

detach from the buoy if threatened by a severe storm, such as a hurricane, and move under its own power to safety; then return and reconnect to the buoy and continue operations once the storm danger passed.

Both vessels would be equipped to vaporize LNG cargo to natural gas through an onboard closed loop shell-and-tube vaporization system, and to odorize and meter gas for send-out by means of the unloading buoy to conventional subsea pipelines. The mooring buoys would be connected through the hull of the vessels to specially designed turrets that would enable the vessel to weathervane or rotate in response to prevailing winds, waves, and the current directions. When the vessels are not present the buoys would be submerged approximately 100 feet below the surface.

The unloading buoys would connect through flexible risers and two (2) approximately 2.5 mile long 30-inch flow lines located on the seabed that would connect directly to the Calypso pipeline, a Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) permitted pipeline, yet to be constructed which would then connect to existing onshore pipeline system.

The Calypso would be capable of delivering natural gas in a continuous flow by having at least one TRV or the SRS regasifying at all times. The system would be designed so that a TRV and the SRS can regasify simultaneously for concurrent unloading of natural gas. Calypso would have an average throughput capacity of approximately 1.1 billion standard cubic feet per day (bcfsd) and a peak delivery capacity of 1.9 bcfsd.

Existing onshore delivery systems would be utilized and no new construction of onshore pipelines or LNG storage facilities are included as part of the proposed deepwater port. Existing shore based infrastructure will be used to facilitate movement of personnel, equipment, supplies, and disposable materials between the Terminal and shore.

Construction of the deepwater port would be expected to take three (3) years should a license be issued. The deepwater port, if licensed, would be designed, constructed and operated in accordance with applicable codes and standards and would have an expected operating life of approximately 25 years.

#### Privacy Act

The electronic form of all comments received into the Federal Docket Management System can be searched by the name of the individual submitting the comment (or signing the comment,

if submitted on behalf of an association, business, labor union, etc.). The DOT Privacy Act Statement can be viewed in the **Federal Register** published on April 11, 2000 (Volume 65, Number 70, pages 19477-78) or you may visit <http://regulations.gov>.

(Authority: 49 CFR 1.66)

By Order of the Maritime Administrator.

Dated: October 29, 2007.

**Murray A. Bloom,**

*Acting Secretary, Maritime Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Surface Transportation Board

[STB Finance Docket No. 35084]

#### Kansas City Terminal Railway Company—Acquisition Exemption—BNSF Railway Company

Kansas City Terminal Railway Company (KCT), a Class III rail carrier, has filed a verified notice of exemption under 49 CFR 1150.41 to acquire by purchase from BNSF Railway Company approximately 5.5 miles of rail line, extending from milepost 5.78 near Sheffield Junction to the end of the track at milepost 11.23 near Blue Valley, in Jackson County, MO.

This transaction is related to the concurrently filed notice of exemption in STB Finance Docket No. 35085, *Kansas City Transportation Company LLC—Lease and Operation Exemption—Kansas City Terminal Railway Company*, wherein Kansas City Transportation Company LLC seeks to lease from KCT and to operate the line that KCT is purchasing from BNSF.

Based on projected revenues for the line, KCT expects to remain a Class III rail carrier after consummation of the proposed transaction. KCT certifies that its projected annual revenues as a result of this transaction will not result in the creation of a Class II or Class I rail carrier. Because the projected annual revenues of the line, together with KCT's projected annual revenue, will exceed \$5 million, KCT certified, on September 21, 2007, that it had sent the required notice of the transaction to the national and local offices with employees on the affected lines and posted a copy of the notice at the workplace of the employees on the affected lines on September 20, 2007.

KCT states that it intends to consummate the transaction on or after November 20, 2007. The earliest this transaction may be consummated is November 20, 2007, the effective date of

the exemption (60 days after KCT certified its compliance with the labor notice requirements of 49 CFR 1150.42(e)).

If the notice contains false or misleading information, the exemption is void *ab initio*. Petitions to revoke the exemption under 49 U.S.C. 10502(d) may be filed at any time. The filing of a petition to revoke will not automatically stay the transaction. Petitions for stay must be filed no later than November 13, 2007 (at least 7 days before the exemption becomes effective).

An original and 10 copies of all pleadings, referring to STB Finance Docket No. 35084, must be filed with the Surface Transportation Board, 395 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20423-0001. In addition, one copy of each pleading must be served on Michael J. Barron, Jr., Fletcher & Sippel LLC, 29 North Wacker Drive, Suite 920, Chicago, IL 60606-2832.

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By the Board, David M. Konschnik,  
Director, Office of Proceedings.

**Vernon A. Williams,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Surface Transportation Board

[STB Finance Docket No. 35085]

#### Kansas City Transportation Company LLC—Lease and Operation Exemption—Kansas City Terminal Railway Company

Kansas City Transportation Company LLC (KCTL), a Class III rail carrier, has filed a verified notice of exemption under 49 CFR 1150.41 to lease from Kansas City Terminal Railway Company (KCT) and operate approximately 5.5 miles of rail line from milepost 5.78 near Sheffield Junction to the end of the line at milepost 11.23 near Blue Valley, in Jackson County, MO.

This transaction is related to the concurrently filed notice of exemption in STB Finance Docket No. 35084, *Kansas City Terminal Railway Company—Acquisition Exemption—BNSF Railway Company*, wherein KCT, the owner of KCTL, seeks to acquire by purchase from BNSF Railway Company the 5.5 miles of rail line described above.

Based on projected revenues for the line, KCTL expects to remain a Class III

rail carrier after consummation of the proposed transaction. KCTL certifies that its projected annual revenues as a result of this transaction will not result in the creation of a Class II or Class I rail carrier. Because the projected annual revenues of the line, together with KCTL's projected annual revenue, will exceed \$5 million, KCTL certified, on September 21, 2007, that it had served the required notice of the transaction on the national offices of the labor unions for those employees affected on the lines and posted such notice at the workplace of the employees on the affected lines on September 20, 2007.

KCTL states that it intends to consummate the transaction on November 20, 2007. The earliest this transaction may be consummated is November 20, 2007, (the effective date of the exemption (60 days after KCTL certified its compliance with the labor notice requirements of 49 CFR 1150.42(e))).

KCTL also states that, upon authorization of this transaction, it plans to enter into a service agreement with Kaw River Railroad, Inc. (Kaw River), under which Kaw River would provide certain railroad operating services on this 5.5-mile line. KCTL states that Kaw River is not seeking separate authority to operate as a common carrier over the line. In publishing this notice, the Board takes no position on whether Kaw River would need to obtain Board authority to provide services pursuant to this agreement with KCTL. Given the Board's conclusions in *Kansas City Transportation Company LLC—Lease and Assignment of Lease Exemption—Kansas City Terminal Railway Company and Kaw River Railroad, Inc.*, STB Finance Docket No. 34830 (STB served May 23, 2007), and KCTL's recognition of those conclusions in this proceeding, Kaw River should file a notice of exemption to operate pursuant to the agreement and simultaneously file a motion to dismiss if it believes that authority is not needed.

If the verified notice contains false or misleading information, the exemption is void *ab initio*. Petitions to revoke the exemption under 49 U.S.C. 10502(d) may be filed at any time. The filing of a petition to revoke will not automatically stay the transaction. Petitions for stay must be filed no later than November 13, 2007 (at least 7 days before the exemption becomes effective).

An original and 10 copies of all pleadings, referring to STB Finance Docket No. 35085, must be filed with the Surface Transportation Board, 395 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20423–

0001. In addition, a copy of each pleading must be served on Michael J. Barron, Jr., Fletcher & Sippel LLC, 29 North Wacker Drive, Suite 920, Chicago, IL 60606–2832.

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Surface Transportation Board

[STB Finance Docket No. 35090]

#### JP Rail, Inc.—Lease and Operation Exemption—NAT Industries, Inc.

JP Rail, Inc. (JP Rail), a Class III rail carrier, has filed a verified notice of exemption under 49 CFR 1150.41 to lease from NAT Industries, Inc. (NAT) and to operate approximately 1 mile of track in Carroll Township, PA, known as the Donora Line (the Line), formerly operated by NAT as private industrial track. JP Rail states that it will hold itself out to provide common carrier rail freight service over the Line, and that it plans to serve customers originating traffic at JP Rail's Pleasantville, NJ facility and also to market its service to "local" customers. According to JP Rail, the traffic would comprise construction and demolition materials (C&D), which would be transported from Pleasantville by Norfolk Southern Railway Company to a connection with the Line at milepost ML40 in Carroll Township. JP Rail would then transport the C&D over the Line for subsequent transloading into trucks for movement to "Westmoreland Waste's landfill," approximately 3 miles from Carroll Township. JP Rail states that this operation is intended to be temporary until a permanent rail unloading facility can be constructed on Westmoreland Waste's site and its landfill permit amended to allow for rail traffic. Finally, JP Rail asserts that the proposed transaction is exempt from environmental review under 49 CFR 1105.6(c)(2)(i) and from historic review under 49 CFR 1105.8(b)(1).

JP Rail certifies that its projected revenues as a result of the transaction will not result in the creation of a Class II or Class I rail carrier and will not exceed \$5 million.

Because of outstanding questions regarding the proposal, the Board,

through the Director of the Office of Proceedings, in a decision served October 26, 2007, directed JP Rail to file supplemental information describing in more detail its anticipated operations and supporting its claim that environmental review is not warranted. The Board also directed JP Rail to serve a copy of its verified notice and the October 26 decision on appropriate federal, state, and local entities and stated that the effective date of the exemption would be delayed until December 6, 2007, to allow time for those parties to participate, if they wish. Therefore, the earliest this transaction may be consummated is December 6, 2007, the effective date of the exemption (50 days after the exemption was filed).

If the verified notice contains false or misleading information, the exemption is void *ab initio*. Petitions to revoke the exemption under 49 U.S.C. 10502(d) may be filed at any time. The filing of a petition to revoke will not automatically stay the transaction. Petitions for stay must be filed no later than November 29, 2007 (at least 7 days before the exemption becomes effective).

An original and 10 copies of all pleadings, referring to STB Finance Docket No. 35090, must be filed with the Surface Transportation Board, 395 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20423–0001. Also, a copy of each pleading must be served on John D. Heffner, 1750 K Street, NW., Suite 350, Washington, DC 20006.

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*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Internal Revenue Service

#### Advisory Group to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue; Renewal of Charter

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

**SUMMARY:** The Charter for the Advisory Committee on Tax Exempt and Government Entities (ACT) has been renewed for a two-year period beginning July 13, 2007.

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