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COMMUTER RAIL SERVICE CONTINUATION SUBSIDIES
AND DISCONTINUANCE NOTICES

Dated: June 16, 1997

NOTICE TO THE PARTIES:

By notice of proposed rulemaking (NPR) served and published in the *Federal Register* on June 12, 1997 (62 FR 32068), the Board proposed to remove from the Code of Federal Regulations the regulations at 49 CFR part 1157 concerning subsidies for the continuation of commuter rail service and notices of the discontinuance of commuter rail service. Language in the NPR should be corrected. Please amend the first sentence of the second paragraph of the "Supplementary Information" section to read: "It appears that the regulations at 49 CFR part 1157 are based in part on repealed statutes."

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Secretary