Template 7

CE - No predicted noise impacts

***Items in red to be modified for specific project***

***Yellow highlighted items are instructive and should be deleted.***

The source of this traffic noise information is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (title, author, date of the TNR).

No applicable noise receptors were identified within the study area for this proposed highway project. **or** The traffic noise analysis determined there is no predicted impact on any noise receptors within the study area for this proposed highway project. Based on this preliminary study, traffic noise abatement is not likely. This evaluation completes the highway traffic noise requirements of Title 23 CFR Part 772. No additional noise analysis will be performed for this project unless warranted by a substantial change in the project’s design concept or scope.

In accordance with NCDOT Traffic Noise Policy, the Federal/State governments are not responsible for providing noise abatement measures for new development for which building permits are issued after the Date of Public Knowledge. The Date of Public Knowledge of the proposed highway project will be the approval date of the Categorical Exclusion. NCDOT strongly advocates the planning, design and construction of noise-compatible development and encourages its practice among planners, building officials, developers and others.