

Safety Management Council Meeting Minutes Wyndham Hotel, North Little Rock, AR Thursday, February 11, 2010

Call to Order

Curt Valkovic, SMC Chairman, called the February 11, 2010 Arkansas Trucking Association Safety Management Council meeting to order at approximately 11:00am.

Introduction/Announcements

Chairman Valkovic welcomed everyone to the meeting. A motion to approve the minutes from the January meeting in Springdale was made and the minutes were subsequently approved. Self introductions were made followed by these announcements:

- The American Trucking Association has recently filed a suit regarding the definition of supporting documents. The purpose of the suit is to ensure that the FMCSA defines specifically what will constitute a supporting document(s).
- Curt Valkovic spoke briefly about in-cab distractions such as the use of hand held devices while driving a commercial motor vehicle. He also discussed existing regulations regarding this topic.
- 2010 Truck Driving Championship will be held on June 11-12 in Springdale, Arkansas.
- Truck Driving Championship sponsorship forms are available on the ATA website.
- Facts for Drivers booklets are available and can be ordered directly from American Trucking Associations Business Solutions.
- Chairman Valkovic listed the chair and co-chairs of the AR TDC.
- If anyone is interested in volunteering for the TDC, please contact Allen Massey of Transco Lines.
- Truck Driving Championship Committee conference call will be held on Tuesday, February 16th at 10am to discuss different aspects of the championship in more detail.
- ATA Annual Corporate Fleet Safety Awards, Arkansas Safety Professional of the Year and the Arkansas Driver of the Year forms are available on the ATA webpage under the Safety Management Council section.

 Rick Foster with Wal-Mart Transportation will be speaking about Electronic On Board Recorders at the upcoming March meeting which will be held in Fort Smith.

*Break for lunch

Presentation

Jason Wing, Hazardous Materials Specialist, ABF Freight Systems, Inc. gave a presentation on Comprehensive Safety Analysis (CSA 2010). The following sections were presented in further detail:

- What is CSA 2010?
- Implementation Timeline
- Why CSA 2010?
- Safety Measurement System (SMS) Methodology
- Behavior Analysis Safety Improvement Categories (BASICS)
- CSA 2010 Interventions
- Proposed Safety Fitness Determination (SFD)
- Current Safety Rating Process vs. CSA 2010 SFD
- SafeStat vs. CSA 2010 Safety Measurement System
- What should we do to prepare?
- Future enhancements to CSA 2010

For more information on the topics listed above, please find the power point presentation on the Safety Management Council link which is located on the Arkansas Trucking Association webpage.

Old Business

No old business discussed

New Business

No new business discussed

Meeting Adjourned