

SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY SURFACE TRANSPORTATION DIVISION - SUBURBAN RAIL OPERATIONS

Bulletin Order Number 17 - 38

Safety records don't happen by accident

Issued: Thursday, September 14, 2017

Effective: 12:01 AM, Monday, September 18, 2017

General Order revision packet No. 17-01 is in effect at 2:01 AM on Sunday, March 12, 2017. Employees are reminded they must obtain a copy of the revision packets and make the appropriate changes in the Operations Division Manual.

SAFETY RULE OF THE WEEK: Safety Rule 1009:

Employees must not engage in threats, harassment or other intimidating and/or violent behavior against another individual while on duty, whether on or off Authority property

(A) THE FOLLOWING CHANGES TO THE OPERATIONS DIVISION OPERATING MANUALS:

1. Victory Special Instructions......(rev 8/31/17)

- a. 20-NR1. Maximum Authorized Speeds added: Trains must not exceed 45 mph when bypassing stations on all tracks.
- b. 20-NR1. Although CAB signals may indicate otherwise, the new MAS for the NHSL is being reduced from 70 mph to 55 mph. Operators are not to exceed 55mph even if CABs provide a higher permissible speed.

(B) THE FOLLOWING ARE CHANGES TO THE NORRISTOWN HIGH SPEED LINE:

1. Schedules In Effect: (rev. 2/23/17)

a. Weekday No. 1 File No. 5886 Effective 9/05/17 Saturday No. 4 File No. 5887 Effective 9/09/17 Sunday No. 6 File No. 5888 Effective 9/04/17

2. Temporary Speed Restrictions:

	Between or At	Track	Speed	Speed Signs Displayed	Reason
a.	MP 8.3 and MP 8.6	No. 1	30 MPH	Yes	Track Condition
b.	MP 11.1 and MP 7.8	No. 2	30 MPH	Yes	Track Condition
c.	MP 7.1 and MP 7.0	No. 2	30 MPH	Yes	Track Condition
d.	MP 1.5 and MP 0.4	No. 1 & No. 2	30 MPH	Yes	Track Condition

3. Tracks Scheduled To Be Removed From Service:

Track		Track	Between or At	Day / Date	Time	Track Rights
a.	2	No. 1	Radnor Interlocking and	Mon. Sep 18, thru	9:30 AM until	Track
	a.		Hughes Park Interlocking	Fri. Sep 22, 2017	3:00 PM – each day	

4. Temporary Block Stations in Service:

a. None

5. Work Zones Scheduled:

Track		Between or At	Day / Date	Time	Track Rights
a.	No. 2	Hughes Park Interlocking and Radnor Interlocking	Mon. Sep 18, thru Fri. Sep 22, 2017	9:30 AM until 3:00 PM – <i>each day</i>	Track
b.	No. 2	Haverford Station and Ardmore Station	Sun. Sep 24, 2017	7:30 AM until 7:00 PM	Power/ Contractor