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**VIA EMAIL: [secretary@fmc.gov](mailto:secretary@fmc.gov)**

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**Re: Docket No. 12-07, Notice of Inquiry – Solicitation of Views on  
Requests to Develop and Release Container Freight Rate Indices for  
U.S. Agricultural Exports**

Dear Secretary Gregory:

Following up on our recent conversation, the Transportation Committee of the National Customs Brokers and Forwarders Association of America, Inc. ("NCBFAA") discussed the issues raised by the Commission's Notice of Inquiry that was issued May 21, 2012 in the above-referenced docket. Before submitting views, however, the Transportation Committee would like to reach out to the general membership of the NCBFAA in order to obtain a broader base of views on this subject.

Consequently, in order to give the Association sufficient time to accomplish this, we respectfully request a two-week extension of the deadline -- namely, from July 9 to July 23 -- in order to file comments in response to this NOI.



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If you have any questions concerning this, please do not hesitate to contact me. In the meantime, thank you for your consideration of this request.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'E. Greenberg', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Edward D. Greenberg