Stockholder Information

COMMON STOCK

Ticker symbol: NSC Common stock of Norfolk Southern Corporation is listed and traded on the New York Stock Exchange.

ANNUAL MEETING

May 12, 2005, at 10 a.m. EDT The Roper Performing Arts Center 340 Granby St. Norfolk, Va.

PUBLICATIONS

Upon written request, the corporation's annual and quarterly reports on Forms 10-K and 10-Q will be furnished free to stockholders. Write to: Public Relations Department, Norfolk Southern Corporation, Three Commercial Place, Norfolk, Va. 23510-9227.

A notice and proxy statement/annual meeting of stockholders are furnished to stockholders in advance of the annual meeting.

Upon request, a stockholder may receive a printed copy of the Corporate Governance Guidelines, board committee charters, Code of Ethics, and Code of Ethical Conduct for Senior Financial Officers. Contact the Corporate Secretary, Norfolk Southern Corporation, Three Commercial Place, Norfolk, Va. 23510-9219. This information also is available on the NS Web site.

INTERNAL AUDIT HOTLINE

High ethical standards always have been key to Norfolk Southern's success. Anyone who may be aware of a violation of the corporation's ethical standards or a conflict of interest, or has a concern or complaint regarding the corporation's financial reporting, accounting, internal controls or auditing matters is encouraged to report such information to the Internal Audit Hotline, (800) 732-9279. Reports may be made anonymously and without fear of retaliation.

ANNUAL REPORT REQUESTS WORLD WIDE WEB AND INFORMATION (800) 531-6757

Address www.nscorp.com

Dividends

At its January 2005 meeting, the corporation's board of directors declared a quarterly dividend of 11 cents per share on its common stock, payable on March 10, 2005, to stockholders of record on Feb. 4, 2005.

Norfolk Southern Corporation pays quarterly dividends on its common stock, usually on or about March 10, June 10, Sept. 10 and Dec. 10. The corporation has paid 90 consecutive quarterly dividends since its inception in 1982.

FINANCIAL INQUIRIES

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STOCKHOLDER INQUIRIES

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Regional Offices

ACCOUNT ASSISTANCE

For assistance with lost stock certificates, transfer requirements and the Dividend Reinvestment Plan, contact:

Registrar and Transfer Agent The Bank of New York 101 Barclay St.-11E New York, N.Y. 10286 (866) 272-9472

For assistance with address changes, dividend checks and direct deposit of dividends, contact: Assistant Corporate Secretary Stockholder Records Norfolk Southern Corporation Three Commercial Place Norfolk, Va. 23510-9219 (800) 531-6757

DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PLAN

Stockholders whose names appear on their stock certificates (not a street or broker name) are eligible to participate in the Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

The plan provides a convenient, economical and systematic method of acquiring additional shares of the corporation's common stock by permitting eligible stockholders of record to reinvest dividends.

The plan's administrator is The Bank of New York. For additional information, dial (866) 272-9472.