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Department of Transportation Amending Fixed Guideway Safety Oversight Rule

(Trenton) – The New Jersey Department of Transportation is issuing notice of amendments at N.J.A.C. 16:53E. The purpose of these rules govern the State's oversight of the safety of rail fixed guideway systems through the Department, designated as the State's oversight agency by Executive Order No. 65(1997), which conform to the requirements established pursuant to 49 U.S.C. §5329(e) and (k).

The proposal was published in the September 18, 2023 issue of New Jersey Register at 55 N.J.R. 1995(a). It may be viewed on the Department's rule proposals page [here](#).

The public may send in written comments by the close of the public comment period on **November 17, 2023** via the Department's website [comment form](#), or via the following mail or email addresses:

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Comments submitted to the Department on the proposed rulemaking are public records and are available for public inspection by prior appointment during normal Department business hours.

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