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The Rudin Center for Transportation Policy & Management at the New York University (NYU) Robert F. Wagner Graduate School of Public Service will hold the 6th Annual Tri-State Transit Symposium on **Tuesday, October 18, 2005**. The focus of the symposium will be, "National and Regional Transit Security and the Financial Future of Transit in the Region."

With the recent reauthorization of the federal transportation bill, SAFTEA-LU, signed by the President in August and the current debate over the upcoming Bond Act, we are in a critical period when major decisions will be made affecting the future of transit in the New York metropolitan region. Hanging in the balance is the need to not only maintain a transit system in a "state of good repair," but to also expand system capacity and improve customer service while ensuring security in one of the largest systems in the world.

The Keynote speaker will be:

- **Peter Kalikow**, Chairman, MTA

Panel sessions comprised of key decision-makers and leaders will enable and encourage dialogue between presenters and the audience. Please join us and spend the morning with a convocation of top industry leaders.

Please mail or fax the attached registration form no later than October 11, 2005. We hope to see you at the 6th Annual Tri-State Transit Symposium!

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THE 6th ANNUAL Tri-State Transit Symposium

Critical Issues: National and Regional Transit Security and the Financial Future of Transit in the Region

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8:30 am – 12:45 pm

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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

8:30-9:00 am Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00 am Welcoming Remarks

Elliot Sander, *Director, NYU Wagner Rudin Center for Transportation Policy & Management*

Tyra Liebmann*, Associate Dean, NYU Robert F. Wagner Graduate School of Public Service*

9:15-10:00 am Keynote Address
Finance, Security, and the MTA—What Happens Next?

The Keynote Address will provide a perspective on the importance of the Bond Act, the impact of SAFTEA-LU, and on issues related to transit security in the New York metropolitan region.

Introduction:
Elliot Sander, *Director, NYU Wagner Rudin Center for Transportation Policy & Management*

Speaker:
Peter Kalikow, *Chairman, Metropolitan Transportation Authority (MTA)*

10:00-11:15 am Session 1
National and Regional Transit Security

In the wake of the attacks on the transit systems in Madrid and London, security is a critical concern for transit officials as well as for citizens who rely on public transit. Panelists will speak to broad issues and difficulties in maintaining security in an open system. Panelists will also touch upon the challenge of defining the boundary between security and privacy.

Moderator:
Allison C. de Cerreño, *Co-Director, NYU Wagner Rudin Center for Transportation Policy & Management*

Panelists:
Eva Lerner-Lam, *President, Palisades Consulting Group, Inc.*

David Gaier, *Chair, Roving Transit Security Guidelines Subcommittee, Transportation and Development Institute of the American Society of Civil Engineers*

Ronald Libengood, *CEO, Principal Consultant, SecuraComm*

11:15-11:30 am Break

11:30 am-12:45 pm Session 2
The Financial Future of Transit in the Region

With the recent signing of the transportation reauthorization bill, SAFTEA-LU, and the upcoming Bond Act, this is a critical period for the future of transit. Panelists will address the significance of these developments and what they mean for the New York region, and especially for the Metropolitan Transportation Authority (MTA).

Moderator:
Elliot Sander, *Director, NYU Wagner Rudin Center for Transportation Policy & Management*

Panelists:
Janette Sadik-Khan, *Senior Vice President, Parsons Brinckerhoff Inc.*

Christopher Boylan, *Deputy Executive Director, Metropolitan Transportation Authority*

Catherine Nolan, *Assemblywoman, 37th Assembly District, New York State Assembly*

REGISTRATION FORM

To register, please return this form with payment to: The 6th Annual Tri-State Transit Symposium - NYU Wagner Rudin Center for Transportation Policy & Management, 295 Lafayette Street, 2nd Floor, New York, NY 10012. Phone: (212) 998-7545 Fax: (212) 995-4611

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Registration is on a first-come, first-serve basis, and must be received by Tuesday October 11, 2005.
There will be no on-site registration. All requests for refunds must be received in writing by Tuesday, October 11, 2005.