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Ms. Ailsa "Elsa" von Dobeneck Watco Companies, L.L.C. 134 11th Street SE Washington, D.C. 20003

Dear Ms. von Dobeneck,

Thank you for your recent correspondence regarding the Louisiana Southern Railroad's application for the Consolidated Rail Infrastructure and Safety Improvements program through the U.S. Department of Transportation.

I contacted the appropriate authorities at DoT in support of your application. My official letter of support was sent directly to the Department on your behalf, and I will let you know if any additional information about your submission becomes available.

It is a privilege to represent the Fifth District of Louisiana. Thank you for this opportunity to be of service.

Sincerely,

Julia Letlow

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