

## McCain Foods USA, Inc.

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Ms. Betty Young Transportation Planning Specialist Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. S.W. Olympia, WA 98504-7250

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Dear Ms. Young,

Please accept this letter as a petition for exemption from WAC 480-60-050 – Side Clearances. The location of the facility requesting the exemption is:

McCain Foods USA, Inc. 100 Lee Street Othello, WA 99344

Rule exemption request:

 Reduced clearance at the loading dock platforms – an illuminated "No Clearance" sign has been posted on the wall above the platform. See attached picture. The distance from the platform to the centerline of the track is 6 feet, 11 inches. The distance from the wall to the centerline of the track is 7 feet, 8 inches.





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2) Reduced clearance at the oil receiving area – an illuminated "No Clearance" sign has been posted near the stairs and in front of the pipes in the oil car receiving area. See attached picture. The distance from the platform to the centerline of the track is 6 feet, 11 inches. The distance from the wall to the centerline of the track is 7 feet, 8 inches.



Please note that the Columbia Basin Railroad is aware of the need for this exemption and it's support is conditioned on the Commission granting and exemption for the restricted clearance.

Sincerely,

Tina Rowsell Sr. Manager Inventory & Distribution Planning, North America McCain Foods (Canada)

Cc: Gary Salsbury