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Administrative Modification #15-05

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ATTENTION: Abhijit Bagde

RE: ADMINISTRATIVE MODIFICATION #15-05 TO THE 2015 FEDERAL TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (FTIP)

Dear Mr. De Terra:

The Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) is transmitting Administrative Modification #15-05 for projects in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, Ventura, and Various Counties. Included in this amendment package is the narrative describing the projects being amended and project listing reports. The projects meet the administrative modification criteria provided by the funding agencies in their letter dated June 3, 2011.

SCAG certifies that the projects in this administrative modification are not included in any other amendment that is currently open for public review. This administrative modification adds programming capacity in the amount of $204.2 million that relies on the FSTIP federal programming capacity. The financial constraint documentation will be updated to reflect this administrative modification in the next amendment.

The projects included in this administrative modification have demonstrated they satisfy the requirements of 40 CFR 93.118 and 93.119 without a new regional emissions analysis in accordance with the provisions of 40 CFR 93.122(e)(2)(ii). Therefore, SCAG through its function as the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) has found the attached projects to conform to the applicable State Implementation Plan and to be consistent with the 2012 Regional Transportation Plan/Sustainable Communities Strategies (RTP/SCS). The updates of these projects do not impact the conformity analysis of the financial constraints of the FY 2015 FTIP.

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Sincerely,

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