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FEDERAL RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION

**Mr. Mark P. Sullivan
Chief Mechanical Officer
Long Island Rail Road
Hillside Maintenance Complex
93-59 183 Street
Hollis, NY 11423**

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 22, 2004. In that letter you requested on behalf of the Long Island Rail Road, that the Federal Railroad Administration grant a waiver of compliance with certain provisions of 49 CFR 229 (Railroad Locomotive Safety Standards).

Your request has been designated Docket Number FRA-2004-18854. All information contained in this and other dockets are now available on the Internet at <http://dms.dot.gov>.

Sincerely,

**Ivornette N. Lynch
Docket Clerk**