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Dear Paratransit Rider:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that the Sacramento Regional Transit District (RT) will begin enforcing its ADA paratransit No-Show/Late Cancellation Policy effective October 1, 2009.

A no-show occurs when the paratransit vehicle arrives at your pick-up location within the 30-minute pick-up window, waits the required five (5) minutes and you do not board the vehicle. A late cancellation occurs when you cancel a trip less than two (2) hours before the scheduled trip. Therefore, you are responsible for cancelling trips you no longer need. To cancel a trip, please call Paratransit, Inc., at 916-429-2009 or (TDD) 916-429-2568 to speak with a reservationist.

RT will begin tracking no-shows and late cancellations for all ADA Paratransit Eligible Clients to monitor missed and late trips. If a client reserves seven (7) or more trips within any month and no-shows and/or late cancels forty (40) percent or more of those scheduled trips; this will be considered a pattern or practice of missed trips and a violation of our No-Show/Late Cancellation policy. A pattern or practice involves intentional, repeated or regular actions, not isolated, accidental or singular incidents. Clients incurring excessive missed trips may be suspended for a reasonable period and will have the right to appeal the decision.

If you have any questions about this letter or would like to receive a copy of our No-Show/Late Cancellation Policy, please call RT's Paratransit Eligibility office at **(916) 557-4685** or (916) 557-4686 **(TDD)** for assistance.

Sincerely,

Priscilla Vargas

Accessible Services Administrator