

Template for FY'09 Report pursuant to the Information Quality Bulletin for Peer Review

I. Summary Page for Department (if Applicable)

Department: Transportation

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Provide the URL for Department's portal for compliance with the Bulletin
____ formerly <http://www.dot.gov/peertr.htm>

<http://www.dot.gov/new/index.htm> (presently under re-construction)

Is this URL:

A Department-wide Peer Review Agenda (Y/N) or

A set of links to each agency (bureau or office's) agenda (Y/N)? ____

How would a member of the public locate this peer review portal if she/he did not have this
URL? Check all that apply:

A link from Department's home page X

A link from Department's Information Quality home page X

Other means, e.g., a link from a science page (please describe) _____

Number of peer reviews conducted subject to the Bulletin in FY'09 (see instructions for what should
and should not be included here).

Number of influential scientific information peer reviews (ISI) (not including highly
influential scientific assessments) 2

Number of highly influential scientific assessments (HISA) 6

Number of Waivers, Deferrals, Exemptions, or Alternative Procedures used: Total # 0

Number of peer reviews that included at least one peer reviewer appointed pursuant to any exception
to the applicable independence or conflict of interest standards of the Bulletin, including
determinations by the Secretary or Deputy Secretary pursuant to Section III (3) (c).

Total # 0

Number of peer review panels that held in conjunction with public meetings: Total # 0

Number of public comments provided on the Department's peer review plans during FY 09, regardless of whether the peer review was actually completed during FY 09: Total # 0

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II. Agency Report

GENERAL INFORMATION

Agency **National Highway Traffic
Safety Administration**_____

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URL for Agency's Peer Review Agenda ____ formerly <http://www.dot.gov/peertr.htm>

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What pathway(s) can a member of the public use to find the Agency's peer review agenda if she/he did not have this URL?

- **X Link from Departmental or Agency home page,**
- Link from Agency Information Quality home page,
- Link from science, research, or regulatory pages (please specify)
- _____
- Other (please describe) _____

Does the agenda provide links to peer review reports for all completed peer reviews?

Yes

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INFORMATION ABOUT REVIEWS CONDUCTED

Number of peer reviews conducted subject to the Bulletin in FY 09. (see instructions for what should and should not be included here).

Number of influential scientific information peer reviews (ISI) (not including highly influential scientific assessments) 2

List the title of each ISI. Indicate whether the Peer Review Report has been completed (Y/N) *add more lines as needed* **NOTE:** It is acceptable to provide a screen shot of your peer review agenda as an attachment.

Peer Review of technical paper, **“The Effectiveness of Daytime Running Lights (DRLs) for Passenger Vehicles” (Y)**

Peer Review of “The Effectiveness of Amber Rear Turn Signals for Reducing Rear Impacts “ (Y)

Number of highly influential scientific assessments (HISA) 1

List the title of each HISA. Indicate whether the Peer Review Report has been Completed (Y/N) *add more lines as needed*

Peer Review of Final Report, ‘Update/Uncertainty Analysis of Quality Adjusted Life year Loss estimate’ (Y)

Provide the titles of ISIs and HISIs for which Waivers (W), Deferrals (D), or Exemptions (E) were invoked or Alternative Procedures used (A). *If deferral is marked, please indicate the duration of the deferral.*

Title of Document

***Type of Document
ISI or HISA***

***W, D, E, or A
(and duration)***

N/A

Number of peer reviews that included at least one peer reviewer appointed pursuant to any exception to the applicable independence or conflict of interest standards of the Bulletin, including determinations by the Secretary or Deputy Secretary pursuant to Section III (3) (c)?

Number of ISIs (not including highly influential scientific assessments) 0

List titles

Number of HISAs 0

List titles

Number of peer review panels that held public meetings:

Number of ISIs (not including highly influential scientific assessments) 0

Number of HISAs 0

Number of peer review panels that allowed public comment:

Number of ISIs (not including highly influential scientific assessments) 0

Number of HISAs 0

Number of public comments provided on the agency's peer review plans during FY 09,
regardless of whether the peer review was actually completed during FY 09 0

Number of times agency specifically solicited peer reviewer nominations from
professional societies. 0

If such nominations were solicited, were any recommendations provided? Yes No

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Agency **Federal Aviation Administration**_____

Agency Contact for Implementation of the Peer Review Bulletin

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URL for Agency's Peer Review Agenda formerly
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<http://www.dot.gov/new/index.htm> (presently under re-construction)

What pathway(s) can a member of the public use to find the Agency's peer review agenda if she/he did not have this URL?

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- Other (please describe) _____

Does the agenda provide links to peer review reports for all completed peer reviews?

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Number of highly influential scientific assessments (HISA) 5

List the title of each HISA. Indicate whether the Peer Review Report has been Completed (Y/N) *add more lines as needed*

Aviation contribution to climate change - Completed

Hazardous Air Pollutant (Hap) emissions from aircraft - Completed

Monetizing Aviation Environmental Impacts and benefits from Abatement Actions - Completed

Metrics to evaluate the impact of aircraft noise – Completed

Particulate matter emissions from aviation - Completed

Provide the titles of ISIs and HISIs for which Waivers (W), Deferrals (D), or Exemptions (E) were invoked or Alternative Procedures used (A). *If deferral is marked, please indicate the duration of the deferral.*

Title of Document

Type of Document
ISI or HISA

W, D, E, or A
(and duration)

N/A

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Number of ISIs (not including highly influential scientific assessments) 0

List titles

Number of HISAs 0

List titles

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Number of HISAs 0

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