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September 17, 2014

File Number: XREQ 2011070004 (G.11-07-006) South Perris Boulevard City of Perris, Riverside County

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## SENT VIA EMAIL

Re: Time Extension Request for XREQ 2011070004 to Modify the South Perris Boulevard At-Grade Highway-Rail Crossing, Identified as CPUC Crossing No. 002X-19.40 and DOT No. 027348U in the City of Perris, Riverside County.

Dear Ms. Rosso:

This refers to your letter dated August 11, 2014, received on August 12, 2014, requesting a time extension to modify the South Perris Boulevard at-grade highway-rail crossing (crossing) of the Riverside County Transportation Commission (RCTC) San Jacinto Subdivision track in the City of Perris (City), Riverside County. The crossing is identified as CPUC Crossing No. 002X-19.40 and DOT No. 027348U.

The original authorization was granted on September 8, 2011, which expired on September 8, 2014. The project has been delayed due to litigation and the release of federal funding. As a result, a later than planned notice to proceed was issued to the construction contractor on October 7, 2013, and construction is scheduled for completion in December 2015. RCTC is requesting additional time to complete the crossing modifications. The Southern California Regional Rail Authority (SCRRA) and City provided concurrence to the time extension request.

The California Public Utilities Commission's (Commission) Rail Crossings Engineering Branch (RCEB) investigated the request by RCTC and finds that there has been no substantial change in circumstances since granting the original authority. Since SCRRA, RCTC, and City are in agreement and have no objection to the requested time extension, you may proceed with the modifications as previously authorized by the Commission on September 8, 2011, with a three year time extension. This authorization shall expire on September 8, 2017.

RCTC must also ensure that Emergency Notification Signs are installed to comply with CFR 234.309.

Within 30 days after completion of this project, RCTC shall notify RCEB that the authorized work is completed, by submitting a Commission Standard Form G titled Report of Changes at

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Highway Grade Crossings and Separations. Form G requirements and forms can be obtained at the Commission web site Form G page at

http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/safety/Rail/Crossings/formg.htm. This report may be submitted electronically to <a href="mailto:rces@cpuc.ca.gov">rces@cpuc.ca.gov</a> as outlined on the web page.

In all other respects, the original authorization for improvements remains in full force and effect. Should the work not be completed by September 8, 2017, RCEB may require a new General Order 88-B application for the crossing modifications.

Sincerely,

For Anton Garabetian, P.E.

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