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Congressman Robert Menendez Secures additional \$4 Million for Berth Stabilization Efforts at The Peninsula at Bayonne Harbor

Bayonne, January 19, 2006 —Former Congressman now Senator Bob Menendez (D-NJ) through a Department of Defense appropriations bill has obtained \$4 million for berth stabilization efforts at The Peninsula at Bayonne Harbor.

The funding will be used for berth refurbishment and reconstruction beginning at the eastern end of berth N-4 and proceeding eastward towards Berths N-1 and N-2. The BRLA will rebuild bulkhead and platform structures that collapsed while the former Military Ocean Terminal was still under the control of the federal government.

This appropriation comes on the heels of \$5 million obtained by Senator Menendez last year for berth stabilization.

“This funding is a victory for the continued renewal of The Peninsula at Bayonne Harbor,” said Menendez. “I am pleased to advocate on behalf of this important project that will ensure job growth and economic revitalizations for the residents of Bayonne.”

“Bob Menendez continues to be a key player in helping the BLRA obtain much needed monies for redevelopment at The Peninsula,” said Mayor Joseph V. Doria Jr. “Additional operating berths will spark job growth for our citizens and spur economic development for the City of Bayonne.”

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