
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
Regulation (Northern Ireland) 1998**

Part IV

Information

Information, instruction and training for train crews and other persons connected with the carriage of dangerous goods

15.—(1) The operator of any train which is being used for the carriage of dangerous goods shall ensure that those members of the crew of that train who have responsibilities in connection with the carriage of the dangerous goods concerned have received adequate information, instruction and training to enable them to understand—

- (a) the nature of the dangers to which the goods being carried may give rise and the action they should take in an emergency concerning them; and
- (b) their duties under these Regulations and Articles 8 and 9 of the 1978 Order.

(2) The train operator shall keep a record of any training received by members of a train crew pursuant to paragraph (1) whilst in his employment and shall make available a copy of that record to the crew members concerned.

(3) The infrastructure controller shall ensure that those of his employees who have responsibilities in connection with the carriage of dangerous goods on his railway have received adequate information, instruction and training to enable them to understand—

- (a) the nature of the dangers to which the goods being carried may give rise and the action they should take in an emergency concerning them; and
- (b) their duties under these Regulations and Articles 8 and 9 of the 1978 Order.

(4) The infrastructure controller shall keep a record of any training received by employees pursuant to paragraph (3), and shall make available a copy of that record to the employees concerned.