Pricing Supplement No. TWO Dated: September 17, 1996 Filed Under Rule 424(b)(2)
To Prospectus dated Sept. 10, 1996, Registration No. 33-38595 and Prospectus Supplement dated Sept. 10, 1996

For SEC Filing Purposes:

Principal Amount \$100,000,000

NORFOLK SOUTHERN CORPORATION

MEDIUM-TERM NOTES, SERIES A

Due September 15, 2006

Date of Issue:	Spread:
(Settlement): 09/20/96	Spread Multiplier:
Maturity Date: 09/15/2006	Maximum Interest Rate, if any: N/A
	Minimum Interest Rate, if any: N/A
Zero-Coupon Note	Interest Calculation Dates: N/A
X Fixed Rate Note	Calculation Agent: N/A
Regular Record Dates:	<u> </u>
Each 02/28(29) and 08/31	Put Right Termination Date if Other
Interest Payment Dates	Than Maturity Date (N/A If Put
Each 03/15 and 09/15	Right Not Available): N/A
	Repurchase Price (If Other Than
Floating Rate Note	100% of Principal Amount): N/A
CD Rate Note	Redemption Date: N/A
Commercial Paper Rate Note	
Federal Funds Rate Note	Premium Reduction Amount: N/A
LIBOR Note	Tromfam Roadoofon Immodific. 11, 11
Prime Rate Note	Original Issue Discount Security:
Treasury Rate Note	N/A
Currency or Currency Units:	For Federal Income Tax Purposes
U.S. Dollars	Subject to Special Provisions
Issue Price (As a Percentage	Issue Date for Calculating OID: N/A
of Principal Amount): 100%	Original Issue Discount: N/A
Interest Rate/Initial	Original Issue Discount
Interest Rate: 7.22% per	Applicable to Short Accrual
annum	Period: N/A
Interest Payment Dates:	Computed under (exact)
Each March 15 and September 15	-
Interest Reset Dates: N/A	method
Interest Payment Period: N/A	
Interest Rate Reset Period:	Yield to Maturity: N/A
N/A	Default Rate (only applicable if
Interest Determination Dates:	
Each and	012 00001101/. 11/11
Index Maturity: N/A	Amortized Face Amount: N/A
Redemption Price: No redempt:	ion prior to maturity.
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Other Terms: CUSIP # 6 5 5 8 4 H AB