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**VIA E-MAIL**

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RE: 15-FOIA-209 Info - Current Equipment Cycles

Dear Mr. Clement:

We are in receipt of your request under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 *et seq.*

On October 8, 2015, we received your request for the current equipment cycles across Metra's entire network. Additionally, you noted that you would like to travel on every possible locomotive you could while in Chicago ("**Request**").

In response to your Request, Metra's Transportation Department is providing you with the current equipment cycles sheets for each district Metra operates. The Transportation Department states that the manner in which the information was assembled in these cycle sheets differs from district to district.

As to that portion of your Request to travel on every possible locomotive during your visit in Chicago; we are assuming by locomotive, you mean the engine section of the train itself. While Metra appreciates your enthusiasm for your locomotive hobby, we must inform you that individuals not employed by Metra are, for safety and security reasons, not permitted to ride in our locomotives.

If I can be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



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