



# Shipping Papers and Emergency Response Information

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**Title, Region  
Field Operations**

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**Month/Year**



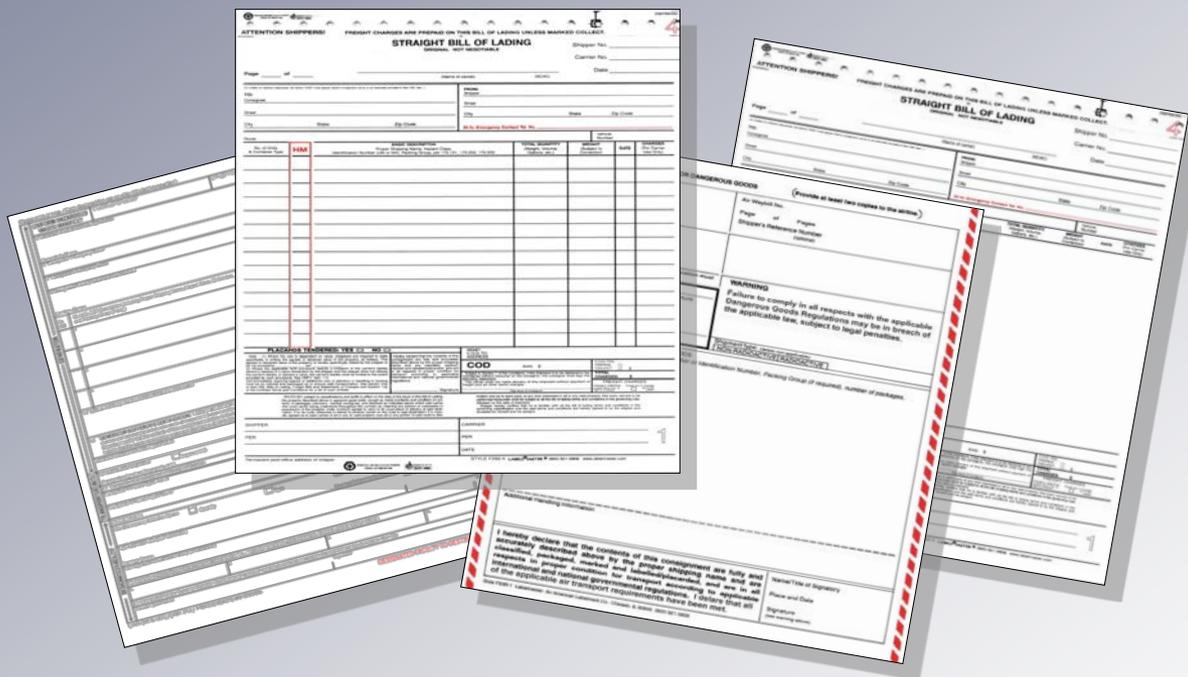
## Objectives

- Identify “Shipping Paper” requirements and the applicability for Hazardous Material Shipments.
- Discuss the additional information requirements on “Shipping Papers” for certain commodities and transportation modes.
- Identify the “Emergency Response” information required to accompany Hazardous Material shipments.



## Subpart C – Shipping Papers

A shipping order, bill of lading, manifest, or other shipping document may serve a similar purpose and contain the information required by Subpart C, 172.200 - 205



- Hazardous Materials
- Hazardous Substances
- Marine Pollutants
- ORM-D (air mode)

**§171.8; §172.200**



# Required Information

Symbols (1)	Hazardous Materials Descriptions and Proper Shipping Names (2)	Hazard Class or Division (3)	Identification Numbers (4)	PG (5)	Label Codes (6)	Special Provisions (§172.102) (7)	(8) Packaging (§173.***)			(9) Quantity Limitations	
							Excep- tions (8A)	Non- bulk (8B)	Bulk (8C)	Passenger aircraft/rail (9A)	Cargo air- craft only (9B)
	Acrolein, stabilized	6.1	UN1092	I	6.1, 3	1, B9, B14, B30, B42, B72, B77, T22, TP2, TP7, TP13, TP38, TP44	None	226	244	Forbidden	Forbidden
	Copper cyanide	6.1	UN1587	II	6.1	IB8, IP2, IP4, T3, TP33	None	204	242	25kg	100kg
G	Flammable liquid, n.o.s.	3	UN1993	I	3	T11, TP1, TP27, 1B2, T7, TP1, TP8, TP28, B1,	150	201	243	1L	30L
				II	3	B52, IB3, T4, TP1, TP29	150	202	242	5L	60L
				III	3		150	203	242	60L	220L
	Phosphoric acid solution	8	UN1805	III	8	A7, IB3, N34, T4, TP1	154	203	241	5L	60L

**§172.101 Hazardous Materials Table Excerpts**



# Preparation of Shipping Papers

## Display of Hazardous Materials Description on Shipping Papers

- Listed first
- Contrasting color
- Identified with “X” in HM Column
- Legible
- English
- Authorized abbreviations
- Additional information
- Continuation pages
- Emergency response telephone number

**§172.201**



# Shipping Papers

**STRAIGHT BILL OF LADING**  
ORIGINAL - NOT NEGOTIABLE

Shipper No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Carrier No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Route	Vehicle Number
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No. of Units & Container Type	<b>HM</b>	BASIC DESCRIPTION <small>Proper Shipping Name, Hazard Class, Identification Number (UN or NA), Packing Group, per 172.101, 172.202, 172.203</small>	TOTAL QUANTITY <small>(Weight, Volume, Gallons, etc.)</small>	WEIGHT <small>(Subject to Correction)</small>	RATE	CHARGES <small>(For Carrier Use Only)</small>
1 Box		Carriage bolts	1000			
4 Drums	X	UN1805, Phosphoric acid solution, 8, PGIII	4 gal			
1 Drum	X	UN1993, Flammable liquids, n.o.s., (contains methanol), 3, PGIII	18 gal			
1 Box		Carriage bolts	1000			
This shipment is within limitations for Cargo Aircraft only						

**§172.201**



# Hazardous Materials Descriptions

- Identification number
- Proper shipping name (PSN)
- Hazard class or division
  - (Subsidiary risks)
- Packing Group

**§172.202**



# Shipping Description and UN Harmonization

## Final Rule HM215I

- Authorizes the sequence for International Shipments, *January 1, 2007*
- Provides for domestic voluntary compliance, *January 1, 2007*
- Establishes mandatory compliance, *January 1, 2013*

**§172.202(b)**



# Hazardous Materials Basic Description

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4 Drums	X	UN1805, Phosphoric acid solution, 8, PGIII	4 gal

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§172.201(b)



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# SHIP

**DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS ONLY**



## Additional Information

- **Technical names (required for n.o.s. entries)**
  - (in association with the PSN)
  - (in parenthesis)
- **Total quantity**
  - Mass, volume, or activity for Class 7
- **Number and type of packages**





## Additional Descriptions

- Special Permits (Exemptions)
  - DOT-SP
  - DOT-E (if special permit or exemption was issued before Oct. 1, 2007)
- Limited Quantity (Ltd Qty)
- Hazardous Substance – RQ
- Radioactive Material
- Empty Packages
- Transportation by modes
- Marine Pollutants
- Vessel Mode (non-bulk package)
- Poison or toxic inhalation hazard

**§172.203**



# Additional Descriptions

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Carrier No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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1 Box	<b>HM</b> X	RO, UN1587, Copper cyanide, 6.1, PGII, Marine Pollutant	10 lbs			
30 cans	X	UN1805 Phosphoric acid solution, 8, III DOT SP- 15890	30 gals			
2 totes	X	UN1587, Copper Cyanide, 6.1, II "residue last contained"	residue			

**\$172.203**

"This shipment is within limitations for Cargo Aircraft only"



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1 Box	<b>HM</b> <b>RQ</b>	<b>UN1587, Copper cyanide, 6.1, PGII, Marine Pollutant</b>	10 lbs			
4 boxes	<b>X</b>	<b>UN1624, Mercuric Chloride, 6.1, II, "LTD QTY"</b>	33 lbs			

**§172.203**



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	<b>10 Drums UN1092, Acrolein, stabilized, 6.1(3), PGI, Toxic Inhalation Hazard, Zone A</b>	<b>1 gal.</b>			
	<b>1 Box Carriage Bolts</b>	<b>10 LBS.</b>			

**§172.202;**  
**§172.203**



# Hazardous Waste Shipments

Please print or type. (Form designed for use on elite (12-pitch) typewriter.)

Form Approved. OMB No. 2050-0039

<b>GENERATOR</b>	<b>UNIFORM HAZARDOUS WASTE MANIFEST</b>		1. Generator ID Number	2. Page 1 of	3. Emergency Response Phone	4. Manifest Tracking Number			
	5. Generator's Name and Mailing Address				Generator's Site Address (if different than mailing address)				
	Generator's Phone:								
	6. Transporter 1 Company Name				U.S. EPA ID Number				
	7. Transporter 2 Company Name				U.S. EPA ID Number				
	8. Designated Facility Name and Site Address				U.S. EPA ID Number				
	Facility's Phone:								
	<b>9a. HM</b>	<b>9b. U.S. DOT Description (including Proper Shipping Name, Hazard Class, ID Number, and Packing Group (if any))</b>			<b>10. Containers</b>		<b>11. Total Quantity</b>	<b>12. Unit Wt./Vol.</b>	<b>13. Waste Codes</b>
	X	UN1090, Waste Acetone, 3, PGII			1	DM	5 gal		
		2.							
	3.								
	4.								
14. Special Handling Instructions and Additional Information									

**\$172.205**

15. **GENERATOR'S/OFFEROR'S CERTIFICATION:** I hereby declare that the contents of this consignment are fully and accurately described above by the proper shipping name, and are classified, packaged, marked and labeled/placarded, and are in all respects in proper condition for transport according to applicable international and national governmental regulations. If export shipment and I am the Primary Exporter, I certify that the contents of this consignment conform to the terms of the attached EPA Acknowledgment of Consent. I certify that the waste minimization statement identified in 40 CFR 262.27(a) (if I am a large quantity generator) or (b) (if I am a small quantity generator) is true.



# Shipping by Air

SHIPPER'S DECLARATION FOR DANGEROUS GOODS		(Provide at least two copies to the airline.)							
Shipper		Air Waybill No.							
		Page of Pages							
		Shipper's Reference Number <i>(optional)</i>							
Consignee									
Two completed and signed copies of this Declaration must be handed to the operator		<b>WARNING</b>							
<b>TRANSPORT DETAILS</b> This shipment is within the limitations prescribed for: <i>(delete non-applicable)</i>		Failure to comply in all respects with the applicable Dangerous Goods Regulations may be in breach of the applicable law, subject to legal penalties.							
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<del>AND</del>	AIRCRAFT								
<del>ONLY</del>	ONLY								
Airport of Destination:		Shipment type: <i>(delete non-applicable)</i> NON-RADIOACTIVE							
<b>NATURE AND QUANTITY OF DANGEROUS GOODS</b> <i>Proper Shipping Name, Class or Division, UN Number or Identification Number, Packing Group (if required), number of packages, and all other required information.</i>									
<p><b>UN 1993, Flammable Liquids, n.o.s., (contains methanol), 3, PGII //</b></p> <p><b>1Steel Drum x 60 L // 307</b></p>									
Additional Handling Information									
I hereby declare that the contents of this consignment are fully and accurately described above by the proper shipping name and are classified, packaged, marked and labelled/placarded, and are in all respects in proper condition for transport according to applicable international and national governmental regulations. I declare that all of the applicable air transport requirements have been met.		Name/Title of Signatory  Place and Date  Signature <i>(see warning above)</i>							



# Shipper's Certification

**Each person who offers a hazardous material for transportation shall certify that the material is offered for transportation in accordance with the HMR.**

<b>Emergency Contact: 1-800-555-1234</b>			
This is to certify that the above-named materials are properly classified, described, packaged, marked and labeled, and are in proper condition for transportation according to the applicable regulations of the Department of Transportation.			
Signed: <i>H.M. Smart</i>			
Date: <i>Oct. 10, 2005</i>			

**§172.204**



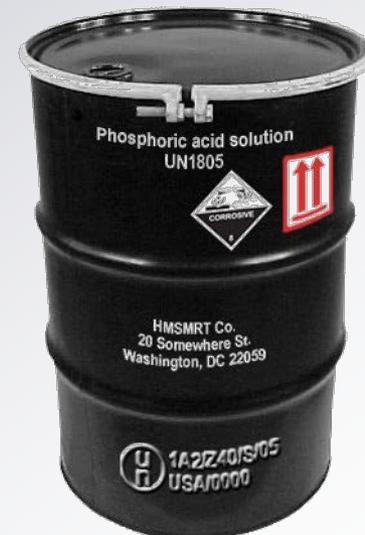
# Shipping Paper Retention

- **Copy or electronic image**
  - Include date of acceptance by initial carrier
  - Retained by shipper for two years
  - Retained by carrier for one years
  - Hazardous waste retained 3 years
- **Accessible at or through principal place of business**
- **Must be made available upon authorized official request**

§172.201(e)



# Describing Hazardous Materials





# Emergency Response Telephone Number

- Person monitors at all times during transportation:
  - Is knowledgeable of the hazardous materials listed
  - Has comprehensive emergency response and incident mitigation information for that material; or
  - Has immediate access to a person who possesses such knowledge
  - Accepts Responsibility

**§172.202(d); §172.604**



## HM-206F

# Revision of Requirements for Emergency Response Telephone Numbers

- **HM-206F amends HMR to clarify requirements for Emergency Response telephone numbers to include:**
  - Additional requirement for International numbers
    - International access code or “+” (plus) sign
    - Country code and city code as appropriate
  - Contract number for use of agency or organization taking responsibility for answering
  - Name of consignor (shipper)
  
- **Mandatory compliance October 1, 2010**
- **Voluntary compliance since October 19, 2009**



# Emergency Response Telephone Number

## STRAIGHT BILL OF LADING ORIGINAL - NOT NEGOTIABLE

Shipper No. \_\_\_\_\_

Carrier No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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(Name of carrier)

(SCAC)

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**TO:**  
Consignee \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**FROM:**  
Shipper \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**24 hr. Emergency Contact Tel. No.** \_\_\_\_\_

Route		Vehicle Number				
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1 Drums	X	UN1805, Phosphoric acid solution, 8, PGIII, <b>1-800-555-1234 Contract: 867-5309</b>	5 gal			
1 Drum	X	UN1993, Flammable liquids, n.o.s., (contains methanol), 3, PGIII, <b>1-800-555-8888 Contract: BR549</b>	30 gal			



# Emergency Response Telephone Number

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TO:  
Consignee \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

FROM: Shipper Korean Dangerous Goods Shippers

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City Pusan State ROK Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**+82-51-1330**

**24 hr. Emergency Contact Tel. No.** \_\_\_\_\_

Route \_\_\_\_\_

Vehicle  
Number \_\_\_\_\_

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**§172.201(d); §172.604(a)(3)**



# Providing Emergency Response Information

- **During transportation and at facilities where:**
  - Loaded for transportation
  - Stored incidental to transportation
  - Handled during any phase of transport
  
- **Applies to persons who:**
  - Offer for transportation
  - Accept for transportation
  - Transfer during transportation
  - Handle during transportation

**§172.600(a)(b)**



# Availability of Emergency Response Information

- All times Hazardous material is present
- Immediately available during accident or incident to emergency personnel
  - Includes emergency response telephone number
- During investigations to
  - Federal, State or Local government representatives

**§172.600(c)(1)(2)**



# Emergency Response Information

- Basic description and technical name
- Immediate hazards to health
- Risks of fire or explosion
- Immediate precautions to be taken in the event of an accident or incident
- Immediate method for handling fires
- Initial methods for handling spills or leaks in the absence of fire
- Preliminary first aid measures

**§172.602**



# Presenting Emergency Response Information

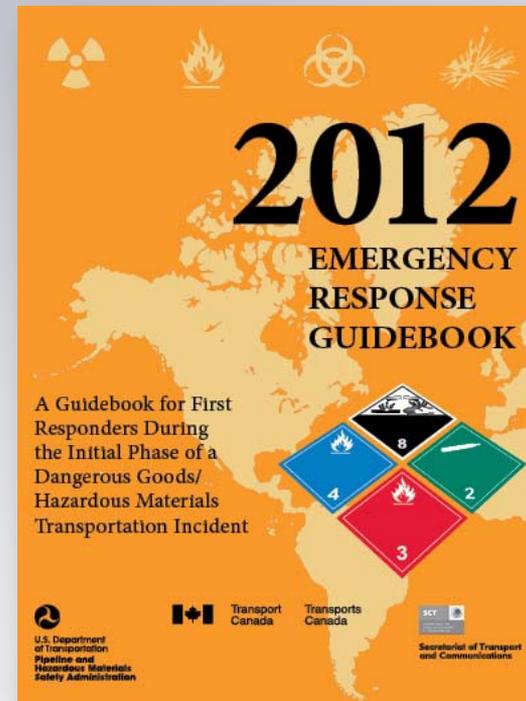
- Printed legibly in English
- Availability away from hazardous materials package
- On shipping paper or document that includes:
  - Basic description
  - Technical names

**§172.602(b)**



# Emergency Response Guidebook (ERG)

- Aids emergency responders
- Identifies specific or generic hazards of material(s)
- Provides for protective actions





# Shipping Papers and Emergency Response Information

The image displays several key documents used in hazardous materials shipping:

- STRAIGHT BILL OF LADING (ORIGINAL, NOT NEGOTIABLE):** This form includes fields for Shipper No., Carrier No., Date, and Page number. It features a table for describing the cargo with columns for 'HAZARD CLASSIFICATION', 'TOTAL QUANTITY', 'WEIGHT', and 'HAZARD CLASSIFICATION'. It also includes sections for 'PLACARDS', 'SHIPPER'S CERTIFICATE', and 'SHIPPER'S DECLARATION'.
- DANGEROUS GOODS LABEL:** A label with a red and white diagonal border, containing a hazard class number (e.g., 2.3), hazard class name (e.g., TOXIC GASES), and other regulatory information.
- 2012 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK:** A guidebook cover with an orange background, featuring a hazard diamond and the text 'A Guidebook for First Responders During the Initial Phase of a Dangerous Goods/Hazardous Materials Transportation Incident'.



# EXERCISE



# Shipping Paper Worksheet

## Instruction:

Complete a shipping paper using the following hazardous materials. Note; for this exercise, you will be shipping these two commodities to Los Angles, CA.

## Commodity 1

Chlorine  
4 Cylinders  
110 Pounds Each

## Commodity 2

Flammable Liquid n.o.s  
Contains Methanol  
2 Drums  
5 Gallons Each



# The Hazardous Material Table

## §172.101

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	Chlorine	2.3	UN1017		2.3, 8	2,B9,B14,N86, T50,TP19	None	304	314, 315	Forbidden	Forbidden
G	Flammable liquid, n.o.s.	3	UN1993	I	3	T11, TP1, TP27, 1B2, T7, TP1, TP8, TP28, B1, B52, IB3, T4, TP1, TP29	150	201	243	1L	30L
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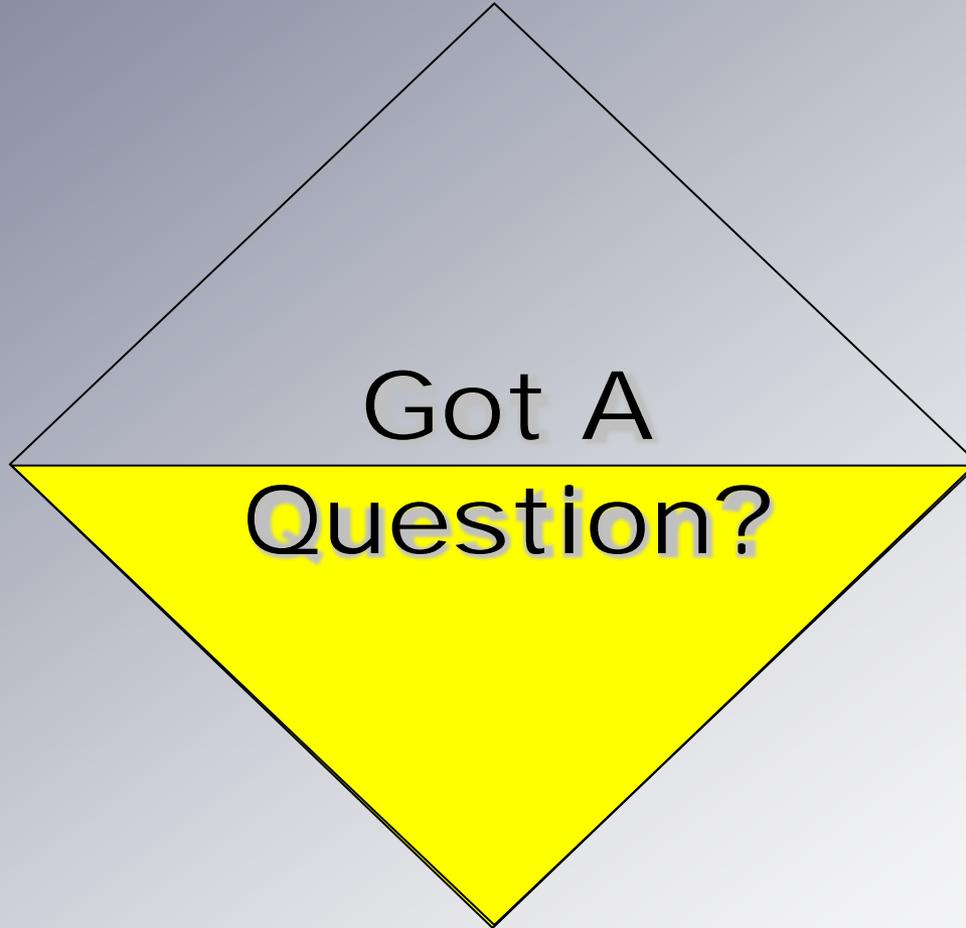
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	4 Cyl RQ. UN1017, Chlorine, <b>2.3(8), Poisonous Inhalation Hazard, Zone B</b>	440 Lbs			
	2 Drums UN1993, Flammable Liquid, n.o.s <b>(contains Methanol), 3, PGIII</b>	10 gal			

This Shipment is forbidden for Passenger  
and Cargo Aircraft.





# Where to Find More Information...

**PHMSA**  
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials  
Safety Administration

U.S. Department of Transportation

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**2012 EMERGENCY RESPONSE GUIDEBOOK**  
A Guidebook for First Responders, Starting with the Incident, Planning and Response, and the Incident Response Guidebook (IRG) for Hazardous Materials Transportation Incidents.

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# Hazardous Material Info-Center

1-800-HMR-4922

(1-800-467-4922)

**E-mail: [infocntr@dot.gov](mailto:infocntr@dot.gov)**

**Hours of Operation: 9 am – 5 pm ET**



- Obtain answers to HMR questions
- Request copies of Federal Register, special permits or training materials
- Report HMR violations
- Fax on Demand