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Re: California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Appeal, **BOS File 201000**

Dear President Yee and Members,

I write to seek a continuance of the subject appeal. Despite my best efforts, I have not completed a more substantive brief on the merits, which is due today. As a non-lawyer, I have struggled considerably to conduct legal research with the few tools available to me. I continue to monitor developments at the Municipal Transportation Agency (MTA), which have outpaced the appeal process and should be documented in the record. The Jewish holidays are upon us, and I can assure anyone reading this that I have much to seek atonement for on Yom Kippur. Finally, I awoke this morning after very little sleep (again) with a sore throat, likely caused by the poor air quality.

For these reasons, I ask you for a continuance on this appeal to no earlier than **December 1, 2020**. Planning and MTA can respond to this request prior to and at the September 22, 2020 hearing. I can also provide a more complete scheduling proposal for all the pending appeals if that is helpful.

I am always open to resolving my underlying concerns and withdrawing this appeal if an acceptable solution can be reached with Planning and MTA. Thank you for your kind consideration.

Sincerely,

/s/

David Pilpel