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Manhattan Borough Commissioner
NYC Department of Transportation
59 Maiden Lane, 37th Floor
New York, NY 10037

Andy Byford
President
Metropolitan Transportation Authority
2 Broadway
New York, NY 10004

Re: Follow Up on M7 Bus Layover Relocation to 18th Street

Dear Borough Commissioner Pincar and President Byford,

Manhattan Community Board 4 (CB4) has received numerous complaints related to the placement of the newly installed M7 bus layover in front of 100 West 18th Street. At its May 1st Full Board meeting, CB4 voted, by a vote of 35 in favor, 0 against, 4 abstaining, and 0 present but not eligible to vote, to request that you relocate this layover to Sixth Avenue between 18th and 20th Streets as soon as possible.

At all times, there are at least two long articulated buses laying over in front of the residential entrance to 100 West 18th Street. MTA drivers smoke and leave their bus idling. The residents, which include a large number of families with young children, have to navigate between or around buses to access taxis or vehicles, which is not easy with very young children. The building superintendent and the sanitation department have complained that it is very difficult to pick up the building waste.

We are still hoping that the M7 route will be restored to 14th Street, but since there is no clear time table, the quality of life of these residents must be restored.

Sincerely,

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Burt Lazarin
Chair
Manhattan Community Board 4

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Christine Berthet", with a stylized, cursive script.

Christine Berthet
Co-Chair
Transportation Planning Committee

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dale Corvino", consisting of several overlapping loops and a long horizontal flourish.

Dale Corvino
Co-Chair
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