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SUBJECT: Transit Security Grant Program: Transit Security Provider Review of Investment

Justifications

This Information Bulletin (IB) clarifies the responsibility of the Transit Security Provider in reviewing Investment Justifications (IJs) for transit agencies to which they provide security service. This affects the FY 2008 and FY 2009 Transit Security Grant Program (TSGP) Guidance and Application Kits, and the FY 2009 American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) TSGP Guidance and Application Kit.

The purpose of this IB is to clarify that only a review of the IJs is necessary and not formal approval, as is consistent with language in the Grant Guidance and Application Kits. The attached form "Investment Justification Review Form" hereby replaces the "Responsible Transit Security Provider Investment Justification Approval Form" in the Grant Guidance and Application Kits for each of the grant programs above.

Additional information regarding these grant programs is available on the FEMA website at http://www.fema.gov/grants. Questions may be directed to the Centralized Scheduling and Information Desk at 1-800-368-6498 or via email at askcsid@dhs.gov.