

**222.48 DEFINITIONS.**

Subdivision 1. **Scope.** As used in sections 222.46 to 222.54, the terms defined in this section shall have the meanings given them herein.

Subd. 1a. **Commissioner.** "Commissioner" means the commissioner of transportation.

Subd. 2. **Department.** "Department" means the Department of Transportation.

Subd. 3. [Renumbered subd 1a]

Subd. 3a. **Federal rail service continuation program.** "Federal rail service continuation program" means any federal program created under the Railroad Revitalization and Regulatory Reform Act of 1976, Public Law 94-210, as amended.

Subd. 4. **Rail line.** "Rail line" means railroad roadbeds, track, track structure, and other appurtenances of railroad right-of-way.

Subd. 5. **Rail service.** "Rail service" means rail transportation and local rail service.

Subd. 6. **Rail users.** "Rail users" means shippers, consignors, or other business entities that depend upon or benefit from the movement of goods and products by means of rail service.

Subd. 7. [Renumbered subd 3a]

**History:** 1976 c 204 s 3; Ex1979 c 1 s 30