SOUND TRANSIT

MOTION NO. M2009-88

A motion of the Board of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority declaring an emergency and authorizing the chief executive officer to execute contracts exceeding, if necessary, \$200,000 but not exceeding \$1,000,000 in aggregate, either by competitive procurement or sole source, to procure the equipment and services necessary to reduce Link light rail noise levels with respect to the issues of wheel squeal on curves and crossover track switches as described to the Board in a briefing on September 24, 2009.

In order to obtain the equipment and services necessary to decrease noise levels associated with Central Link operations as quickly as possible in order to protect the health safety and welfare of the population.

It is hereby moved that an emergency is declared. The chief executive officer is authorized to execute contracts exceeding, if necessary, \$200,000 but not exceeding \$1,000,000 in aggregate, either by competitive procurement or sole source, to procure the equipment and services necessary to reduce Link light rail noise levels with respect to the issues of wheel squeal on curves and crossover track switches as described to the Board in a briefing on September 24, 2009. This action is necessary to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the population.

APPROVED by the Board of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority at a regular meeting thereof held on September 24, 2009.

ATTEST:

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Marcia Walker Board Administrator

Greg Nickels Board Chair