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**Vapor Rail Awarded Door Contract By Bombardier Transportation;
Subway Cars To Be Built For London Underground's Victoria Line**

WILMERDING, Pa., November 1, 2004 – Wabtec Corporation (NYSE: WAB) today announced that its Vapor Rail subsidiary has been awarded a contract to design and manufacture door systems for subway cars being built by Bombardier Transportation in the United Kingdom. Vapor Rail will deliver prototype door systems in 2005, with full production currently scheduled for 2009-10.

The 376 subway cars are part of the Victoria Line Upgrade project by Metronet for London Underground Limited, the subway system in London. Under the program, Metronet will replace a total of 1,738 subway cars in the first 15 years of the 30-year, public-private partnership.

“This project represents an example of the long-term supply and service opportunities that Wabtec’s transit businesses are pursuing,” said Gary P. Prasser, vice president and group executive, Passenger Systems.

Wabtec Corporation (www.wabtec.com) is one of North America’s largest providers of value-added, technology-based products and services for the rail industry.

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