

Docket AB 167
(Sub No. 675H)

NOTICE OF INSUFFICIENT REVENUE
CONSOLIDATED RAIL CORPORATION

Notice is hereby given that the lines of railroad described below, operated by Consolidated Rail Corporation (Conrail), generate insufficient revenues to justify their continued operation and maintenance.

The Akron Branch and Akron Secondary Track from a point 1,600 feet South of the South side of Vanderhoof Road in Barberton, Ohio (at approximately Milepost 23.0) to 2,112 feet North of the switch connection with the Orrville Industrial Park Lead in Orrville, Ohio (at approximately Milepost 35.0).

The proposed abandonment involves approximately 12.0 miles of line in Summit and Wayne Counties, Ohio.

Accordingly, it is Conrail's intention, after the expiration of ninety (90) days following the filing of this notice, to file application with the Interstate Commerce Commission (ICC) under Section 308(c) of the Regional Rail Reorganization Act of 1973 (RRR Act) for a certificate approving the abandonment of the aforesaid lines. A map showing the location of the lines and a copy of Section 308 of RRR Act are attached to this Notice. Also attached hereto

is a preliminary estimate of the net liquidation value of the lines. The figures appearing in the attached statement are subject to revision when the application is filed. Because no traffic currently originates or terminates on the lines Conrail is unable to provide the estimated subsidy that would be required for a hypothetical future operation.

Copies of this Notice have been served, on the date specified below, on the Governor of Ohio, the Ohio Public Utility Commission, the Ohio Department of Transportation, the State Agricultural Extension Service, the Rail Service Planning Office of the ICC, the Federal Railroad Administration, the Office of Proceedings of the ICC, the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, the Office of Special Counsel of the ICC, the National Railroad Passenger Corporation, the Military Traffic Management Command, the Railroad Retirement Board, and the Railway Labor Executives Association. No shippers are affected.

Date: October 20, 1983

AKRON BRANCH

AKRON SECONDARY

See Exhibit A, Page 2 of 2 for Description

State(s): Ohio Counties: Wayne _____
_____ Summit _____

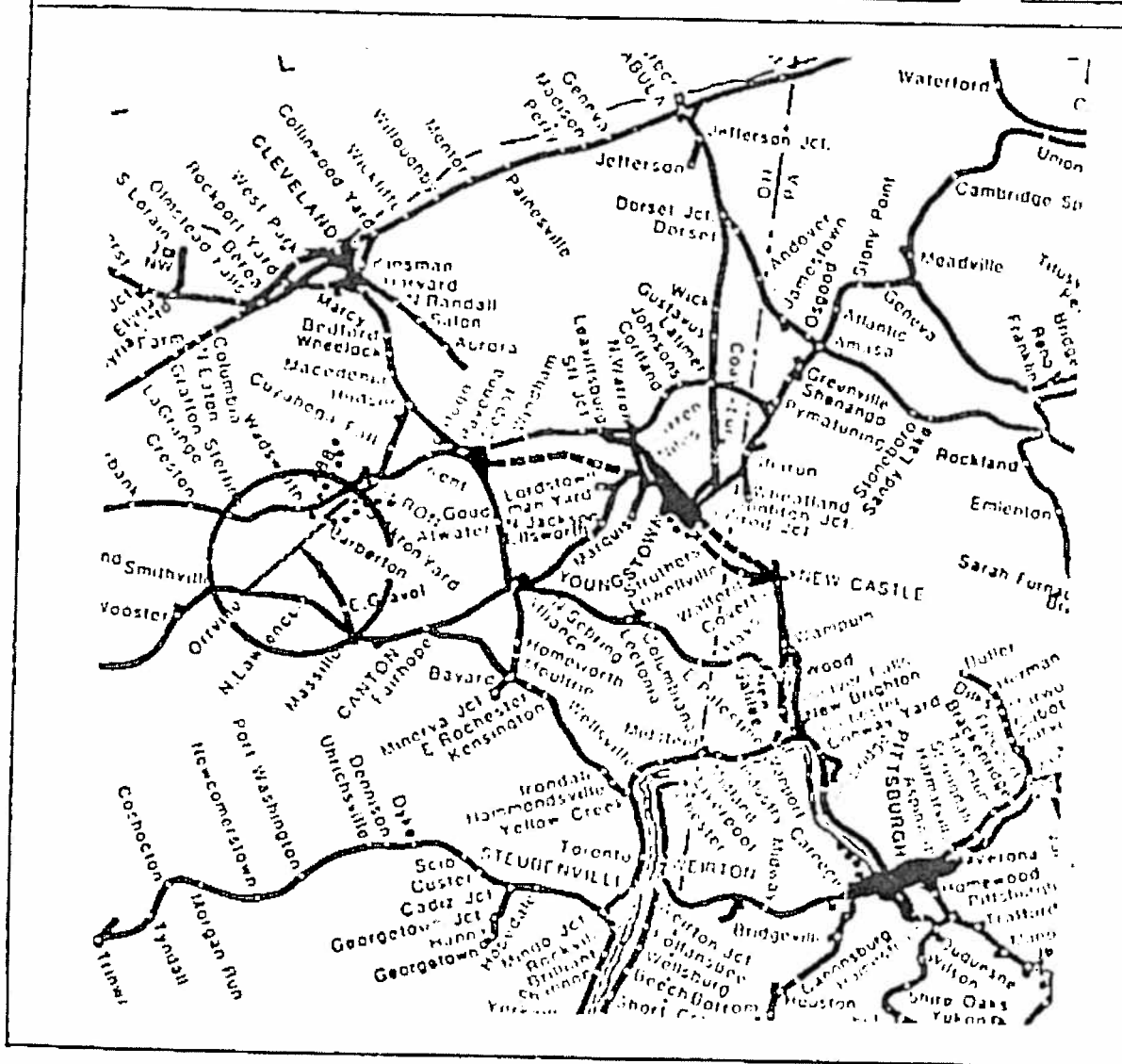


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EXHIBIT A
LOCATION AND MAP

AKRON BRANCH
AKRON SECONDARY

State(s): OH Counties: Wayne _____
Summit _____

AKRON BRANCH

Barberton-1600 Feet South of the South Side of Vanderhoof Road
(Approx. M.P. 23.0) to
Warwick-1200 Feet East of the Summit County Line (Approx. M.P. 27.2)

AKRON SECONDARY

Warwick-1200 Feet East of the Summit County Line (Approx. M.P. 27.2) to
Orrville-2112 Feet North of the Switch Connection with the
Orrville Industrial Park Lead (Approx. M.P. 35.0)