

By Order of the Maritime Administrator.

Dated: June 17, 2013.

**Julie P. Agarwal,**

*Secretary, Maritime Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Surface Transportation Board

[Docket No. FD 35741]

#### **American Surface Lines, LLC— Acquisition and Operation Exemption—Mikrut Properties, LLLP**

American Surface Lines, LLC (ASL), a noncarrier, has filed a verified notice of exemption under 49 CFR 1150.31 to acquire by assignment from Mikrut Properties, LLLP (MP), and to operate as a common carrier, certain rail lines that comprise a total distance of 1.56 miles in Winona, Winona County, Minn.

The lines are described as follows: (a) 1.37 miles (7,215 feet) of rail line, comprised of seven tracks, extending from point of connection with the main line of Soo Line Railroad Company, d/b/a Canadian Pacific Railroad Company (CP) at or near Pelzer Street to a transloading facility owned and operated by MP; and (b) 0.19 miles of rail line, comprised of two nearby tracks of approximately 500 feet each, extending from point of connection with the main line of Union Pacific Railroad Company (UP) at or near 3rd Street to a transloading facility also owned and operated by MP. ASL states that there are no mileposts on the lines. ASL also states that there are no interchange commitments between ASL and MP.

According to ASL, the lines have been operated by MP as private tracks. ASL states that the MP tracks that connect to CP's line have been operated pursuant to a private siding agreement between CP and MP dated May 22, 2012. According to ASL, MP is assigning to ASL that agreement, and ASL will terminate the agreement and operate the tracks as common carrier tracks. ASL also explains that the MP tracks that connect to UP's line have been operated by MP pursuant to a lease from UP dated May 20, 2011. ASL states that MP is assigning to ASL that lease with UP's written consent.

The earliest the transaction can be consummated is July 6, 2013, the effective date of the exemption (30 days after the exemption was filed).

ASL certifies that its projected annual revenues as a result of this transaction will not exceed those that would qualify it as a Class III rail carrier and will not exceed \$5 million.

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 effectiveness of the exemption. Petitions to stay must be filed no later than June 28, 2013 (at least 7 days before the exemption becomes effective).

An original and 10 copies of all pleadings, referring to Docket No. FD 35741, 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 Thomas F. McFarland, Thomas F. McFarland, P.C., 208 South LaSalle Street, Suite 1890, Chicago, IL 60604-1112.

Board decisions and notices are available on our Web site at [www.stb.dot.gov](http://www.stb.dot.gov).

Decided: June 17, 2013.

By the Board, Rachel D. Campbell,  
Director, Office of Proceedings.

**Derrick A. Gardner,**

*Clearance Clerk.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Surface Transportation Board

[Docket No. EP 290 (Sub-No. 5) (2013-3)]

#### **Quarterly Rail Cost Adjustment Factor**

**AGENCY:** Surface Transportation Board, DOT.

**ACTION:** Approval of rail cost adjustment factor.

**SUMMARY:** The Board approves the third quarter 2013 Rail Cost Adjustment Factor (RCAF) and cost index filed by the Association of American Railroads. The third quarter 2013 RCAF (Unadjusted) is 0.977. The third quarter 2013 RCAF (Adjusted) is 0.425. The third quarter 2013 RCAF-5 is 0.401.

**DATES:** *Effective Date:* July 1, 2013.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Pedro Ramirez, (202) 245-0333. Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) for the hearing impaired: (800) 877-8339.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

Additional information is contained in the Board's decision, which is available on our Web site, <http://www.stb.dot.gov>. Copies of the decision may be purchased by contacting the Office of Public Assistance, Governmental Affairs, and Compliance at (202) 245-0238. Assistance for the hearing

impaired is available through FIRS at (800) 877-8339.

This action will not significantly affect either the quality of the human environment or energy conservation.

Decided: June 18, 2013.

By the Board, Chairman Elliott, Vice Chairman Begeman, and Commissioner Mulvey.

**Jeffrey Herzig,**

*Clearance Clerk.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### **Proposed Collection; Comment Request**

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burdens, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on a currently approved information collection that is due for extension approval by the Office of Management and Budget. The Terrorism Risk Insurance Program Office within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments concerning the Record Keeping Requirements set forth in 31 CFR part 50, subpart F (Sec. 50.50-50.55).

**DATES:** Written comments must be received on or before August 20, 2013.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit comments by email to [triacomment@do.treas.gov](mailto:triacomment@do.treas.gov) or by mail (if hard copy, preferably an original and two copies) to: Terrorism Risk Insurance Program, Public Comment Record, Suite 2100, Department of the Treasury, 1425 New York Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20220. Because paper mail in the Washington DC area may be subject to delay, it is recommended that comments be submitted electronically. All comments should be captioned with "PRA Comments—Recoupment Procedures of the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act (TRIA)". Please include your name, affiliation, address, email address and telephone number in your comment. Comments will be available for public inspection by appointment only at the Reading Room of the Treasury Library. To make appointments, call (202) 622-0990 (not a toll-free number).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information should be directed to: Terrorism Risk Insurance Program Office at (202) 622-6770 (not a toll-free number).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

OMB Number: 1505-0197.

**Title:** Terrorism Risk Insurance Program: Recordkeeping Requirements for Insurers Compensated Under Terrorism Risk Insurance Program.

**Abstract:** Sections 103(a) and 104 of the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act of 2002 (Pub. L. 107-297) ("Act") (as extended by the Terrorism Risk Insurance Extension Act of 2005, Pub. L. 109-144 and the Terrorism Risk Insurance Program Reauthorization Act of 2007, Pub. L. 110-160) authorize the Department of the Treasury to administer and implement the Terrorism Risk Insurance Program established by the Act. In 31 CFR part 50, subpart F (Sec. 50.50-50.55), Treasury established requirements and procedures for insurers that file claims for payment of the Federal share of compensation for insured losses resulting from a certified act of terrorism under the Act. Section 50.60 allows Treasury access to records of an insurer pertinent to amounts paid as the Federal share of compensation for insured losses in order to conduct investigations, confirmations and audits. Section 50.61 requires insurers to retain all records as are necessary to fully disclose all material matters pertaining to insured losses. This collection of information is the recordkeeping requirement in § 50.61.

**Type of Review:** Extension of a currently approved data collection.

**Affected Public:** Business/Financial Institutions.

**Estimated Number of Respondents:** 100.

**Estimated Average Time per Respondent:** 8.3 hours.

**Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:** 833 hours.

**Request for Comments:** An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a valid OMB control number. Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collections; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection

techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

Dated June 17, 2013.

**Jeffrey S. Bragg,**

*Director, Terrorism Risk Insurance Program.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burdens, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on a currently approved information collection that is due for extension approval by the Office of Management and Budget. The Terrorism Risk Insurance Program Office within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments concerning the Record Keeping Requirements set forth in 31 CFR part 50, subpart I (Sec. 50.82).

**DATES:** Written comments must be received on or before August 20, 2013.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit comments by email to [triacomment@do.treas.gov](mailto:triacomment@do.treas.gov) or by mail (if hard copy, preferably an original and two copies) to: Terrorism Risk Insurance Program, Public Comment Record, Suite 2100, Department of the Treasury, 1425 New York Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20220. Because paper mail in the Washington, DC area may be subject to delay, it is recommended that comments be submitted electronically. All comments should be captioned with "PRA Comments—Recoupment Procedures of the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act (TRIA)". Please include your name, affiliation, address, email address and telephone number in your comment. Comments will be available for public inspection by appointment only at the Reading Room of the Treasury Library. To make appointments, call (202) 622-0990 (not a toll-free number).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information should be directed to: Terrorism Risk Insurance Program Office at (202) 622-6770 (not a toll-free number).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**  
OMB Number: 1505-0196.

**Title:** Terrorism Risk Insurance Program: Litigation Management-

Information Collection Regarding Proposed Settlements.

**Abstract:** Section 103(a) and 104 of the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act of 2002 (Pub. L. 107-297) ("TRIA") authorize the Department of the Treasury to administer and implement the temporary Terrorism Risk Insurance Program established by the Act. Section 107 contains specific provisions designed to manage litigation arising out of or resulting from a certified act of terrorism. The Terrorism Risk Insurance Extension Act of 2005, Public Law 109-144, added section 107(a)(6) to TRIA, which provides that procedures and requirements established by the Secretary under 31 CFR 50.82, as in effect on the date of issuance of that section in final form [July 28, 2004], shall apply to any Federal cause of action described in section 107(a)(1). Section 50.82 of the regulations requires insurers to submit to Treasury for advance approval certain proposed settlements involving an insured loss, any part of the payment of which the insurer intends to submit as part of its claim for Federal payment under the Program. Section 50.83 of the regulations describes the form and content that insurers must submit to implement the settlement approval process prescribed by Section 50.82.

**Type of Review:** Extension of a currently approved data collection.

**Affected Public:** Business/Financial Institutions.

**Estimated Number of Respondents:** 1,286.

**Estimated Average Time per Respondent:** 4 hours.

**Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:** 5141 hours.

**Request for Comments:** An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a valid OMB control number. Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collections; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information