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DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE )

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I, Mark D. Bugher, Secretary of the Department of Revenue and custodian of the official records certify that the annexed rule, relating to the apportionment of incomes of interstate railroads, sleeping car companies, and car line companies was duly approved and adopted by this department on July 7, 1992.

I further certify that this copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this department and that it is a true copy of the original, and of the whole of the original.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at 125 South Webster Street in the city of Madison, this 7th day of 1992.

Mark D. Bugher  $\nu$ 

Secretary of Revenue

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#### ORDER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE CREATING RULES

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The Wisconsin Department of Revenue adopts an order to create Tax 2.475 relating to the apportionment of net business incomes of interstate railroads, sleeping car companies and car line companies.

#### Analysis by the Department of Revenue

Statutory authority: s. 71.80(1)(c), Stats.

Statutes interpreted: ss. 71.04(8)(c) and 71.25(10)(c), Stats.

SECTION 1. Tax 2.475, relating to the apportionment of income of interstate railroads, sleeping car companies and car line companies, is created because of the amendment to s. 71.26(1)(a), Stats., by 1991 Wisconsin Act 39 which imposes a franchise or income tax on these entities for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1991. This rule provides a procedure for these entities that are doing business within and without Wisconsin to apportion or allocate their income to Wisconsin.

SECTION 1. Tax 2.475 is created to read:

- Tax 2.475 <u>APPORTIONMENT OF NET BUSINESS INCOMES OF INTERSTATE RAILROADS.</u>

  <u>SLEEPING CAR COMPANIES AND CAR LINE COMPANIES</u>. (ss. 71.04(8)(c) and

  71.25(10)(c), Stats.) (1) DEFINITIONS. In this section:
- (a) "Gross receipts from carriage" means gross receipts received for the carriage of property or persons net of interline payments made to other railroads as a result of the interchange of carriage between and among railroads. Gross receipts from carriage includes interline payments received from other railroads.
- (b) "Revenue ton mile" means the movement of one net ton of property or persons, or both, the distance of one mile, for consideration. For carriage of persons, each person shall be considered the equivalent of 150 pounds, and the average weight of the contents of head end cars, or "baggage cars," is considered to be 4 tons.

- (2) INTERSTATE RAILROADS AND SLEEPING CAR COMPANIES. With respect to the imposition of Wisconsin franchise or income tax measured by or on net income for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1991, the income of a railroad or sleeping car company operating within and without Wisconsin shall be apportioned to Wisconsin on the basis of the arithmetical average of the following 2 factors:
- (a) The ratio of the gross receipts from carriage of property or persons, or both, first acquired for carriage in Wisconsin to the total gross receipts from carriage of property or persons, or both, everywhere.
- (b) The ratio of revenue ton miles of carriage in Wisconsin to revenue ton miles of carriage everywhere.
- (3) SUBSTITUTION OF FACTORS. Whenever gross receipts data is not available the department may authorize or direct substitution of a similar factor, such as gross tonnage, and whenever revenue ton mile data is not available the department may similarly authorize substitution of a similar factor, such as revenue miles.
- (4) CAR LINE COMPANIES. With respect to the imposition of Wisconsin franchise or income tax measured by or on net income for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1991, the income of a car line company operating within and without Wisconsin shall be allocated or apportioned to Wisconsin as provided in s. 71.04(4) or 71.25(6) and s. Tax 2.39.

Note: Section 71.26(1)(a), Stats., was amended by 1991 Wisconsin Act 39, effective for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1991. For taxable years beginning before January 1, 1991, railroads, sleeping car companies and car line companies were exempt from Wisconsin franchise and income taxation.

The rule contained in this order shall take effect on the first day of the month following publication as provided in s. 227.22(2)(intro.), Stats.

## Final Regulatory Flexibility Analysis

This rule order does not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small businesses.

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	Local Assistance		•	
	Aids to Individuals or Organizations		-	
	TOTAL State Costs by Category	\$	\$ -	
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	FED		-	
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	SEG/SEG-S		-	
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	GPR Taxes	\$	\$	
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Tommy G. Thompson Governor Mark D. Bugher Secretary of Revenue

July 8, 1992

Douglas LaFollette Secretary of State 30 West Mifflin Street, 10th Floor Madison, WI 53703

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Dear Secretary LaFollette:

Enclosed are a Certificate and an Order of the Department of Revenue adopting Clearinghouse Rule 92-36.

These materials are filed with you pursuant to s. 227.20, Stats.

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Mark D. Bugher Secretary of Revenue

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**Enclosure** 

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Gary L. Poulson Assistant Revisor 2nd Floor 119 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd. Madison, WI 53703

Re: Clearinghouse Rule 92-36

Dear Mr. Poulson:

Enclosed are a certified copy and an extra copy of an Order of the Department of Revenue promulgating rules relating to the apportionment of incomes of interstate railroads, sleeping car companies, and car line companies.

These materials are filed with you pursuant to s. 227.20(1), Stats.

Sincerely

Mark D. Bugher Secretary of Revenue

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Enclosure

cc: Douglas J. LaFollette, Secretary of State Commerce Clearing House, Inc. Research Institute of America, Inc.