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2019 Joint SSO and RTA Workshop

State Safety Oversight Reporting (SSOR) Tool

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Overview

- State Safety Oversight Reporting (SSOR) tool
- SSOR & NTD
- SSOR Pilot Review
- SSOA Pilot Feedback
- SSOR Launch
- Future Enhancements

SSOR

- Annual Reporting System for SSOAs
 - Due by March 15th
- Supports Safety Oversight
 - RTA Internal Audits and SSOA Audits
 - CAPS, Hazards and Event Data
- Eliminate reporting burden & duplication
- Improve data access and consistency
- Reporting can be done at anytime

SSOR and NTD

NTD

Reporter: RTA

- 1 RTA submits an event report to NTD (within 30 days)
- 2 If the system determines a Part 674 threshold has been met, the record is immediately pulled into SSOR



SSOR

Reporter: SSOA

SSOA views the event record in SSOR 3

Upon completion of the investigation, SSOA adds cause to record in SSOR 4

SSOR and NTD

What events from NTD get pushed into SSOR?

- SSOR uses 49 C.F.R. Part 674 accident thresholds
 - Any event that includes:
 - a fatality;
 - a serious injury;
 - a collision between rail vehicles;
 - a collision resulting in substantial damage;
 - a derailment;
 - an evacuation for life safety reasons; or
 - a runaway train

SSOR and NTD

What about other events reported to the NTD?

- NTD captures events beyond 49 C.F.R. Part 674 thresholds
 - These events **are not** pushed into SSOR
- An SSOA may have established thresholds that exceed 49 C.F.R. Part 674 thresholds
 - These events **are not** reported in SSOR
- SSOAs only report investigation data for 49 C.F.R. Part 674 accidents pushed from NTD into SSOR

SSOR Pilot Review

- Pilot Training: June 26th – 27th
- Started Monday, July 1st
- 6 SSOA Feedback Sessions
 - Feedback on System & User Manual
 - 60+ Items
- UI Enhancements to SSOR
- Ended Friday, September 20th



Tennessee Department of Transportation



California Public Utilities Commission



Colorado Public Utilities Commission

SSOR Launch

- **Monday, September 30th**
- Training (Part I & II)
Training sessions are from 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM ET
 - October 9th – 10th
 - October 23rd – 24th
 - November 6th - 7th
- User Manual

Importing Data

- SSOA Corrective Action Plans (CAPs)
 - SSOAs will be provided a template
 - Available November 2019

SSOR Help Desk

FTA.SSOR.HELP@dot.gov

Monday – Friday
9 AM – 5 PM EST

Questions?

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