

Updated Rules and Procedures Now Available

Dear Valued Customer:

Pacer Stacktrain has updated its Rules & Procedures. The revisions include:

- Updates to cover the recently published changes to the *BNSF Rules & Policies Guide*. As previously noted in Stack Facts Bulletin #1049, BNSF issued a new version of its *Rules & Policies Guide*, which included among other changes a reduction in its cargo liability from \$250,000 to \$200,000 per shipment and an increase in the minimum cargo claims amount from \$250 to \$500. Most of the changes to the Stacktrain Rules & Procedures are intended to address these changes and other provisions of the *BNSF Rules & Policies Guide*.
- Addition of excerpts from the *BNSF Rules & Policies Guide* on prohibited and restricted commodities.
- Updates to cover changes to the cargo liability limits for consumer electronics shipments moving on CSX Intermodal. Like the Union Pacific Railroad, CSX Intermodal has reduced its cargo liability cap to \$100,000 per container or trailer for consumer electronics shipments unless specific security and other procedures are met.
- Changes to Sections 1.2.6 and 13.1.6 as a result of recent legal decisions to address our customers' authorization to bind and obligation to cause the beneficial cargo owner, consignee, consignor, dray carrier and others involved in the shipment to comply with the Stacktrain Rules & Procedures and the intermodal circulars of the participating carriers; and
- Other clarifications regarding shipping instructions for Mexico shipments.

We are changing the format of this update. Previously we have posted a redlined version of the Stacktrain Rules & Procedures showing changes in the text. For ease of reference, we are instead including a list of the changed sections at the end of the Stacktrain Rules & Procedures.

If the revisions in the updated Rules and Procedures are not already in effect by operational practice or if the effective date is not stated in the updated Rules and Procedures, the changes shown will become effective as of August 4, 2008.

Getting the information is easy. The complete Information Directory, including the Rules & Procedures, is always available on our website at www.pacerstack.com. Links to view and/or download the Rules & Procedures are prominently displayed on the Services page. We encourage you to visit our website to review the updated Rules & Procedures right away.

Staying up-to-date is easy, too. Anyone can subscribe to receive our Stack Facts or other important communications. To sign up, just go to the [e-Mail Alerts](#) page under the News tab of our website.

Everyone who deals with Pacer Stacktrain services in your organization should be informed about this update. This includes your sales, pricing, operations, finance, and administration teams. You should also ensure that your beneficial cargo owners and other customers are fully aware of and comply with the Rules & Procedures.

If you have questions, we're here to help. Please contact your Pacer Stacktrain Customer Support or Business Development Representative for assistance.

We appreciate your business.