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Mr. Scruggs

This letter responds to (SCRRA) Metrolink “Arrow” submissions seeking approval of modifications to the Engineer Certification Program under 49 CFR Part 240 and the Conductor Certification Program under 49 CFR Part 242. FRA received both submissions on November 6, 2025.

FRA reviewed the submitted programs and determined that each conforms to the applicable requirements of Parts 240 and 242, as outlined in Appendix B to the respective regulations. Your submission also states that no labor organizations represent the railroad’s employees.

Both programs align with the models used by previously approved commuter railroads. FRA notes that the updated submissions offer more detail for both the engineer and conductor certification processes, including updated contact information.

Please continue your efforts to enhance railroad safety and maintain compliance with FRA’s certification regulations.

If you have any questions regarding this approval, please contact us at (918) 557-0651, or via email at FRAOPCERTPROG@dot.gov, Kevin.Lewis@dot.gov, or Kurt.Erickson@dot.gov.

Sincerely,

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