

# **TORONTO TRANSIT COMMISSION REPORT NO.**

**MEETING DATE:** May 6, 2010

**SUBJECT:** 2008 APTA Rail Audit Updates

## **INFORMATION ITEM**

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### **RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Commission:

- i) Receive for information, updates to the 2008 APTA Rail Safety Audit plus Toronto Transit Commission management actions; and
- ii) Forward this update to the Minister of Transportation, Province of Ontario and the Clerk of the City of Toronto for information.

### **FUNDING**

Captured in Operating and Capital budgets.

### **BACKGROUND**

The American Public Transportation Association (APTA) conducts Rail Safety Audits for the Toronto Transit Commission every three years. The Rail Safety Audit contributes to the TTC's ability to maintain an effective self-regulatory safety program.

Updates of the progress that has been made to the TTC management Action Plans are reported to the Commission twice a year (May and November). This report includes updates of the management Action Plans for the 2008 APTA Rail Safety Audit conducted for the Toronto Transit Commission.

### **DISCUSSION**

This is the second update of progress that has been made to the TTC management Action Plans which addressed the audit findings, stated whether action would be taken on the recommendations, and brought forward an implementation schedule.

**JUSTIFICATION**

Commissioners have a duty under the Ontario Occupational Health and Safety Act, to take all reasonable care to ensure that TTC complies with the Act and the regulations. Similarly, the Commission has a Criminal Code duty of reasonable care for occupational and public safety. The APTA Rail Safety Audit and semi-annual updates of management Actions are provided to the Commission to help fulfil their duty of reasonable care.

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Attachments: 2008 APTA Rail Audit Updates - March 2010