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Alcohol and Controlled Substances Testing
Chapter 53 Section 5331


This program maintains authority for the U.S. Secretary of Transportation to establish a program that requires grantees to conduct pre-employment, reasonable suspicion, random, and post-accident testing of public transportation employees responsible for safety-sensitive functions.

Statutory References: 49 U.S.C. Section 5331

Applies To: Any public transportation operations that receive financial assistance under Section 5307 (Urbanized area formula grants), 5309 (Fixed guideway capital investment grants), or 5311 (Formula grants for rural areas) must meet drug and alcohol testing requirements.

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