



Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission Policies

Category: MULTIMODAL
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RAILROAD SAFETY – RULES AND REGULATIONS

Related Statutes: Section 226.008 – 226.009 RSMo (2002) – Transfer of authority to Highways and Transportation Commission
Chapter 389 RSMo – Regulation of Railroad Corporations
Chapter 391 RSMo – Street Railroads
Chapter 622 RSMo – Motor Carrier and Railroad Safety

Related Rule: [7 CSR 265-9 - Rail Fixed Guideway Systems](#)

Effective July 1, 2002 the Commission was charged with the responsibility and authority to administer and enforce regulations pertaining to railroad operations and rail safety within Missouri.

Policies and procedures pertaining to rail road safety programs and reviews, requirements for the installation and maintenance of certain required signs used on rail fixed guideway systems; drug and alcohol testing; hours of service; walkways; rail-highway grade crossing construction and maintenance; rail-highway grade crossing warning devices; visual obstructions at public grade crossings; dedicated rail fixed guideway telephone; and compliance with Federal Transit Administration Notification rules pertaining to accidents and hazards are in keeping with Code of State Regulations, Title 7, Division 265, Chapter 9, *Rail Fixed Guideway Systems*, as adopted and filed by the Commission with the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and the Secretary of State.

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Related Commission Minutes: November 17, 2006; March 13, 2007; November 7, 2013 – Comprehensive Policy Review.