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Holders of Four Per Cent. Ten-Year Secured Notes of THE WESTERN, PACIFIC RAILROAD COR-PORATION, issued under its Trust Agreement, dated October 1, 1920:

Referring to the notice dated this day and published by the Protective Committee representing the holders of First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds of said The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company, announcing an agreement between this Corporation and said Committee with respect to a Plan of Reorganization of the securities and affairs of The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company, The Western Pacific Railroad Corporation, which owns more than a majority of all bonds outstanding under said Adjustment Mortgage, notines all other holders of such Adjustment Bonds that in said Plan of Reorganization this Corporation has reserved the right, within certain reasonable limitations, to ofter to all holders of Adjustment Mortgage Bonds participation in the benefits of said Plan, if carried into effect, and has agreed in that event to accept for itself as the owner of a majority of said issue the same terms which shall be offered to other holders of such bonds.

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Holders of the outstanding Ten-Year Four Per Cent. Secured Notes of this Corporation (which were issued in exchange for Adjustment Mortgage Bonds) are notified that, in event said Plan of Reorganization is carried into effect, this Corporation will afford to the note-holders severally the same privilege of exchanging their notes for securities to be issued pursuant to the Plan as they would have been accorded had they continued to hold the Adjustment Bonds for which their notes were exchanged. Copies of the Plan of Reorganization may be obtained by

application to this Corporation at its office, 43 Exchange Place,

New York City. New York, January 30, 1922.

The Western Pacific Railroad Corporation, By ALVIN W. KRECH, Chairman of the Board.

REORGANIZATION

The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company

A Plan and Agreement dated January 27, 1922, for the reorganization of The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company has been proposed by The Western Pacific Railroad Corporation (the holding company) to the undersigned Committee consti-tuted under the Deposit Agreement, dated May 28, 1917, for the First and Refunding Mortgage Five Per Cent. Gold Bonds of The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company, and said Plan and Agreement has been approved and adopted by the

Holders of Certificates of Deposit for First and Refunding Mortgage Five Per Cent. Gold Bonds, issued under the said Deposit Agreement, who shall not dissent from the Plan and Agreement of Reorganization in the manner and within the period prescribed in the Deposit Agreement will be conclusively presumed to have assented to the Plan and Agreement of Reorganization, to have waived any right of withdrawal given by the Deposit Agreement, and also to have waived the provision contained in the Deposit Agreement limiting the time within which Depositors will be entitled to receive the new securities resulting from the Plan. Holders of Certificates of Deposit not so dissenting will, in the event that said Plan and Agreement of Reorganization shall become effective and binding on holders of Certificates of Deposit issued under said Deposit Agreement, become parties to said Plan and Agreement of Reorganization their certificates to the Depositary or any of the Sub-Depositaries named below to be stamped as assenting to the Plan and Agreement of Reorganization.

Holders of undeposited First and Refunding Mortgage Five Per Cent. Gold Bonds of The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company may become parties to the Plan and Agreement of Reorganization by depositing their bonds with coupons payable February 1, 1922, and all subsequent coupons attached, with the Depositary, or one of the Sub-Depositaries named below, on or before March 1, 1922, and will receive therefor Certificates of Deposit issued under the Deposit Agreement of May 28, 1917, stamped as assenting to the Plan and Agreement of Reorganiza-

The Committee has arranged that in the event that default shall be raade in the payment of the coupon due February 1, 1922, on the said bonds. The Western Pacific Railroad Corporation shall purchase such coupon belonging to each of said bonds, which shall have become bound by or shall have been deposited under the Plan and Agreement of Reorganization.

In order to participate in the benefits of this purchase, holders of Certificates of Deposit already issued under the Deposit Agreement aforesaid must sign and file with the Depositary or any of the Sub-Depositaries a written assent to the Plan and Agreement of Reorganization containing a waiver of all right of withdrawal given by the Deposit Agreement and of the provisions contained in the Deposit Agreement limiting the time within which Depositors will be entitled to receive the new securities resulting from the Plan and also must present their Certificates of Deposit, accompanied by appropriate income tax certificates, to the Depositary or any of the Sub-Depositaries, to be stamped accordingly. Blank forms for such assent may be obtained from the Depositary or any of the Sub-Depositaries.

Holders of undeposited First and Refunding Mortgage Five Per Cent. Gold Bonds will be entitled to participate in the benefit of such purchase merely by the deposit of their bonds, accompanied by appropriate income tax certificates.

Provision is made to the end that, if the Plan should not be consummated, the bonds may be returned free of charge to such Depositors as shall have assented to the Plan. This, however, does not apply to holders of Certificates of Deposit who may The Committee recommends the immediate acceptance of the

Plan and Agreement of Reorganization. In view of the probable default in the payment of the coupon due February 1, 1922, bondholders are urged to deposit their bonds promptly.

Copies of the Plan and Agreement of Reorganization may be obtained from the Depositary or any of the Sub-Depositaries or from the Secretary of the Committee.

Dated, New York, January 30th, 1922. B. W. JONES. Secretary. 16 Wall St., New York City.,

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To Holders of Certificates of Deposit for First and Refunding Mortgage Five Per Cent. Gold Bonds of The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company issued under the Deposit Agreement dated May 28, 1917, between the Holders of said Bonds and the Committee therein named:

NOTICE is hereby given that a Plan and Agreement dated January 27, 1922, for the reorganization of THE DENVER AND RIO GRANDE RAILROAD COMPANY has been proposed by The Western Pacific Railroad Corporation to the undersigned Committee, and has been approved and adopted by the Committee, and that a copy of said Plan and Agreement of Reorganization has been filed with Bankers Trust Company, Depositary under said Deposit Agreement, at its office, No. 16 Wall Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York. The Committee recommends the acceptance of said Plan and Agreement of Reorganization by the holders of said Certificates of Deposit. Each holder of a Certificate of Deposit issued under said Deposit Agreement shall be conclusively presumed to have assented to said Plan and Agreement of Reorganization unless he shall, within thirty days after the first publication of this notice, that is to say, on or helore the first day of March, 1922, have filed with the said Bankers Trust Company, Depositary, written notice of his dissent therefrom, specifying therein the date or dates and the number or numbers of the Certificates of Deposit held by him.

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In case the Pian and Agreement of Reorganization shall become effective as provided by Article Ninth of the Deposit Agreement, any holder of a Certificate of Deposit who shall have filed notice of dissent as above provided may, within ten (10) days from the first day of March, 1922, withdraw his bonds from deposit under said Deposit Agreement in the manner provided in Article Ninth thereof, upon payment of such amount as the Committee in its absolute discretion may 0 x as his proportion of the compensation and expenses of the Committee, not exceeding one per cent, of the face amount of the bonds represented by his Certificate of Deposit. Dated, New York, January 30th, 1922.

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