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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
 WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM S-8
 REGISTRATION STATEMENT
 UNDER
 THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION
 (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Utah	13-2626465	
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	I.R.S. Employer Identification No.	

Eighth and Eaton Avenues Bethlehem, Pennsylvania	18018
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)	(Zip Code)

Chicago and North Western Railway Company
 Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program
 (Full title of plan)

RICHARD J. RESSLER, ESQ.
 Assistant General Counsel
 UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION
 Eighth and Eaton Avenues
 Bethlehem, Pennsylvania 18018
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(Name, address and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

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CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of securities to be registered	Amount to be registered	Proposed maximum offering price per share	Proposed maximum aggregate offering price	Amount of registration fee
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Common Stock, Par Value \$2.50 Per Share	450,000 Shares	\$72.625 (1)	\$32,681,250 (1)	\$11,269.40

Plan Interests	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
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- (1) Estimated pursuant to paragraphs (c) and (h) of Rule 457 solely for the purpose of calculating the registration fee, based upon the average of the reported high and low sales price of shares of Common Stock on August 20, 1996.
- (2) In addition, pursuant to Rule 416(c) under the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement also covers an indeterminate amount of interests to be offered or sold pursuant to the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program. These securities have no offering price and therefore, pursuant to Rule 457(h) (2), no separate registration fee is required.

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PART II
INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Item 3. Incorporation of Documents by Reference.

The following documents, as filed by the registrant, Union Pacific Corporation (the "Company"), with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission"), are incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement and made a part hereof:

- (a) The Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1995, as amended;
- (b) The Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program Annual Report on Form 11-K for the year ended December 31, 1995.
- (c) All other reports filed pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act")

since the end of the fiscal year covered by the Annual Report referred to in (a) above; and

- (d) The description of the capital stock of the Company (including the Common Stock) that is contained in the Company's Registration Statement filed under the Exchange Act under File No. 1-6075, including all amendments or reports filed for the purpose of updating such description.

All reports and other documents subsequently filed by the Company or the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program (the "Plan") pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 and 15(d) of the Exchange Act prior to the filing of a post-effective amendment which indicates that all securities offered hereby have been sold or which deregisters all securities then remaining unsold, shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference herein and to be part hereof from the date of filing of such documents.

The financial statements incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement from the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1995, as amended, and from the Plan's Annual Report on Form 11-K for the year ended December 31, 1995, have been audited by Deloitte & Touche LLP, independent auditors, as stated in their reports which are incorporated herein by reference, and have been so incorporated in reliance upon the reports of such firm given upon their authority as experts in accounting and auditing.

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Item 4. Description of Securities.

Not applicable.

Item 5. Interests of Named Experts and Counsel.

Not applicable.

Item 6. Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

The Company is a Utah corporation. Section 16-10a-901 et seq. of the Revised Business Corporation Act of Utah grants to a corporation the power and in certain cases requires corporations to indemnify a person made a party to a lawsuit or other proceeding because such person is or was a director or officer. A corporation is further empowered to purchase insurance on behalf of any person who is or was a director or officer against any liability asserted against him or her and incurred by him or her in such capacity or arising out of his or her status as such capacity. The Company's By-Laws provide for mandatory indemnification of its directors, officers and employees

in certain circumstances. The Company maintains insurance on behalf of directors and officers against liability asserted against them arising out of their status as such.

The Company's Articles of Incorporation eliminate in certain circumstances the personal liability of directors of the Company for monetary damages for a breach of their fiduciary duty as directors. This provision does not eliminate the liability of a director for (i) the amount of a financial benefit received by a director to which he or she is not entitled, (ii) an intentional infliction of harm on the corporation or the shareholders, (iii) a violation of Section 16-10a-842 of the Revised Business Corporation Act of Utah (relating to the liability of directors for unlawful distributions) or (iv) an intentional violation of criminal law.

Item 7. Exemption from Registration Claimed.

Not applicable.

Item 8. Exhibits.

The exhibits filed as part of this Registration Statement are as follows:

Exhibit Number		Exhibit
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23	-	Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP.
24	-	Powers of Attorney.

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The Company hereby undertakes to submit the Plan and any subsequent amendment thereto to the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") in a timely manner and to make all changes required by the IRS in order to qualify the Plan under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended.

Item 9. Undertakings.

(a) The undersigned Company hereby undertakes:

(1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this Registration Statement:

(i) To include any prospectus required by Section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act");

(ii) To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of the Registration Statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information;

(iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in the Registration Statement or any material change to such information in the Registration Statement;

Provided, however, that paragraphs (a)(1)(i) and (a)(1)(ii) of this Section do not apply if the Registration Statement is on Form S-3, Form S-8 or Form F-3, and the information required to be included in a post-effective amendment by those paragraphs is contained in periodic reports filed with or furnished to the Commission by the Company pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act that are incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement.

(2) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each such post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new Registration Statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

(3) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.

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(b) The undersigned Company hereby undertakes that, for purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each filing of the Company's Annual Report pursuant to Section 13(a) or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act (and, where applicable, each filing of the Plan's Annual Report pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act) that is incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement shall be deemed to be a new Registration Statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

(c) Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the Company pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the Company has been advised that in the opinion of the Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event

that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than payment by the Company of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the Company in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the Company will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, Union Pacific Corporation certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Bethlehem, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on this 23rd day of August, 1996.

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

By: /s/ Carl W. von Bernuth

Carl W. von Bernuth
Senior Vice President and
General Counsel

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement on Form S-8 has been signed below on this 23rd day of August, 1996, by the following persons in the capacities indicated.

Signature

Title

/s/ Drew Lewis

Drew Lewis

Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive
Officer and Director
(Principal Executive Officer)

/s/ L. White Matthews, III

Executive Vice President - Finance

L. White Matthews, III

and Director
(Principal Financial Officer)
(Principal Accounting Officer)

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Robert P. Bauman Director)
Richard B. Cheney Director)
E. Virgil Conway Director)
Richard K. Davidson Director)
Spencer F. Eccles Director)
Elbridge T. Gerry, Jr. Director)
William H. Gray, III Director)
Judith Richards Hope Director)
Richard J. Mahoney Director)
Jack L. Messman Director)
John R. Meyer Director)
Thomas A. Reynolds, Jr. Director)
James D. Robinson, III Director)
Robert W. Roth Director)
Richard D. Simmons Director)

By: /s/ Thomas E. Whitaker

(Thomas E. Whitaker
as Attorney-in-Fact)

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the trustees (or other persons who administer the employee benefit plan) have duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Bethlehem, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on this 23rd day of August, 1996.

CHICAGO AND NORTH WESTERN
RAILWAY COMPANY PROFIT SHARING
AND RETIREMENT SAVINGS PROGRAM

By: /s/ Ursula F. Fairbairn

Ursula F. Fairbairn
Named Fiduciary - Plan Administration/
Senior Vice President - Human
Resources of Union Pacific Corporation

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INDEX TO EXHIBITS

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EXHIBIT 23

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' CONSENT

We consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement on Form S-8 of our report dated January 18, 1996, incorporated by reference in the Annual Report on Form 10-K of Union Pacific Corporation for the year ended December 31, 1995, as amended, and of our report dated August 20, 1996, appearing in Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program Annual Report on Form 11-K for the year ended December 31, 1995.

/s/ Deloitte & Touche LLP
DELOITTE & TOUCHE LLP

Omaha, Nebraska
August 26, 1996

EXHIBIT 24

POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that ROBERT P. BAUMAN, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ Robert P. Bauman

ROBERT P. BAUMAN

POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that RICHARD B. CHENEY, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ Richard B. Cheney

RICHARD B. CHENEY

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that E. VIRGIL CONWAY, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of

Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ E. Virgil Conway

E. VIRGIL CONWAY

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that RICHARD K. DAVIDSON, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ Richard K. Davidson

RICHARD K. DAVIDSON

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that SPENCER F. ECCLES, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ Spencer F. Eccles

SPENCER F. ECCLES

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that ELBRIDGE T. GERRY, JR., a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE

MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ Elbridge T. Gerry, Jr.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY, JR.

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that WILLIAM H. GRAY, III, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director,

hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ William H. Gray, III

WILLIAM H. GRAY, III

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that JUDITH RICHARDS HOPE, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ Judith Richards Hope

JUDITH RICHARDS HOPE

POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that RICHARD J. MAHONEY, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ Richard J. Mahoney

RICHARD J. MAHONEY

POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that JACK L. MESSMAN, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as

amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ Jack L. Messman

JACK L. MESSMAN

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that JOHN R. MEYER, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ John R. Meyer

JOHN R. MEYER

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that THOMAS A. REYNOLDS, JR., a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ Thomas A. Reynolds, Jr.

THOMAS A. REYNOLDS, JR.

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that JAMES D. ROBINSON, III, a Director

of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ James D. Robinson, III

JAMES D. ROBINSON, III

POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that ROBERT W. ROTH, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the

undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ Robert W. Roth

ROBERT W. ROTH

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

UNION PACIFIC CORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that RICHARD D. SIMMONS, a Director of Union Pacific Corporation, a Utah Corporation, hereby appoints L. WHITE MATTHEWS, III, CARL W. VON BERNUTH, JUDY L. SWANTAK and THOMAS E. WHITAKER, and each of them acting individually, his true and lawful attorney, each with power to act without the other and full power of substitution, to execute, deliver and file, for and on his behalf, and in his name and in his capacity as a Director, a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (or other appropriate form) for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any other documents in support thereof or supplemental or amendatory thereto, with respect to the issuance of up to 450,000 shares of Common Stock of Union Pacific Corporation for use in connection with the Chicago and North Western Railway Company Profit Sharing and Retirement Savings Program, as amended and restated effective July 15, 1996, hereby granting to such attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing whatsoever as such attorney or attorneys may deem necessary or advisable to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing as the undersigned might or could do personally or in his capacity as a Director, hereby ratifying and confirming all acts and things which such attorney or attorneys may do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 25th day of July, 1996.

/s/ Richard D. Simmons

RICHARD D. SIMMONS