

Metro Blue Line anniversary train is outfitted as Pacific Electric 'Red Car' to celebrate 10th anniversary of Los Angeles-to-Long Beach light rail. PHOTO BY PERFECT EXPOSURE

## Historical Assn. to Mark Last Day of Pacific Electric Cars

(4/6/01) Forty years ago Monday, the last of the Pacific Electric Red Cars made their final run in Los Angeles. On Sunday, April 8, the Electric Railway Historical Association will commemorate that event on the Metro Blue Line.

The Association (ERHA) is sponsoring a "Photographer's Day" for rail fans. The MTA will operate trains 148 and 109 in revenue service all day. Last year, these two trains were repainted to resemble the historic Pacific Electric cars that once were used on the Long Beach line.

For more information about the "Photographer's Day" event, click on <u>ERHA</u> web site for details or go to <a href="http://www.erha.org/erhastore/html/longbeach40thtrip.html">http://www.erha.org/erhastore/html/longbeach40thtrip.html</a>.

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