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## URBAN MASS TRANSPORTATION ADMINISTRATION

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The Department of Transportation's Urban Mass Transportation Administration today announced three supplemental capital grants, totaling \$14,043,953, for projects in New York, New Jersey, and Washington.

The Metropolitan Transportation Authority of New York, N.Y., will receive \$7,565,716 for a project (NY-UTG-3) involving a 16.1 mile extension of electrification on the Long Island Railroad between Mineola and Huntington, N.Y., and rehabilitation of the Railroad's existing electrification system.

The Port Authority Trans-Hudson Corporation of New York, N.Y., will receive \$5,683,166 for construction (INT-UTG-4) of a coordinated rail-bus transfer and terminal facility and related facilities in Jersey City, New Jersey.

The Seattle Transit system of Seattle, Washington, received an additional \$795,071 towards the cost of buying 70 new transit buses, installing a two-way radio system and building a new terminal and rebuilding an old one (WASH-UTG-4).

Each of the supplemental grants raises Federal participation from one-half to two-thirds of net project cost. The additional grants were made possible by the applicants' completion of statutory and administrative planning requirements.