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**SUBJECT: UPDATE ON HOUSE-SENATE CONFERENCE  
COMMITTEE DELIBERATIONS**

The Conference Committee appointed to reconcile the House and Senate versions of the FY 1996 Department of Transportation (DOT) spending bill has adjourned until next Wednesday. The Committee could not reach agreement on key transportation policy issues today and will continue their deliberations next week.

We anticipate that the Congress will finalize its transportation spending bill before the end of the federal fiscal year, September 30, 1995, and that the Conference Committee will recommend a funding level for the Metro Red Line Segment 3 project that demonstrates a continuing federal commitment to our project.

If you have any questions regarding this matter contact Arthur Sohikian at (213) 244-7435.