DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

90th Meeting: RTCA Special Committee 159, Global Positioning Systems (GPS)

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT)

ACTION: Meeting Notice of RTCA Special Committee 159, Global Positioning Systems (GPS)

SUMMARY: The FAA is issuing this notice to advise the public of the eighty-ninth meeting of the RTCA Special Committee 159, Global Positioning Systems (GPS)

DATES: The meeting will be held March 12–15, 2013 from 9:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at RTCA, Inc., 1150 18th Street NW., Suite 910, Washington, DC 20036.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. No. 92–463, 95 U.S.C., App.), notice is hereby given for a meeting of Special Committee 159. The agenda will include the following:

Working Group Sessions

March 12

• Working Group 2, GPS/SBAS, MacIntosh-NBAA Room and Colson Board Room.

March 13

• 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m., Working Group 2, GPS/SBAS, A4A Room.

• 1:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m., Working Group 4, Precision Landing Guidance, GPS/GBAS, MacIntosh-NBAA Room and Colson Board Room.

March 14

• Working Group 4, Precision Landing Guidance, GPS/GBAS, MacIntosh-NBAA Room and Colson Board Room.

• 1:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m., Working Group 7, GPS/Interference, A4A Room.

Chairman’s Introductory Remarks.

• Approval of Summary of the Eighty-Ninth Meeting held October 5, 2012.

• Review Working Group (WG) Progress and Identify Issues for Resolution.

• GPS/3rd Civil Frequency (WG–1).

• GPS/WAAS (WG–2).

• GPS/GLONASS (WG–2A).

• GPS/Inertial (WG–2C).

• GPS/Precision Landing Guidance (WG–4).

• GPS/Airport Surface Surveillance (WG–5).

• GPS/Interference (WG–6).

• GPS/Interference (WG–7).

• Review of EUROCAE Activities.

• Assignment/Review of Future Work.

• Other Business.

• Date and Place of Next Meeting.

• Adjourn.

Attendance is open to the interested public but limited to space availability. With the approval of the chairman, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons wishing to present statements or obtain information should contact the person listed in the FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT section. Members of the public may present a written statement to the committee at any time.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Surface Transportation Board

[Docket No. EP 526 (Sub-No. 4)]

Notice of Railroad-Shipper Transportation Advisory Council Vacancy

AGENCY: Surface Transportation Board (Board), Transportation.

ACTION: Notice of vacancies on the Railroad-Shipper Transportation Advisory Council (RSTAC) and solicitation of nominations.

SUMMARY: The Board hereby gives notice of one vacancy on RSTAC for a small shipper representative. The Board is soliciting suggestions for candidates to fill this vacancy.

DATES: Suggestions of candidates for membership on RSTAC are due on March 25, 2013.

ADDRESSES: Suggestions may be submitted either via the Board’s e-filing format or in the 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 to: Surface Transportation Board, Attn: Docket No. EP 526 (Sub-No. 4), 395 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20423–0001. Please note that submissions will be available to the public at the Board’s offices and posted on the Board’s Web site under Docket No. EP 526 (Sub-No. 4).


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Board, created by Congress in 1996 to take over many of the functions previously performed by the Interstate Commerce Commission, exercises broad authority over transportation by rail carriers, including regulation of railroad rates and service (49 U.S.C. 10701–10747, 11101–11124), as well as the construction, acquisition, operation, and abandonment of railroad lines (49 U.S.C. 10901–10907) and railroad line sales, consolidations, mergers, and common control arrangements (49 U.S.C. 10902, 11323–11327).

RSTAC was established upon the enactment of the ICC Termination Act of 1995 (ICTCA), on December 29, 1995, to advise the Board’s Chairman, the Secretary of Transportation, the