

Acronyms and Abbreviations

AAR	–Association of American Railroads	MSHA	–Mine Safety and Health Administration
ABAG	–Association of Bay Area Governments Administration	NFPA	–National Fire Protection Association
ATA	–American Trucking Associations, Inc.	NHTSA	–National Highway Transportation Safety Administration
BMCS	–Bureau of Motor Carrier Safety	NIOSH	–National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
CAER	–Community Awareness and Emergency Response	NRC	–National Response Center
CHEMTREC	–Chemical Transportation Emergency Management Center	NRC	–Nuclear Regulatory Commission
CHP	–California Highway Patrol	NRT	–National Response Team
CMA	–Chemical Manufacturers Association	NTSB	–National Transportation Safety Board
CSMBA	–Critical Safety Management Breakdown Analysis	OHMT	–Office of Hazardous Materials Transportation
CTS	–Commodity Transportation Survey	OSHA	–Occupational Safety and Health Administration
CVSA	–Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance	POEM	–Portland Office of Emergency Management
DOD	–Department of Defense	PPE	–personal protective equipment
DOE	–Department of Energy	PSTN	–Pesticide Safety Team Network
DOT	–Department of Transportation	RSPA	–Research and Special Programs Administration
DVB	–divinyl benzene	SHMED	–State Hazardous Materials Enforcement Development
EPA	–Environmental Protection Agency	SIC	–standardized industrial classification
FAA	–Federal Aviation Administration	SSRMT	–State Surveillance of Radioactive Materials Transportation
FEMA	–Federal Emergency Management Agency	STAA	–Surface Transportation Assistance Act
FHWA	–Federal Highway Administration	TEMA	–Tennessee Emergency Management Agency
FRA	–Federal Railroad Administration	TSC	–Transportation Systems Center
HMTA	–Hazardous Materials Transportation Act	TSI	–Transportation Safety Institute
IAFC	–International Association of Fire Chiefs	USCG	–U.S. Coast Guard
ICC	–Interstate Commerce Commission	UP	–Union Pacific
IDOT	–Illinois Department of Transportation		
MCSAP	–Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program		
MIC	–methyl isocyanate		
MSDS	–material safety data sheets		