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ADDITION TO RHODE ISLAND 1511 CERTIFICATION

**CERTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 1511
OF THE
AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT:**

Pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, section 1511 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Pub. L. 111-5, Feb. 17, 2009) ("ARRA"), I, Donald L. Carcieri, hereby certify that the attached infrastructure investments funded with amounts appropriated by ARRA under the headings: "Supplemental Discretionary Grants for National Surface Transportation System" to the Department of Transportation's Maritime Administration, have received the full review and vetting required by law and that I accept responsibility that such investments are appropriate uses of taxpayer dollars. I further certify that the specific information required by section 1511 concerning each such investment (a description of the investment, the estimated total cost, and the amount of ARRA funds to be used) is provided on the attached list and on the Rhode Island Office of Economic Recovery and Reinvestment website at www.recovery.ri.gov and is further linked to the Recovery Accountability and Transparency Board website at www.recovery.gov.

The Quonset Development Corporation has been awarded a grant for the project entitled "Quonset Wind Energy and Surface Transportation" (QWEST). This project was submitted to the State Planning Council for review under Executive Order 12372 and has been determined to be consistent with the State Guide Plan. Additionally, the QWEST project was presented to the Council's Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC) at a public meeting on August 27, 2009 and endorsed by the TAC. The Quonset Development Corporation granted authority to the Managing Director to enter into a grant agreement with the Maritime Administration at a public meeting on August 16, 2010. The project is consistent with the following plans which have gone through separate public review processes:

- Base Reuse Plan for NCBC Davisville, 1994
- Quonset Business Park Master Land Use and Development Plan, 2008
- North Kingstown Comprehensive Plan, 2008

I understand that my State or local agency may not receive ARRA infrastructure investment funding unless this certification is made and posted.

Donald L. Carcieri, Governor
September 24, 2010