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HAZARDOUS MATERIALS REGULATIONS BOARD  
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Hazardous Materials Regulations  
Board

[ 49 CFR Part 173 ]

[Docket No. HM-19; Notice 69-7]

TRANSPORTATION OF METHYL  
CHLORIDE

Use of Certain Multiunit Tank Car  
Tanks

The Hazardous Materials Regulations Board is considering amending 49 CFR 173.314(c) to authorize the use of DOT-110A500W multiunit tank car tanks for the transportation of methyl chloride.

The Hazardous Materials Regulations Board has recently issued a special permit authorizing the transportation of methyl chloride in specification DOT-110A500W multiunit tank car tanks. The basic justification for the permit is that this tank is at least equivalent to a DOT-106A500 tank car tank which is presently authorized for the shipping of methyl chloride. In addition, on February 21, 1966, a special permit was issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission authorizing the use of 110A500W multiunit tank car tanks for the shipment of methyl chloride, and no adverse experiences were reported under that permit.

In consideration of the foregoing, the Hazardous Materials Regulations Board proposes to amend § 173.314(c) as indicated above.

Interested persons are invited to give their views on the proposal discussed herein. Communications should identify the docket number and be submitted in duplicate to the Secretary, Hazardous Materials Regulations Board, Department of Transportation, 400 Sixth Street SW., Washington, D.C. 20590. Communications received on or before May 6, 1969, will be considered before final action is taken on the proposal. All comments received will be available for examination by interested persons at the Office of the Secretary, Hazardous Materials Regulations Board, both before and after the closing date for comments.

This proposal is made under the authority of sections 831-835 of Title 18 United States Code, and section 9 of the Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1657).

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