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Date: 11-14-02

The Honorable Norman Mineta Secretary, U.S. Department of Transportation 500 Seventh Street, SW Washington, D.C. 20590

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