

**CERTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 1511 OF
THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT:**

Pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, section 1511 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Pub. L. 111-5 (Feb. 17, 2009)) ("ARRA"), I, David C. Dill, Vermont Secretary of Transportation, hereby certify that the following infrastructure investment, funded with amounts appropriated by ARRA under the heading "Capital Assistance for High Speed Rail Corridors and Intercity Passenger Rail Service" to the Federal Railroad Administration, have received the full review and vetting required by law and that I accept responsibility that this investment is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars. I further certify that the specific information required by section 1511 concerning these investments is as follows:

Project Name	Project Number	Type of Work	Estimated Total Cost	Amount of ARRA funds
VERMONT/NECR RAIL IMPROVEMENTS	FR-HSR-0013-10-01-00	Track, roadbed, and bridge improvements	\$69,298,006	\$50,000,000
		TOTAL	\$69,298,006	\$50,000,000

The above information is available to the public at <http://www.aot.state.vt.us/1511Certificates.htm>.

I understand that my State or local agency may not receive ARRA infrastructure investment funding unless this certification is made and posted.



David C. Dill, Vermont Secretary of Transportation

Signed this 21st day of September, 2010.

* In accordance with section 1511 of ARRA, the Certifying Official may be either the Governor, mayor, or other chief executive, as appropriate.