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FREIGHT RAIL SECURITY DIVISION

FREIGHT RAIL SECURITY INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN

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SUBJECT: Reporting Car Location and Shipping Information to TSA (49 CFR 1580.103)

As required by 49 CFR 1580.103, freight railroad carriers, rail security-sensitive material (RSSM) shippers, and RSSM receivers located in a high threat urban area are required to have processes in place to provide the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) with the location and shipping information of RSSM rail cars within a specified time period.

In order to ensure that TSA requests for car location and shipping information are legitimate, covered entities will always be directed by the requesting TSA official to send their car location report(s) to a pre-designated e-mail address or facsimile number. Covered entities may either send their car location reports via e-mail to **TSA.49CFR1580@TSA.DHS.GOV** or via facsimile at **(703) 563-3154.** Should a covered entity be requested to send their car location reports to a different e-mail address or fax number than those listed above, they should immediately contact the TSA Freedom Center Surface Watch Desk at **1-866-615-5150**.

TSA will request rail car location information by phone using the phone number provided to TSA in accordance with 49 CFR 1580.103(g). If the telephone number for your company has changed since originally submitted, TSA should be notified using the freightrailsecurity@dhs.gov e-mail address.

Please distribute this information to those persons who may be responsible for reporting car location and shipping information as required by 49 CFR 1580.103.

For questions regarding this bulletin or other TSA Freight Rail Security information products, please e-mail freightrailsecurity@dhs.gov.

EFFECTIVE DATE AND IMPLEMENTATION: This policy is effective immediately upon signature.

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TO REPORT CAR LOCATION INFORMATION TO TSA

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