# THE RAILROAD EMPLOYEES NATIONAL HEALTH AND WELFARE PLAN

This is a summary of the annual report for The Railroad Employees National Health and Welfare Plan, EIN 80-0616625, Plan Number 501, for the period January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016. The annual report has been filed with the Department of Labor, as required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

#### **INSURANCE INFORMATION**

The Plan has a contract with Metropolitan Life Insurance Company to pay the following types of claims incurred under the terms of the plan: life insurance and accidental death and dismemberment. The total premiums paid for the plan year ending December 31, 2016 were \$14,517,702.

Because it is a so called "experience-rated" contract, the premium costs are affected by, among other things, the number and size of claims. Of the total insurance premiums paid for the plan year ending December 31, 2016, the premiums paid under such an experience-rated contract were \$14,517,702 and the total of all benefit claims paid under the experience-rated contract during the plan year was \$12,061,112.

#### **BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

The value of plan assets, after subtracting liabilities of the Plan, was \$189,547,635 as of December 31, 2016, compared to \$205,958,626 as of January 1, 2016. During the plan year the Plan experienced a change in its net assets of (\$16,410,991). This change includes unrealized appreciation or depreciation in the value of plan assets; that is, the difference between the value of the Plan's assets at the end of the year and the value of the assets at the beginning of the year or the cost of assets acquired during the year. The Plan had total income of \$1,700,537,236 which included employer contributions of \$1,461,930,206, employee contributions of \$238,070,144, Retiree Drug Subsidy Program receipts of \$234,198, earnings from investments of \$228,247, and other income of \$74,441.

Total plan expenses were \$1,716,948,227. These expenses included \$91,493,178 in administrative expenses and \$1,625,455,049 in benefits paid to participants and beneficiaries.

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- 5. Transactions in excess of 5% of plan assets; and
- 6. Insurance information including sales commissions paid by insurance carriers.

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# NATIONAL RAILWAY CARRIERS AND UNITED TRANSPORTATION UNION HEALTH AND WELFARE PLAN

This is a summary of the annual report for National Railway Carriers and United Transportation Union Health and Welfare Plan, EIN 80-0616629, Plan Number 510, for the period January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016. The annual report has been filed with the Department of Labor, as required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

#### **INSURANCE INFORMATION**

The Plan has a contract with Metropolitan Life Insurance Company to pay the following types of claims incurred under the terms of the plan: life insurance and accidental death and dismemberment. The total premiums paid for the plan year ending December 31, 2016 were \$5,656,106.

Because it is a so called "experience-rated" contract, the premium costs are affected by, among other things, the number and size of claims. Of the total insurance premiums paid for the plan year ending December 31, 2016, the premiums paid under such an experience-rated contract were \$5,656,106 and the total of all benefit claims paid under the experience-rated contract during the plan year was \$3,354,451.

### BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The value of plan assets, after subtracting liabilities of the Plan, was \$85,245,590 as of December 31, 2016, compared to \$81,611,515 as of January 1, 2016. During the plan year the Plan experienced a change in its net assets of \$3,634,075. This change includes unrealized appreciation or depreciation in the value of plan assets; that is, the difference between the value of the Plan's assets at the end of the year and the value of the assets at the beginning of the year or the cost of assets acquired during the year. The Plan had total income of \$621,377,852 which included employer contributions of \$528,393,350, employee contributions of \$92,702,397, Retiree Drug Subsidy Receipts of \$56,640, earnings from investments of \$179,159, and other income of \$46,306.

Total plan expenses were \$617,743,777. These expenses included \$35,987,027 in administrative expenses and \$581,756,750 in benefits paid to participants and beneficiaries.

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# THE RAILROAD EMPLOYEES NATIONAL EARLY RETIREMENT MAJOR MEDICAL BENEFIT PLAN

This is a summary of the annual report for The Railroad Employees National Early Retirement Major Medical Benefit Plan, EIN 52-1036399, Plan Number 506, for the period January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016. The annual report has been filed with the Department of Labor, as required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

#### BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The value of plan assets, after subtracting liabilities of the Plan, was \$28,548,012 as of December 31, 2016, compared to \$51,553,643 as of January 1, 2016. During the plan year the Plan experienced a change in its net assets of (\$23,005,631). This change includes unrealized appreciation or depreciation in the value of plan assets; that is, the difference between the value of the Plan's assets at the end of the year and the value of the assets at the beginning of the year or the cost of assets acquired during the year. The Plan had total income of \$216,853,407 which included employer contributions of \$208,083,584, employee contributions of \$8,723,782, earnings from investments of \$44,295, and other income of \$1,746.

Total plan expenses were \$239,859,038. These expenses included \$16,896,247 in administrative expenses and \$222,962,791 in benefits paid to participants and beneficiaries.

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### THE RAILROAD EMPLOYEES NATIONAL DENTAL PLAN

This is a summary of the annual report for The Railroad Employees National Dental Plan, EIN 52-1036399, Plan Number 505, for the period January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016. The annual report has been filed with the Department of Labor, as required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

### BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The value of plan assets, after subtracting liabilities of the Plan, was \$12,384,906 as of December 31, 2016, compared to \$17,060,598 as of January 1, 2016. During the plan year the Plan experienced a change in its net assets of (\$4,675,692). This change includes unrealized appreciation or depreciation in the value of plan assets; that is, the difference between the value of the Plan's assets at the end of the year and the value of the assets at the beginning of the year or the cost of assets acquired during the year. The Plan had total income of \$109,986,110 which included employer contributions of \$107,311,790, employee contributions of \$2,658,760, and earnings from investments of \$15,560.

Total plan expenses were \$114,661,802. These expenses included \$4,893,856 in administrative expenses and \$109,767,946 in benefits paid to participants and beneficiaries.

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# THE SUPPLEMENTAL SICKNESS BENEFIT PLAN COVERING RAILROAD SHOP CRAFT AND SIGNAL EMPLOYEES

This is a summary of the annual report for The Supplemental Sickness Benefit Plan Covering Railroad Shop Craft and Signal Employees, EIN 52-1036399, Plan Number 508, for the period January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016. The annual report has been filed with the Department of Labor, as required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

#### BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The value of plan assets, after subtracting liabilities of the Plan, was \$0 as of December 31, 2016, compared to \$0 as of January 1, 2016. During the plan year the Plan experienced a change in its net assets of \$0. This change includes unrealized appreciation or depreciation in the value of plan assets; that is, the difference between the value of the Plan's assets at the end of the year and the value of the assets at the beginning of the year or the cost of assets acquired during the year. The Plan had total income of \$29,284,721 which included employer contributions of \$29,281,721 and earnings from investments of \$3,000.

Total plan expenses were \$29,284,721. These expenses included \$2,627,627 in administrative expenses and \$26,657,094 in benefits paid to participants and beneficiaries.

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# THE MAINTENANCE OF WAY EMPLOYEES SUPPLEMENTAL SICKNESS BENEFIT PLAN

This is a summary of the annual report for The Maintenance of Way Employees Supplemental Sickness Benefit Plan, EIN 52-1036399, Plan Number 502, for the period January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016. The annual report has been filed with the Department of Labor, as required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

#### BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The value of plan assets, after subtracting liabilities of the Plan, was \$0 as of December 31, 2016, compared to \$0 as of January 1, 2016. During the plan year the Plan experienced a change in its net assets of \$0. This change includes unrealized appreciation or depreciation in the value of plan assets; that is, the difference between the value of the Plan's assets at the end of the year and the value of the assets at the beginning of the year or the cost of assets acquired during the year. The Plan had total income of \$15,351,034 which included employer contributions of \$15,347,761 and earnings from investments of \$3,273.

Total plan expenses were \$15,351,034. These expenses included \$1,801,118 in administrative expenses and \$13,549,916 in benefits paid to participants and beneficiaries.

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# THE SUPPLEMENTAL SICKNESS BENEFIT PLAN COVERING RAILROAD YARDMASTERS

This is a summary of the annual report for The Supplemental Sickness Benefit Plan Covering Railroad Yardmasters, EIN 52-1036399, Plan Number 507, for the period January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016. The annual report has been filed with the Department of Labor, as required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

#### **INSURANCE INFORMATION**

The Plan has a contract with Trustmark Insurance Company to pay temporary disability claims incurred under the terms of the Plan. The total premiums paid for the plan year ending December 31, 2016 were \$880,906.

Because it is a so called "experience-rated" contract, the premium costs are affected by, among other things, the number and size of claims. Of the total insurance premiums paid for the plan year ending December 31, 2016, the premiums paid under such an experience-rated contract were \$880,906 and the total of all benefit claims paid under the experience-rated contract during the plan year was \$614,408.

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# RAILROAD EMPLOYEES NATIONAL HEALTH FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT PLAN

This is a summary of the annual report for Railroad Employees National Health Flexible Spending Account Plan, EIN 52-1036399, Plan Number 512, for the period January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016. The annual report has been filed with the Department of Labor, as required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

#### BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The value of plan assets, after subtracting liabilities of the Plan, was \$2,680,819 as of December 31, 2016, compared to \$2,300,679 as of January 1, 2016. During the plan year the Plan experienced a change in its net assets of \$380,140. This change includes unrealized appreciation or depreciation in the value of plan assets; that is, the difference between the value of the Plan's assets at the end of the year and the value of the assets at the beginning of the year or the cost of assets acquired during the year. The Plan had total income of \$11,439,727 which included employer contributions of \$908,197, employee contributions of \$10,529,391, and earnings from investments of \$2,139.

Total plan expenses were \$11,059,587. These expenses included \$380,999 in administrative expenses and \$10,678,588 in benefits paid to participants and beneficiaries.

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### THE RAILROAD EMPLOYEES NATIONAL VISION PLAN

This is a summary of the annual report for The Railroad Employees National Vision Plan, EIN 52-1036399, Plan Number 509, for the period January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016. The annual report has been filed with the Department of Labor, as required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

#### **INSURANCE INFORMATION**

The Plan has a contract with EyeMed Vision Care to pay vision claims incurred under the terms of the Plan. The total premiums paid for the Plan year ending December 31, 2016 were \$15,771,979.

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