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## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

STATE OF WISCONSIN

I, John F. Goetz, Secretary of the Public Service Commission and legal custodian of the official records of said Commission, do hereby certify under my signature and official seal of the Commission that the attached recreated rules, Wis. Adm. Code 83, relating to railroad switch targets, lights, and markers, were duly approved and adopted by order of August 2, 1972 (2-R-5658).

I further certify that the copy of the recreated rules attached hereto has been compared by me with the original on file in this Commission and that the same is a true copy thereof.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin

August 2, 1972

Secretary

## ORDER OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION REPEALING AND RECREATING RULES

Pursuant to authority vested in the Public Service Commission by section 195.03(18), Wis. Stats., the Public Service Commission repeals and recreates rules as follows:

Chapter PSC 83 of the WISCONSIN ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

is repealed and recreated to read:

Chapter PSC 83

RAILROAD SWITCH TARGETS.

LIGHTS. AND MARKERS

PSC 83.01 Switch targets, lights, and reflectorized markers. All railroads operating as common carriers in this state shall:

(1) Equip and maintain all main track switches on both main and branch lines with stands and targets suitable for day indications, except for such isolated cases as locations in station platforms, adjacent to other tracks, or similar situations where it is impracticable or unsafe so to do.

(2) Equip and maintain all main track switches on both main and branch lines with switch lights or reflectorized switch markers suitable for night indications, except as noted above for switch targets, and except for such places or for such seasons of the year as the number of trains operating during any period between sunset and sunrise shall be not more than two per week.

PSC 83.02 Submit plans. Each railroad shall submit to this commission for its approval plans and specifications showing the shape, dimensions, color and reflectorizing materials for the railroad switch targets, lights, and reflectorized markers existing or proposed on its railroad.

PSC 83.03 Upon complaint that a railroad has not complied with the above rules, or that the design, shape, dimensions, color or reflectorization is inadequate, or that a specific switch at a mainline or other location requires a specific target, light, or reflectorized marker, the commission will investigate the complaint and if the matter cannot be resolved informally, the commission shall issue notice of investigation and hearing as provided in section 196.26. Wis. Stats. The commission may proceed on its own motion without complaint. If upon investigation and hearing, the commission finds safety devices or measures are required, it shall order the railroad to take such appropriate action.

The repealed and recreated rules contained herein shall take effect on September 1, 1972 as provided in section 227.026(1) (intro. par.), Wis. Stats.

Dated: August 2, 1972

Public Service Commission

Goetz

Secretary