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SECTOR: Urban Transit and Rail

AREA: United States DATE: May 1993

ACTIVITY: Urban transit; mission from Detroit to

LOCATION: Canada

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A delegation from the Detroit Regional Transit Authority and the Detroit's SMART Authority will visit the Toronto Transit Authority to view alternate fueled vehicles used by the TTC, the facilities used to service these vehicles, and discussions on the advantages of using alternate fueled vehicles.

ATTENDANCE: It is expected that up to 6 Detroit transit specialists will be invited to visit Canada for a 2 - 3 day period to view Canadian technology in this sector.

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SECTOR: Urban Transit and Rail

AREA: United States DATE: May 1993

ACTIVITY: Urban transit; mission from Los Angeles to

LOCATION: British Columbia

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Automated urban transit systems and equipment. The Orange County Fixed Guideway Agency has expanded its membership. The Vancouver Skytrain System is the system that most closely resembles the type of system the Agency would like to see operating in their area. It is expected 4-6 officials will be invited to participate in this mission.

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SECTOR: Urban Transit and Rail

AREA: United States DATE: Jul 1993

ACTIVITY: Mass transit; mission to: Solo Mass Transit Show

LOCATION: Cleveland

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Canadian firms have developed equipment and operating systems designed to facilitate the travel on public transportation by persons with physical handicaps. These products range from wheelchair lifts to kneeling buses. With the "Americans with Disabilities Act" coming into force, transit operators will have the opportunity to observe equipment already in place to assist the disabled, and thereby meet the requirements of the Act. Selected Canadian manufacturers will display their