

Memorandum

6300 Georgetown Pike McLean, VA 22101-2296

Date:

Subject: **INFORMATION**: Lead Agency for Pooled

Fund Study TPF-5(161), "Transportation Security and Emergency Preparedness Professional Capacity Building (PCB)"

Reply to HRTM-2

Attn. of: (W. Zaccagnino, 33183)

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From:

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To: Margo Sheridan

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The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) is the lead agency for the Transportation Pooled Fund Study TPF-5(161), "Transportation Security and Emergency Preparedness Professional Capacity Building (PCB)." FHWA accepts the role of lead agency and agrees to receive, obligate, expend, and manage contributions from participating agencies.

The participating States are asked to submit their funding transfer request form (Form FHWA-1576) for this project with a copy of this letter to their respective FHWA Division Office for concurrence. Participating States should ask that funds be directed to FHWA office HOA-3.

Please contact Daniel M. Ferezan, 202-366-0507, if you have any questions.