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Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a), are two (2) copies of a Statement of New Car Markings, dated July 1, 1999, a secondary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The enclosed document relates to the documents previously filed with the Commission/Board under Recordation Number 20244.

The name and address of the party to the enclosed document are:

General American Transportation Corporation
500 West Monroe Street
Chicago, IL 60661.

A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

set forth on the Statement

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$26.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return a stamped copy of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,



Robert W. Alvord

STATEMENT OF NEW CAR MARKINGS

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**Re: GATC Trust No. 96-1
Trust Indenture and Security Agreement dated as of August 28, 1996, as
thereafter supplemented, (the "Security Agreement"), and Equipment Lease
Agreement dated as of August 28, 1996, as thereafter supplemented (the
"Equipment Lease").**

ICC Recordation Number 20244

The identifying markings for certain Units which are part of the above trust have been changed as reflected below. Effective July 1, 1999 such new numbers shall be substituted for the original numbers of such Units on Schedule I of the Equipment Lease and accordingly in the Security Agreement.

Description	DOT Class	Original Markings		New Markings	
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5727	DME	5727
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5728	DME	5728
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5732	DME	5732
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5734	DME	5734
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5736	DME	5736
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5737	DME	5737
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5738	DME	5738
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5740	DME	5740
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5746	DME	5746
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5747	DME	5747
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5748	DME	5748
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5751	DME	5751
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5752	DME	5752
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5755	DME	5755
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5756	DME	5756
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5757	DME	5757
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5759	DME	5759
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5763	DME	5763
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5768	DME	5768
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5769	DME	5769
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5770	DME	5770
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5771	DME	5771
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5772	DME	5772
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5773	DME	5773
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5774	DME	5774
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5775	DME	5775
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5776	DME	5776
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5778	DME	5778
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5779	DME	5779
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5783	DME	5783
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5784	DME	5784

Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5788	DME	5788
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5789	DME	5789
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5790	DME	5790
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5791	DME	5791
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5792	DME	5792
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5794	DME	5794
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5795	DME	5795
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5796	DME	5796
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5800	DME	5800
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5801	DME	5801
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5803	DME	5803
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5807	DME	5807
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5808	DME	5808
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5811	DME	5811
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5814	DME	5814
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5816	DME	5816
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5820	DME	5820
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5821	DME	5821
Freight Car	AAR L/O	GACX	5823	DME	5823

General American Transportation Corporation

By: *Donald J. Schaffer*
 Name: Donald J. Schaffer
 Title: Vice President

State of Illinois)
) SS
 County of Cook)

On this 1st day of July, 1999, before me personally appeared Donald J. Schaffer, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn, say that he is Vice President of General American Transportation Corporation, that said instrument was signed on such date on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

Patricia Lodge
 Notary Public
 [Notarial Seal]

My commission expires:

