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March 6, 2014

Mr. R. A. Boldra General Director Labor Relations **BNSF Railway Company** PO Box 961030 Fort Worth, Texas 76161-0030

Re: **Tulsa Multi-Directional Pool**

Dear Mr. Boldra:

This will memorialize our discussion regarding access to assignments operating under "Attachment A" of the Tulsa-Madill/Fort Scott ID Agreement in the middle of a bid-pack period.

As a result of our discussion, we agreed to the following:

- 1. Temporary Vacancies (6 days or more) on these assignments would be governed by Part II, Section 3 of the Tulsa Four-Part Agreement, the same as any other temporary vacancy.
 - NOTE: All assignments operating under the provisions of Attachment A at Tulsa are considered "the same set of pool crews", thus employees holding a position in assigned pool service cannot claim or be assigned to a TVA on another position in assigned service.
- 2. Permanent vacancies occurring in the middle of a bid-pack period will be bulletined and assigned under existing Schedule Rules.
 - NOTE: All assignments operating under the provisions of Attachment A at Tulsa are considered "the same set of pool crews", thus employees holding a position in assigned pool service cannot bid from one position to another in the middle of a bid-pack.
- 3. The provisions of Article 14, Section B (3) of the SLSF Conductors' and Brakemen's Schedule will not apply to bulletins advertising assignments for a new bid-pack period. In other words, because employees will know ahead of time when the new bid-pack assignments will be advertised, they will be expected to place their bid before the bulletins close and will not subsequently be allowed to displace to a bid-pack assignment when they mark up from their layoff.

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If the above correctly recites our understanding, please sign below and return a copy for our records.

Sincerely

R. S. Knutson General Chairman

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Agreed:

R. A. Boldra

General Director Labor Relations