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of Transportation

**Federal Transit
Administration**

Administrator

1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE
Washington, DC 20590

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The Honorable Tom Wolf
Governor of Pennsylvania
Office of the Governor
508 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Dear Governor Wolf:

This letter is to inform you that Pennsylvania's State Safety Oversight (SSO) Program has been approved and certified by the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) in accordance with the requirements of Federal public transportation safety law (49 U.S.C. § 5329(e)) and FTA's SSO regulation (49 CFR Part 674).

Certification is an important achievement and promotes the safety of our Nation's rail transit systems. Pennsylvania's diligence in fulfilling these requirements and devoting necessary resources will make public transportation safer for the passengers who ride rail transit in Pennsylvania.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me or Henrika Buchanan, FTA's Acting Associate Administrator for Transit Safety and Oversight at (202) 366-5080 or Henrika.Buchanan@dot.gov.

Sincerely,

K. Jane Williams
Acting Administrator

cc: Mr. Leslie Richards, Secretary, Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT)
Mr. Toby Fauver, Deputy Secretary, PennDOT Multimodal Transportation
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