DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FEDERAL RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION

## FALSE PROCEED SIGNAL REPORT

January, 1995

DATE January 31, 1995

REPORTING CARRIER (railroad & region or division)

All railroads subject to Regulations of the Federal Railroad Administration shall submit a false proceed signal report, original only, to the Federal Railroad Administration within five days after a false proceed occurs. If no false proceed occurs during any calendar month, a report showing "No Failures" must be filed within ten days after the end of the month.

Copies of this form will be furnished upon request to the Department of Transportation, Federal Railroad Administration, Office of Safety, Washington, D.C. 20590

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CSX Transportation

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MAIL TO

Director of Railroad Safety Federal Railroad Administration Suite 440, North Tower 1720 Peachtree Road, NW Atlanta, Georgia 30309

REPORTING OFFICER (signature/title)

Chief Engr.-Train Control

A failure should not be counted more than one time in items 1, 2, 3, and 4; the failure should be classified under the basic system or appliance of which it forms an essential part. E.g.; assume grounds cause a block signal to indicate a false proceed causing corresponding indications of a cab signal system on each train approaching this point, such failures should be included in item 1, Block Systems.

A false proceed failure is a failure of a system, device or appliance to indicate or function as intended which results in less restriction than intended.

The following abbreviations may be used in the report.

A-Automatic
AB-Automatic block
ACS-Automatic ceb signal
APB-Absolute permissive block
ATC-Automatic train control
ATS-Automatic train stop
CL-Color position light

E-Electric

FP-False proceed
MB-Manual block
M-Mechanical
P-Pneumatic
PL-Position light
SA-Semiautomatic

TC-Traffic control

EM-Electromechanical

EP-Electropneumatic

DEVICE THAT LOCOMOTIVE TYPE OF SYSTEM DATE LOCATION (city and state) FAILED NUMBER 1 BLOCK SYSTEMS Signal Train Lilesville, NC 269 F767-17 1/17/99 XITC APB AUTO: 2 INTERLOCKING MATIC REMOTE MANUAL 3 AUTOMATIC SYSTEMS ATC ATS ACS <sup>4</sup> OTHER (specify)

NATURE AND CAUSE OF FAILURE/CORRECTIVE ACTION TAKEN

On January 17, 1995, Train F767-17 reported approach medium signal at M.P. SF-269. This signal or route was not intended by CSXT due to the signal in advance being a control

Signal and at stop.

Signal system was removed from service. Signal personnel, along with FRA personnel investigated the incident making all operationl tests. The incident could not be duplicated. It was determined that the signal system was functioning as intended. Signal system is restored to service.

CD Relay failure Pitted contacts

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