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Dear Mr. McDonnell:

This letter is in response to your request for match waiver for State Planning and Research (SPR) Funds related to the AASHTO Transportation Curriculum Coordination Council (TC3).

I have determined that the AASHTO TC3 meets the criteria for use of SP&R funds without a non-Federal funding match. Please keep in mind that if a State decides to use SPR funds to participate in this activity, the project still must be included in the State's Research, Development and Technology work program that is approved by the respective FHWA Division Administrator. Furthermore, please adhere to the provisions found in 23 U.S.C. 505 and 23 CFR 420 when using funds that are made available under the apportionment of Federal-aid highway funds for any fiscal year.

You may contact Leslie Wright (leslie.wright@dot.gov, 202-493-3460) if you have any questions about this waiver.

Please let us know if we can be of further assistance.

Sincerely yours,

Michael F. Trentacoste
Associate Administrator

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