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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

January 31, 2020

Rayne Pearson Director, Administrative Law Division Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop S.E. Lacey, WA 98504-7250

RE: Whatcom County v. Burlington Northern Sante Fe Railway, Docket TR-190918

Dear Judge Pearson:

Please find enclosed Respondent BNSF Railway Company's response to the petition in the above-captioned matter.

Sincerely,

Travis Owsley Assistant General Attorney



BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WHATCOM COUNTY Petitioner,))	DOCKET NO. TR-190918
v. BNSF RAILWAY COMPANY, Respondent))))	RESPONSE TO PETITION

Pursuant to Section 480-07-370 of the Washington Administrative Code,

Respondent BNSF Railway Company ("BNSF") hereby responds to the Petition for

Installation of Median Barriers at Highway-Rail Grade Crossing identified by U.S.

D.O.T. number 084795Y to advise the Commission that BNSF does not oppose the

Petition.

DATED this 31st of January 2020.

/s/ Travis Owsley

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that on January 31, 2020, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was

served via e-mail to the parties' representatives as follows:

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/s/ Travis Owsley

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