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State of South Carolina
Department of Health and Human Services

Mark Sanford
Governor

Robert M. Kerr
Director

May 12, 2004

Mr. Winn Frank
Parsons Transportation Group
1133 15th Street NW
Washington, DC 20005

RE: STB Finance Docket No. 34421, HoRail LLC-Construction and
Operation Orangeburg and Dorchester Counties, South Carolina
Request for Comments on Potential Environmental Impacts

Dear Mr. Frank:

This is in response to the letter of May 5, 2004, from Victoria Rutson addressed to Robert M. Kerr. We do not believe that this project will have any environmental impact on our agency.

If additional information is needed, please let me know. I can be reached at (803) 898-2503.

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Sincerely,

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Deputy Director

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Cc: Ms. Victoria Rutson, Chief

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