



CHEMTREC can provide support for Toxic Inhalation Hazard (TIH) Railcar regulatory checks by TSA under 49 CFR 1580.203. CHEMTREC's RSSM Custody and Control Support Service is designed to provide you with a 24/7 emergency backup to help reduce the risk of an enforcement action by TSA and gives Rail Security Coordinators (RSCs) enough time to make notification to TSA within the thirty (30) minute time requirement.

## **THE CHALLENGE**

- To help protect the community, TSA has implemented a reporting requirement to assist federal authorities with locating rail cars that carry certain products that pose a significant security risk to highly populated areas from attack.
- Per regulatory requirements under 49 CFR 1580.203, TSA will often perform regulatory railcar inventory checks to certify compliance in the case of a real security threat.
- To meet this requirement, shippers must be available 24/7 to provide requested information within 30 minutes. If a shipper does not comply, they can face significant fines. Rail hazardous materials receivers located within a HTUA (High Threat Urban Area) are subject to these regulations as well.

## **OUR SOLUTION**

CHEMTREC can be used as a backup.

- If a company's RSCs do not answer the phone, and CHEMTREC receives the call from TSA, CHEMTREC will reach out to the designated contacts provided (up to three specifically for this protocol) to make them aware of TSA's request.
- CHEMTREC will make its first phone call notification attempt within 15 minutes of receiving the inventory request from TSA.
- This will provide a minimum of 15 minutes for the customer to provide the requested information to TSA.

CHEMTREC's RSSM Case Study and Support Service is available as an add-on service for CHEMTREC Emergency Response customers. Please reach out to sales@chemtrec.com for registration information.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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