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## MTALEGISLATIVEBRIEF

## DATE: August 20, 1997

## **TO:** MTA BOARD OF DIRECTORS

## FROM: GISSELLE ACEVEDO-FRANCO

 Assembly Member Carl Washington will be holding a press event on Friday, August 22, at 10:30 a.m. to announce the passage of AB 946. AB 946, a MTA- sponsored bill, enhances the penalties for people who commit battery against transit operators and transit passengers. Assembly Member Washington invites all members of the MTA Board of Directors to attend this brief press conference, to be held at the Martin Luther King, Jr. Transit Center, 310 N. Willowbrook Ave. in the City of Compton. MTA staff have assisted in preparing for the event and will be in attendance. Staff will provide a shuttle to the event from the Gateway Plaza, with a return to the Gateway building immediately after the press conference.

Please contact Claudette Moody at (213) 922-2237 for more information.