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Subpart A—General

§ 1.1 Purpose.
This part describes the organization of the Department of Transportation and provides for the performance of duties imposed upon, and the exercise of powers vested in, the Secretary of Transportation by law.

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§ 1.2 Definitions.
As used in this part, Administrator includes:
(a) The Federal Aviation Administrator.
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(b) The Federal Highway Administrator.
(c) The Federal Railroad Administrator.
(e) The Federal Transit Administrator.
(f) The Administrator of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation.
(g) The Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administrator.
(h) The Maritime Administrator.
(i) The Research and Innovative Technology Administrator.


§ 1.4 General responsibilities.

(a) Office of the Secretary. Provides for:
(1) Leadership in formulating and executing well-balanced national and international transportation objectives, policies, and programs;
(2) Stimulating and promoting research and development in all modes and types of transportation, with special emphasis on transportation safety;
(3) Coordinating the various transportation programs of the Federal Government;
(4) Encouraging maximum private development of transportation services;
(5) Responsive, timely, and effective liaison with Congress, and public and private organizations on transportation matters;
(6) Innovative approaches to urban transportation and environmental enhancement programs; and
(7) Effective management of the Department as a whole.

(b) The Federal Aviation Administration. Is responsible for:
(1) Promulgating and enforcing regulations on all safety matters relating to the manufacture, operation, and maintenance of aircraft;
(2) Registering aircraft and recording rights in aircraft;
(3) Developing, modifying, testing, and evaluating systems, procedures, facilities, and devices needed for the safe and efficient navigation and traffic control of aircraft;
(4) Locating, constructing or installing, maintaining, and operating Federal aids to air navigation, wherever necessary;