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Ms. K. Madigan
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Dear Ms. Madigan:

Re: Notice to Bargain, Section 36(2), Canada Labour Code

As you are aware, the Canada Industrial Relations Board certified the Teamsters Canada Rail Conference as the bargaining agent for the bargaining unit described as follows:

“all conductors, baggagepersons, brakepersons, car retarder operators, yardpersons, yard operations employees, switchtenders, yardmasters, and assistant yardmasters working for Canadian National Railway Company lines in Canada.”

In accordance with Section 36(2) of the Canada Labour Code, the TCRC hereby gives notice that it wishes to bargain collectively and review the terms of the Collective Agreement entered into between Canadian National Railways and United Transportation Union dated July 24, 2007.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned for further information. I look forward to hearing from you or your chief spokesperson in order to establish a collective bargaining schedule

Yours very truly,

Daniel J. Shewchuk
President

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