BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOCKET NO. 12F-1215R

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY,

COMPLAINANT.

V.

COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION,

RESPONDENT.

ORDER TO SATISFY OR ANSWER

YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT A FORMAL COMPLAINT HAS BEEN FILED AGAINST YOU IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED AND CAPTIONED CASE. YOU ARE ORDERED TO SATISFY THE MATTERS IN THE COMPLAINT OR TO ANSWER THE COMPLAINT IN WRITING WITHIN 20 DAYS FROM SERVICE UPON YOU OF THIS ORDER AND COPY OF THE ATTACHED COMPLAINT.

IF THE COMPLAINT IS SATISFIED AND ADEQUATE EVIDENCE OF SATISFACTION IS PRESENTED TO THE COMMISSION, THE COMPLAINT SHALL BE DISMISSED. IF THE COMPLAINT IS NOT SATISFIED, OR IF ADEQUATE EVIDENCE OF ITS SATISFACTION IS NOT PRESENTED TO THE COMMISSION, OR IF NO ANSWER IS FILED WITHIN THE TIME REQUIRED, THE ALLEGATIONS OF THE COMPLAINT SHALL BE DEEMED ADMITTED, AND THE COMMISSION MAY GRANT SO MUCH OF THE RELEIF SOUGHT IN THE COMPLAINT AS IS WITHIN ITS POWER AND JURISDICTION OR MAY SET THE COMPLAINT FOR HEARING.

BY ORDER OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION of THE STATE OF COLORADO AT DENVER, COLORADO THIS 5^{TH} DAY OF DECEMBER, 2012.

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ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

Doug Dean, Director

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UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY, Complainant,	DOCKET NO.	
v.		
COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, Respondent.	12F-1215R	
UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY'S FORMAL COMPLAINT		

Union Pacific Railroad, ("Union Pacific") by and through the undersigned counsel and pursuant to the Code of Colorado Regulations (4 CCR 723-1-1302), moves the Commission for an Order Compelling the Respondent, Colorado Department of Transportation ("CDOT"), to take action in the interests of public safety. In furtherance, Union Pacific states as follows:

- 1. Union Pacific identified significant safety issues during the diagnostic for the installation of Railroad At-Grade Crossing Protection Devices at the railroad at-grade crossing located at WCR80 in Ault, Colorado (DOT #804-860T).
- 2. The above referenced installation project was the subject of Weld County's Application to the Colorado Public Utilities Commission ("the Commission"), Docket No. 11A-242R.
- 3. Union Pacific wrote two letters to CDOT providing notification of a dangerous situation at the crossing and requesting resolution of same. Unfortunately, CDOT took no action and on August 18, 2012 an accident occurred at the crossing.
 - a) Please refer to the attached letter dated February 3, 2011 requesting that CDOT conduct a study concerning these safety issues.
 - b) Please refer to the attached letter dated October 3, 2012 and the PowerPoint Presentation addressing the need to install a traffic signal on US85 at WCR80.

WHEREFORE, Defendant Union Pacific Railroad Company moves the Commission for an Order addressing the public safety issues and the need for CDOT to install traffic signals and interconnect them with the railroad crossing at WCR80 in Ault, Colorado.

DATED at Denver, Colorado, this 2/day of November, 2012.

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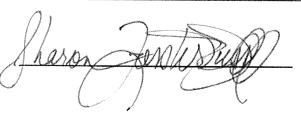
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that the foregoing FORMAL COMPLAINT was deposited in the U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, this AIST day of November, 2012, addressed to:

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V.

COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, RESPONDENT.

ORDER SETTING HEARING AND NOTICE OF HEARING

TO THE PARTIES IN THIS MATTER:

The Colorado Public Utilities Commission orders that the hearing in this matter is set before an Administrative Law Judge on:

DATE:

January 14, 2013

TIME:

9:00 AM

PLACE:

Commission Hearing Room

1560 Broadway, Suite 250

Denver, Colorado

At the above date, time and place you will be given the opportunity to be heard if you so desire.

(SEAL)



ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOUG DEAN, Director Colorado Public Utilities Commission 1560 Broadway, Suite 250, Denver, Colorado 80202

> Dated at Denver, Colorado this 5th day of December, 2012

DOUG DEAN, Director