

Additionally, I request the opportunity to inspect this accident site before any further alteration or change thereof is performed by the railroad or any other entity. I understand this crossing has been closed by the railroad and that it may have plans to remove evidence or otherwise alter the condition of the crossing as it existed on the date of this accident. This letter is intended to request that no further destruction or alteration occur prior to my reasonable opportunity to inspect this crossing with the experts, consultants and professional personnel assisting me in this matter.

Please respond to this correspondence by acknowledging your receipt thereof and the dates on

which I may conduct a reasonable inspection of this site. Your kind attention to this matter is sincerely appreciated.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Timothy J. Londrigan". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a prominent flourish at the end.

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