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**GATEWAY DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION ESTABLISHES BOARD
COMMITTEE TO LEAD CEO SEARCH**

Alicia Glen, New York Commissioner and Co-Chair, Balpreet Grewal-Virk, New Jersey Commissioner and Co-Chair, and Tony Coscia, Amtrak Commissioner and Vice Chair today issued the following joint statement on the search for a Chief Executive Officer for the Gateway Development Commission (GDC) after current CEO Kris Kolluri departs in October.

“Kris Kolluri has been an incredible leader of the Gateway Development Commission, ensuring GDC has the organizational capacity, capability and funding to see the Hudson Tunnel Project to completion.

“The Board is having ongoing and active discussions on who will be appointed the next CEO. As part of that process, we as the Co-Chairs and Vice Chair of the Board will serve as the search committee for that position. We are undertaking a national search and will engage an executive search firm as part of that process. We will provide ongoing updates as appropriate and take all necessary actions to ensure GDC has another world class CEO as we complete the transition from planning to building.”

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The Gateway Program is the most urgent infrastructure program in the country – a comprehensive set of rail investments that will improve commuter and intercity services, add needed resiliency, and create new capacity for the busiest section of the Northeast Corridor (NEC). The NEC is the most heavily used passenger rail line in the country hosting more than 2,200 train movements and 800,000 passenger trips daily.