DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Eighteenth Meeting: RTCA Special Committee 214, Standards for Air Traffic Data Communication Services

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

ACTION: RTCA Special Committee 214, Standards for Air Traffic Data Communication Services meeting.

SUMMARY: The FAA is issuing this notice to advise the public of a meeting of RTCA Special Committee 214, Standards for Air Traffic Data Communication Services.

DATES: The meeting will be held May 8, 2013 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

ADDRESS: The meeting will be held at RTCA, 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. 92–463, 5 U.S.C., App.), notice is hereby given for a meeting of Special Committee 214/EUROCAE WG–78: Standards for Air Traffic Data Communication Services. The agenda will include the following:

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- Welcome/Introduction/ Administrative Remarks
- Approval of Agenda
- VDL Sub-Group Update: Change 1 to DO–224C & Change 1 to DO–281B (Dongsong Zeng)
- Approve TOR Chagens to add to the SC deliverables
- Change 1 to DO–224C “Singal-in-Space Minimum Aviation System Performance Standards (MASPS) for Advanced VHF Digital Data Communications Including Compatibility with Digital Voice Techniques”
- Approve TOR Changes to add to the SC deliverables
- Change 1 to DO–281B “Minimum Operational Performance Standards (MOPS) for Aircraft VDL Mode 2 Physical Link and Network Layer”
- Other Business
- 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

Federal Railroad Administration

Petition for Waiver of Compliance

In accordance with Part 211 of Title 49 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), this document provides the public notice that by a document dated January 24, 2013, the Black Hills Central Railroad (BHC) 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 part 230, Steam Locomotive Inspection and Maintenance Standards. FRA assigned the petition Docket Number FRA–2013–0009.

Located in South Dakota, BHC is a privately owned railroad that has operated on 10 miles of scenic right-of-way between Hill City and Keystone since 1957. The line was originally a branch off of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad’s “Highline,” constructed in 1900, that operated from Edgemont to Deadwood. BHC presently operates as a seasonal, tourist operation and no longer operates as part of the general railroad system of transportation.

BHC currently has three oil-burning, Baldwin steam locomotives; one EMD

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- Welcome, Introductions & Administrative Remarks
- Review and Approve Summary of Twentieth Meeting
- Updates from TSA (as required)
- Document Detailed Review
- Document Finalization Process
- Time and Place of Next Meeting
- Any Other Business
- Adjourn

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