

TITLE
MAINTENANCE AND PROTECTION OF RAILROAD TRAFFIC DURING CONTRACTOR OPERATIONS

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SCOPE AND NATURE

This practice provides procedures for Contractors to follow, when working on Amtrak Right-of-Way, adjacent to Amtrak tracks, to assure the protection of trains and maintenance of scheduled railroad operations.

SPECIAL REFERENCE

Note: This information was included under former Engineering Practice 1305.

Contractors shall comply with procedures detailed in the following specifications, when applicable:

| Section | Title | Revision No. | Revision Date |
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| 01141A | Safety and Protection of Railroad Traffic and Property | 4 | 10/01/12 |
| 01142A | Submission Documentation Required for Amtrak Review and Approval of Plans for Bridge Erection, Demolition and Other Crane/ Hoisting Operations over Railroad Right-of-Way | 1 | 12/15/05 |
| 01520A | Requirements for Temporary Protection Shields for Demolition and Construction of Overhead Bridges and Other Structures | 1 | 08/07/01 |
| 02261A | Requirements for Temporary Sheeting and Shoring to Support Amtrak Tracks | 3 | 06/20/08 |

SPECIAL MATERIALS

Not Applicable

PROCEDURE

1. The Contractor shall conform to the applicable specifications.
2. Amtrak I&C shall assure that agencies and other third parties proposing construction on or adjacent to Amtrak Right-of-Way conform to Amtrak requirements detailed herein.
3. Amtrak Design and Construction shall review the Contractor's proposed design and construction procedures for conformance with specifications, with sound engineering design practice and with the procedures detailed in the applicable Engineering Practice documents.

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4. Amtrak Construction shall monitor the activities of the Contractor on-site to assure compliance/ adherence to approved procedures throughout the construction period.

REPORTING

As detailed in the specifications.

RESPONSIBILITY

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| Amtrak I&C Staff | Comply with Procedure |
| Director Project Initiation & Development | Assure Compliance |
| Amtrak Design Staff | Comply with Procedure |
| Director Structures Design | Assure Compliance |
| Amtrak Construction Staff | Comply with Procedure |
| Deputy Chief Engineer Construction | Assure compliance |