

THE BELT RAILWAY COMPANY OF CHICAGO

Office of Engineering

Safety Rule of the Week

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SAFETY RULEBOOK, SAF-1:

13.0 Automotive Equipment

13.2 Driver Requirements

13.2.1 DOT-Qualified Drivers

Drivers of company vehicles that meet one or more of the following criteria will be required to pass a knowledge and skills (driving) test to become Department of Transportation (DOT) qualified:

- operate a vehicle with gross combination weight of 26,001 pounds or more,
- operate a vehicle designed to carry 16 or more persons, including the driver,
- operate a vehicle placarded under the hazardous materials regulations because of its hazardous cargo.

Drivers must have in their possession:

- Commercial Driver's License (CDL),
- copy of medical examiners certificate card.

Drivers of vehicles with gross vehicle weight (GVW) of more than 10,000 pounds must have the following photocopies at company headquarters:

- Medical Examiner's Certificate,
- Drivers Operator's license,
- Waiver of Physical Disqualification, if applicable,
- Annual Review of Driving Record (required every 12 months).

GENERAL CODE OF OPERATING RULES:

1.0 General Responsibilities

1.2 Personal Injuries and Accidents

1.2.5 Reporting

All cases of personal injury, while on duty or on company property, must be immediately reported to the proper manager and the prescribed form completed.

A personal injury that occurs while off duty that will in any way affect employee performance of duties must be reported to the proper manager as soon as possible. The injured employee must also complete the prescribed written form before returning to service.

If an employee receives a medical diagnosis of occupational illness, the employee must report it immediately to the proper manager.

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