DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Petition for Exemption; Summary of Petition Received; California Shock Trauma Air Rescue

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice contains a summary of a petition seeking relief from specified requirements of Title 14 of the Code of Federal Regulations. The purpose of this notice is to improve the public's awareness of, and participation in, the FAA's exemption process.

DATES: Comments on this petition must identify the petition docket number and must be received on or before June 29, 2015.

ADDRESSES: Send comments identified by docket number FAA–2015–1868 using any of the following methods:

• Federal eRulemaking Portal: Go to http://www.regulations.gov and follow the online instructions for sending your comments electronically.

• Mail: Send comments to Docket Operations, M–30; U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Room W12–140, West Building Ground Floor, Washington, DC 20590–0001.

• Hand Delivery or Courier: Take comments to Docket Operations in Room W12–140 of the West Building Ground Floor at 1200 New Jersey

Avenue SE., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.


FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lirio Liu, Director, Office of Rulemaking.

Petition for Exemption


Petitioner: California Shock Trauma Air Rescue.

Section(s) of 14 CFR Affected: § 135.611.

Description of Relief Sought: California Shock Trauma Air Rescue seeks relief to perform instrument flight rules (IFR) departures and IFR instrument approach procedures (IAP) at airports and/or heliports that do not have an approved weather reporting source, without airborne radar or thunderstorm detection equipment installed on its aircraft.

ACTION: Notice of request to release airport property.

SUMMARY: The FAA proposes to rule and invite public comment on the release of land at the Colorado Springs Airport under the provisions of Section 125 of the Wendell H. Ford Aviation Investment Reform Act for the 21st Century (AIR 21), now 49 U.S.C. 47107(h)(2).

DATES: Comments must be received on or before July 8, 2015.

ADDRESSES: Comments on this application may be mailed or delivered to the FAA at the following address: Mr. John P. Bauer, Manager, Federal Aviation Administration, Northwest Mountain Region, Airports Division, Denver Airports District Office, 26805 E. 68th Avenue, Suite 224, Denver, Colorado 80249–6361.

In addition, one copy of any comments submitted to the FAA must be mailed or delivered to Mr. Troy Stover, Colorado Springs Airport, Colorado Springs, Colorado, at the following address: Mr. Troy Stover, Colorado Springs Airport, 7770 Milton E. Proby Parkway, Suite 50, Colorado Springs, Colorado 80916.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Marc Miller, Colorado Engineer/Compliance Specialist, Federal Aviation Administration, Northwest Mountain Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Washington, DC 20591.

The request to release property may be reviewed, by appointment, in person at this same location.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FAA invites public comment on the request to release property at the Colorado Springs Airport under the provisions of the AIR 21 (49 U.S.C. 47107(h)(2)).

On June 2, 2015, the FAA determined that the request to release property at the Colorado Springs Airport submitted by the Colorado Springs Airport meets the procedural requirements of the Federal Aviation Administration.

The following is a brief overview of the request:

The Colorado Springs Airport is proposing the release of the property from the terms, conditions, reservations, and restrictions on approximately 9.5 acres of federally obligated land at the Colorado Springs Airport. The proposed release would allow for improvements to be made to the Marksheffel Road corridor adjacent to the east side of the airport. Marksheffel Road is currently a two-lane rural arterial road with unimproved shoulders and roadside ditches. For the majority of the corridor there is an inadequate roadway cross-
section, including areas with no shoulders and a lack of turn lanes, as well as inadequate roadway and intersection capacity, lack of pedestrian/bicycle facilities and sharp curves. These deficiencies contribute to roadway crash incidences along the Marksheffel Road corridor. The proposed airport property is undeveloped and is not needed for present or future aviation purposes. The property will be sold at fair market value and the sponsor will reinvest the revenue into the airport. The property release conveyance will include appropriate continuing right of flight and continuing restriction clauses that will prohibit any activity on the land that would interfere with or be a hazard to the flight of aircraft over the land or to and from the airport, or that interferes with air navigation and communications facilities serving the airport.

Any person may inspect, by appointment, the request in person at the FAA office listed above under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.

In addition, any person may, upon appointment and request, inspect the application, notice and other documents germane to the application in person at the Colorado Springs Airport.

Issued in Denver, Colorado, on June 2, 2015.

John P. Bauer, Manager, Denver Airports District Office.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Railroad Administration

[Docket Number FRA–2015–0036]

Petition for Waiver of Compliance

In accordance with Part 211 of Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), this provides the public notice that by a document dated February 27, 2015, the Union Pacific Railroad Company (UPRR) has petitioned the Federal Railroad Administration (FRA) for a waiver of compliance from certain provisions of the Federal railroad safety regulations contained at 49 CFR parts 232—Brake System Safety Standards for Freight and Other Non-Passenger Trains and Equipment. Specifically, UPRR requests to extend the mileage limits specified for certain designated extended haul trains. See 49 CFR 232.213—Extended haul trains. FRA assigned the petition docket number FRA–2015–0036.

In its petition, UPRR requests relief allowing for the moderate extended movement of trains to operate beyond the 1,500 mile limit specified in section 232.213 (a list of the proposed extended haul trains is posted to the docket at FRA–2015–0036–0001 in Appendix A to UPRR’s petition). UPRR states that the requested relief will ensure they continue to meet customer and national expectation for deliveries of coal, grain, intermodal and other commodities while safely allowing for improved fluidity with increased velocity. UPRR notes that similar relief was granted to BNSF Railway in docket number FRA–2006–24812. UPRR further states that its proposal will result in a moderate mileage increase of between 21 and 180 additional miles beyond the present 1,500 mile limit, which would involve less than 2 percent of UPRR daily train originations.

A copy of the petition, as well as any written communications concerning the petition, is available for review online at www.regulations.gov and in person at the Department of Transportation’s Docket Operations Facility, 1200 New Jersey Ave. SE., W12–140, Washington, DC 20590. The Docket Operations Facility is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal Holidays.

Interested parties are invited to participate in these proceedings by submitting written views, data, or comments. FRA does not anticipate scheduling a public hearing in connection with these proceedings since the facts do not appear to warrant a hearing. If any interested party desires an opportunity for oral comment, they should notify FRA, in writing, before the end of the comment period and specify the basis for their request.

All communications concerning these proceedings should identify the appropriate docket number and may be submitted by any of the following methods:

- Web site: http://www.regulations.gov. Follow the online instructions for submitting comments.
- Hand Delivery: 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Room W12–140, Washington, DC 20590, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal Holidays.

Communications received by July 23, 2015 will be considered by FRA before final action is taken. Comments received after that date will be considered as far as practicable. Anyone is able to search the electronic form of any written communications and comments received into any of our dockets by the name of the individual submitting the comment (or signing the document, if submitted on behalf of an association, business, labor union, etc.). In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 553(c), DOT solicits comments from the public to better inform its processes. DOT posts these comments, without edit, including any personal information the commenter provides, to www.regulations.gov, as described in the system of records notice (DOT/ALL–14 FDMS), which can be reviewed at www.dot.gov/privacy. See also http://www.regulations.gov/#!privacyNotice for the privacy notice of regulations.gov.

Issued in Washington, DC, on June 1, 2015.

Ron Hynes, Director of Technical Oversight.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Surface Transportation Board

[Docket No. EP 682 (Sub-No. 6)]

2014 Tax Information for Use in the Revenue Shortfall Allocation Method

AGENCY: Surface Transportation Board.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Board is publishing, and providing the public an opportunity to comment on, the 2014 weighted average state tax rates for each Class I railroad, as calculated by the Association of American Railroads (AAR), for use in the Revenue Shortfall Allocation Method (RSAM).

DATES: Comments are due by July 8, 2015. If any comment opposing AAR’s calculation is filed, AAR’s reply will be due by July 28, 2015. If no comments are filed by the due date, AAR’s calculation of the 2014 weighted average state tax rates will be automatically adopted by the Board, effective July 9, 2015.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted either via the Board’s e-filing format or in traditional paper format. Any person using e-filing should attach a document and otherwise comply with the instructions at the E-FILING link on the Board’s Web site at http://www.stb.dot.gov. Any person submitting a filing in the traditional paper format should send an original and 10 copies referring to Docket No. EP 682 (Sub-No. 6) to: Surface Transportation Board, 395 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20423–0001.