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REPORT

To: Honorable William Welch, Senate Clerk
Honorable Steven James, House Clerk

From: Stephanie Pollack, Secretary and CEO

Date: September 1, 2015

Subject: MBTA Service and Procurement Contracts
Not Subject to Sections 52 to 55, inclusive, of Chapter 7
of the General Laws

(As required by Chapter 46 of the Acts of 2015, Section 196(b))

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Pursuant to section 196(b) of chapter 46 of the Acts of 2015, and on behalf of the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority ("MBTA"), I can report that as of this date, the MBTA has not issued any service or procurement contracts that are not subject to sections 52 to 55, inclusive, of Chapter 7 of the Massachusetts General Laws.

On August 28, 2015, the MBTA issued a Request for Information ("RFI"), in an effort to gather information from potential partners on best-practice ideas for improving bus operations by providing bus operations by third parties. A copy of the presentation on the RFI that was provided to the Legislature by the MBTA is attached hereto.

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