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Subject RJ Corman request

Dear Ms. Rutson:

Before embarking on a study of the RJ Corman request which would entail a costly environmental impact statement, the STB should be fully aware of the nature of the projects envisioned. Please take note of the following.

No fewer than 4 federal agencies have identified environmental issues of concern.

A formal application for a biofuels plant has not yet been submitted.

In May 2007, the application for a quarry was considered deficient.

Most important of all, the application for the landfill which the rail line would access has been suspended since October 2006.

It must be noted as well that the landfill and related projects have generated enormous, continuing public opposition in Centre County and beyond. The arguments made in opposition are totally convincing, incontrovertable, and well publicized.

Sincerely yours,
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