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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BOOKER JOHN P III		•	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol OLD DOMINION FREIGHT LINE INC/VA [ODFL]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O OLD DOMINION FREIGHT LINE, INC., 500 OLD DOMINION WAY (Street) THOMASVILLE, NC 27360		LINE,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2009					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  X. Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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### **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
BOOKER JOHN P III C/O OLD DOMINION FREIGHT LINE, INC. 500 OLD DOMINION WAY THOMASVILLE, NC 27360			VP - Controller		

# **Signatures**

/s/ John P. Booker, III	02/10/2009	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of Old Dominion Freight Line, Inc. common stock.
- The award will settle on the earlier of (a) the date of the reporting person's termination of employment on or after attainment of age 55 for any reason other than death, total (2) disability or for cause; (b) the date of the reporting person's death while employed by the issuer; or (c) the date of the reporting person's termination of employment as a result of his total disability

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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February 5, 2009

Securities and Exchange Commission Judiciary Plaza 450 Fifth Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20549

Re: Old Dominion Freight Line, Inc.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to General Instruction 7 to Form 3 (Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership), Form 4 (Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership) and Form 5 (Annual Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership) promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the undersigned director, officer and/or shareholder of Old Dominion Freight Line, Inc. (the "Company") hereby authorizes and designates Alice G. Gibson, Joel B. McCarty, Jr. and Wendy U. English, and each of them, to execute and file with the Commission on the undersigned's behalf any and all statements on Form 3, Form 4 or Form 5 relating to the undersigned's beneficial ownership of securities of the Company as required by Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules of the Commission promulgated thereunder. This authorization and designation shall be effective for so long as the undersigned remains subject to the provisions of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Effective as of the 5th day of February, 2009.

/s/ John P. Booker, III John P. Booker, III