

THE BELT RAILWAY COMPANY OF CHICAGO

Office of Engineering Department

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To: ALL CONCERNED

Subject: Safety Rule Modifications / SAF-1 Rule 18.2.3 Proper Clothing

18.2.3 Proper Clothing (MECH/ENGR)

When cutting, heating or welding wear hearing protection, high top boots, leather welding gloves or leather welding mittens and flame-resistant clothing.

When performing overhead electric arc, or oxy/ fuel operations wear an approved heat resistant jacket.

Always wear flame resistant clothing. Flame resistant clothing should not be synthetic, synthetic blends such as nylon, rayon, polyester, etc. Clothing should protect the skin from infrared and ultraviolet radiation, as well as reduce the possibility of it catching fire or melting from hot sparks or hot slag.

Additional protective outerwear such as leather aprons, leather leggings, spats or sleeves shall be worn for overhead welding and for any other applications where clothing or body is in danger of being exposed to sparks or hot slag.

All buttons on jackets must be buttoned. Sleeves and pockets must be secured against sparks or hot slag. Clothing must be free of oil or grease and trousers or overalls must be without cuffs.

Do not carry cigarette lighters or matches where they may be exposed to sparks or excessive heat.

Function Specific Precautions: (ENGR)

Employees must wear a protective flame-resistant jacket while performing the following functions:

- Cutting
- Heating
- Frog Welding
- Thermite Welding

Site Specific Precautions: (MECH)

At the following locations, the use of flame-resistant outerwear, is mandatory:

Mechanical Repair Track:

• Employees working in the Car Repair Shop or working outside on light bad order cars must wear a protective flame-resistant jacket at all time during their work shift.

Locomotive Shop:

• Employees who perform cutting, heating, or welding work inside the locomotive shop must wear a protective flame-resistant jacket while performing those functions.

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