

COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC WORKS,
THE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY
AND THE MAYAGÜEZ CAMPUS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO
FOR
TRANSPORTATION SEMINARS, UNDER SPECIAL PROJECTS

In the city of San Juan, Puerto Rico, this day 27 of september , 2004.

APPEARS

As the First Part: The Puerto Rico Highway and Transportation Authority, (hereinafter referred to as the PRHTA), represented by its Executive Director, **Dr. Jack T. Allison Fincher**, and the Secretary of the Department of Transportation and Public Works, (hereinafter referred to as the DTPW), **Honorable Fernando E. Fagundo Fagundo**,

acting under the Public Law Number 74 of June 23, 1965, as amended [9 LPRA 2004(h)], particularly by Law Number 1 of March 6, 1991, and the Reorganization Plan Number 6 of 1971 (3 LPRA, App. III, Article VI);

As the Second Part: The Mayagüez Campus of the University of Puerto Rico, (hereinafter referred to as the RUM), represented by its Chancellor, **Dr. Jorge Iván Vélez Arocho**,

SET FORTH

WHEREAS, on the 1st of April of 1986, both parties signed a Cooperative Agreement, with the intention of establishing a reciprocal collaboration framework in which the PRHTA would provide financial assistance to the RUM, in order to provide profesional and technical services for research, development, training and other tasks necessary for the development of new technologies and/or improve existing ones.

WHEREAS, the RUM, through its Transportation Technology Transfer Center, within the scope and spirit of this Agreement, has requested, and the PRHTA has **approved funds, to finance the development of five (5) seminars, under Special Projects**, to be carryout during FY 2004.

**Cooperative Agreement between the DTPW, the PRHTA and
the Mayagüez Campus of the UPR for Transportation Seminars**

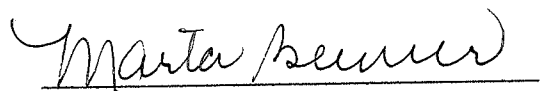
WHEREAS, the PRHTA has approved the amount of **\$30,000 (thirty thousand dollars)** to finance said activities as describe in Exhibit I, attach hereto.

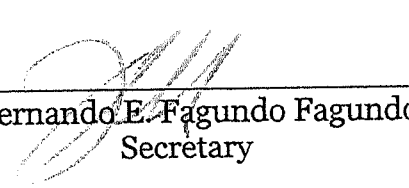
WHEREAS, the cost of this project may be charged to PRHTA, under **Project PR-18-X011 from the Rural Transit Assistance Program (RTAP)** of the Federal Transit Administration (FTA).

WHEREAS, the RUM will cause work on the seminars to be commenced within a reasonable time after execution of this AGREEMENT and that it shall use its best efforts to complete the work in twenty-four (24) months from the effective date of this AGREEMENT or until the funds are released by the Federal Agency, whichever comens first.

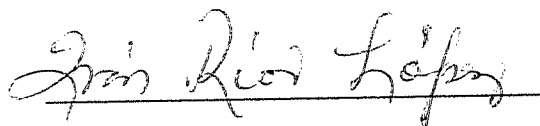
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the PRHTA and the RUM have caused this Cooperative Agreement to be executed on the day and year first above written.

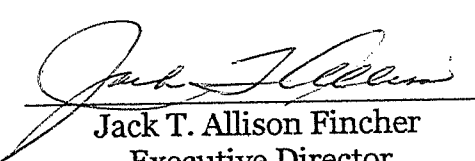
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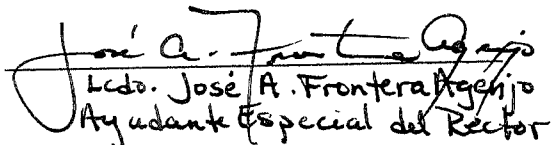


Fernando E. Fagundo Fagundo
Secretary

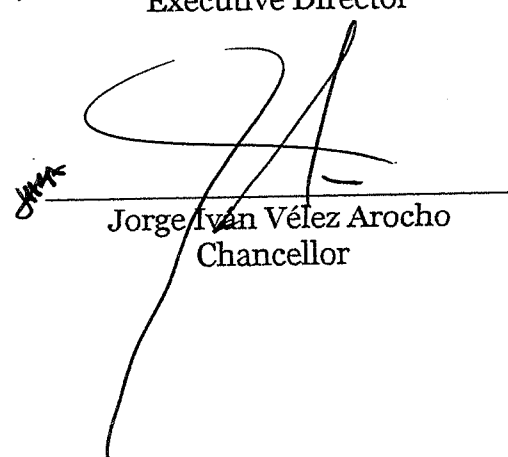




Jack T. Allison Fincher
Executive Director



Lcdo. José A. Frontera Aguiar
Ayudante Especial del Rector



Jorge Ivan Vélez Arocho
Chancellor