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National PETE is pleased to announce we have expanded our one-year grant with the Department of Transportation to include two additional sessions for DOT Haz Mat Transportation Regulations trainers. The intent of this course is to train instructors and staff to offer DOT HazMat Training. *These two workshops are the final course offerings under PETE's existing DOT PHMSA Grant.*

3 day (24-hour) DOT Haz Mat Regulations Training Workshop

The following limited costs will be covered by the grant. (\$500 towards all transportation (air/car/taxi/UBER/parking/tolls/mileage etc., plus 3 nights lodging up to \$500 toward overnight accommodations, and 3 days of Per Diem for meals.) These expenses will be reimbursed by NPETE, and follow NPETE guidelines. *Attendees are **expected** to bring laptops for use in class and **must** complete a pre-requisite on-line HazMat awareness course prior to the schedule face-to-face course.* NPETE will also **require** a \$75.00 non-refundable registration fee to hold your place in this course. Please see www.nationalpete.org for registration. There are limited slots available, and these classes tend to sell out quickly.

Scheduled Workshop Dates:

September 26-28, 2017: 24-hour DOT HazMat Regulations Course held at Amarillo College in Amarillo, TX – This instructors course on DOT HazMat Regulations will host 20 participants at Amarillo College, Amarillo, TX. Non Refundable Registration Fee: \$75.00. We do not have pre-arranged hotels, the recommended closest hotel is the Courtyard by Marriott Amarillo Downtown (806) 553-4500. You are responsible for your own accommodations and arrangements.

November 7-9, 2017: 24-hour DOT HazMat Regulations Course at Eastern Iowa Community College – this instructors course on DOT HazMat Regulations will host 20 participants at the Radisson Quad City Plaza Hotel in downtown, Davenport, IA. Non Refundable Registration Fee:\$ 75.00 Those needing overnight accommodations the Radisson Hotel Quad City Plaza has a few overnight rooms at a PETE rate of \$89/night plus taxes and fees on a first come first served basis, contact: (563) 322-2200. You are responsible for your own accommodations and arrangements.

Registration will be on a first come-first-serve basis, to register please go to www.nationalpete.org. For More Information, email Hilary Kessler at kessler@maine.rr.com

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The 24-hour DOT HazMat Regulations Course. In accordance with 49 CFR § 172.704 (HMR), hazmat trainers and employees will be trained in the following areas:

- General awareness/familiarization training providing familiarity with the requirements of the HMR and enabling the hazmat employee to recognize and identify hazardous materials, consistent with the hazard communication requirements of the HMR;
- Function-specific training concerning the requirements of the HMR specifically applicable to the functions performed by the hazmat employee;
- Safety training including measures to protect the employee from the hazards associated with the hazardous materials to which he or she may be exposed in the workplace;
- Security awareness training providing an awareness of the security risks associated with the hazards;
- In depth security training relating to a company's security plan and its implementation, if applicable;
- Application of DOT regulations in order to effectively communicate the hazards associated with the materials being transported through marking, labeling, placarding, and documentation.
- Interpretation of carrier requirements for hazardous materials according to the Title 49 CFR by railcar, aircraft, vessel, and motor vehicle.
- General awareness/familiarization of rail and air transport regulations;
- General awareness/familiarization of driver regulations related to hazmat;
- Familiarization of EPA regulation related to hazardous waste transportation;
- Reporting procedures to complete DOT's Incident Reporting Form.

Online Pre-requisite.

Workshop Participants taking the 24-hour DOT HazMat workshop will be required to complete 8 hours of online DOT HazMat Regulations coursework before participating in classroom learning. The online course will also be made available to CCCHST/NESHTA/Tribal and Pacific Rim instructors so that they may use online resources in blended learning courses that they conduct.