

No. 17-1376

IN THE
Supreme Court of the United States

NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY,
Petitioner,

v.

MICHAEL PARSONS,
Respondent.

**On Petition for a Writ of *Certiorari*
to the Appellate Court of Illinois
First Judicial District**

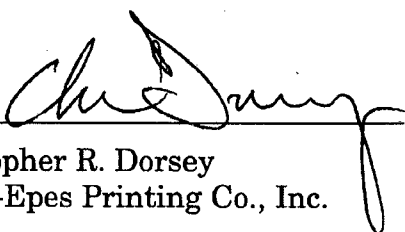
**BRIEF OF THE ASSOCIATION OF
AMERICAN RAILROADS AND THE
AMERICAN SHORT LINE AND REGIONAL
RAILROAD ASSOCIATION AS *AMICI CURIAE*
IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER**

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