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RFP CET 24-01: Commuter Coach

Addendum 1: Buy America Certification Requirement

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Notice

A Buy America Certification of Compliance is required by the FTA for buses. Please ensure that this is included with any RFP response. A copy of the document will also be posted on coic.org for you.

Buy America Certification of Compliance with FTA Requirements for Buses

"Buy America Requirements -Surface Transportation Assistance Act of 1982, as amended," 49 C.F.R. 661.12, but has been modified to include FTA's Buy America requirements codified at 49 u.s.c. A 5323G).

Pre-Award and Post-Delivery Audit Requirements - The Contractor agrees to comply with 49 U.S.C. § 5323m and FTA's implementing regulation at 49 C.F.R. Part 663 and to submit the following certifications:

1. Buy America Requirements: The Contractor shall complete and submit a declaration certifying either compliance or noncompliance with Buy America. If the Bidder/Offerer certifies compliance with Buy America, it shall submit documentation which lists 1) component and subcomponent parts of the rolling stock to be purchased identified by manufacturer of the parts, their country of origin and costs; and 2) the location of the final assembly point for the rolling stock, including a description of the activities that will take place at the final assembly point and the cost of final assembly.

2. Solicitation Specification Requirements: The Contractor shall submit evidence that it will be capable of meeting the bid specifications.

3. Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards (FMVSS): The Contractor shall submit manufacturer's FMVSS self-certification sticker information that the vehicle complies with relevant FMVSS or 2) manufacturer's certified statement that the contracted buses will not be subject to FMVSS regulations.

BUY AMERICA CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH FTA REQUIREMENTS FOR BUSES, OTHER ROLLING STOCK, OR ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT

(To be submitted with a bid or offer exceeding the small purchase threshold for Federal assistance programs, currently set at $100,000.)

Certificate of Compliance

The bidder hereby certifies that it will comply with the requirements of 49 U.S.C. Section 5323G)(2)(C), Section 165(6)(3) of the Surface Transportation Assistance Act of 1982, as amended and the regulations of 49 C.F.R. 661.11:

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Company Name: _____

Title:_____

Certificate of Non-Compliance

The bidder hereby certifies that it cannot comply with the requirements of 49 U.S.C. Section 5323G)(2)(C) and Section 165 (6)(3) of the Surface Transportation Assistance Act of 1982, as amended, but may qualify for an exception to the requirements consistent with 49 U.S.C. Sections 53230(2)(B) or (J)(2)(D), Sections 165(b)(2) or (6)(4) of the Surface Transportation Act, as amended, and regulations in 49 C.F.R. 661.7.

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Company Name: _____

Title: _____