

CHAPTER 219

RAILROADS

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219.074 GRADE CROSSING CHANGE, VACATION.

[For text of subd 1, see M.S.2000]

Subd. 2. **Crossing vacation program.** On or before July 1, 1992, and on or before July 1 of each of the next four years, and as necessary afterward, the commissioner shall develop a list of grade crossings proposed to be vacated. The list must be developed by applying the standards set forth in the rules adopted under section 219.073. Grade crossings that are part of an abandonment, closing, or removal may not be included in the list. The commissioner shall notify the public officials having the necessary authority and the railway companies operating the railroads of the proposed vacations. Either affected party may request a hearing. If requested, the commissioner shall hold a contested case hearing applying in the commissioner's determination the rules developed under section 219.073. If after the hearing the commissioner determines that the vacation is consistent with the standards adopted under section 219.073, the commissioner may order the crossing vacated. If a request for a hearing on a particular crossing is not received within 30 days of the publication in the State Register, the commissioner shall order the crossing vacated.

[For text of subd 3, see M.S.2000]

History: 2001 c 213 s 25

219.166 ESTABLISHMENT OF QUIET ZONES.

A county, statutory or home rule charter city, or town may by ordinance establish a defined "quiet zone" in which the sounding of horns, whistles, or other audible warnings by locomotives is regulated or prohibited. A quiet zone established under this section must consist of at least one-half mile of railroad right-of-way. All quiet zones, regulations, and ordinances adopted under this section must conform to federal law and the regulations of the Federal Railroad Administration.

History: 1Sp2001 c 8 art 2 s 59

219.402 ADEQUATE CROSSING PROTECTION.

Crossing warning devices or improvements installed or maintained under this chapter as approved by the commissioner or any predecessor, whether by order or otherwise, are adequate and appropriate warning for the crossing.

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219.97 VIOLATIONS; PENALTIES.

[For text of subs 4 and 5, see M.S.2000]

Subd. 6. [Repealed, 2001 c 213 s 31]

Subd. 7. [Repealed, 2001 c 213 s 31]

Subd. 10. [Repealed, 2001 c 213 s 31]

[For text of subs 12 and 13, see M.S.2000]