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The Department of Transportation's Urban Mass Transportation Administration today announced 4 supplemental grants,
totaling \$1,297,041, to Puerto Rico to help purchase 210 transit
buses and construct a ferry terminal.

The new grants raise Federal contributions to the projects to \$5,198,170 or two-thirds of \$7,782,256 total cost. Completion of planning and programming requirements by San Juan area authorities made the higher Federal grants possible.

The Metropolitan Bus Authority received three supplemental grants, totaling \$1,229,059, for the purchase of the buses and construction of a garage, terminal and shelters. Total Federal grants to the Bus Authority now amount to \$4,916,238.

The Ports Authority received an additional \$67,983 for construction of a ferry terminal to replace a deteriorated wooden facility in Old San Juan. Total Federal participation in this project amounts to \$271,932.

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