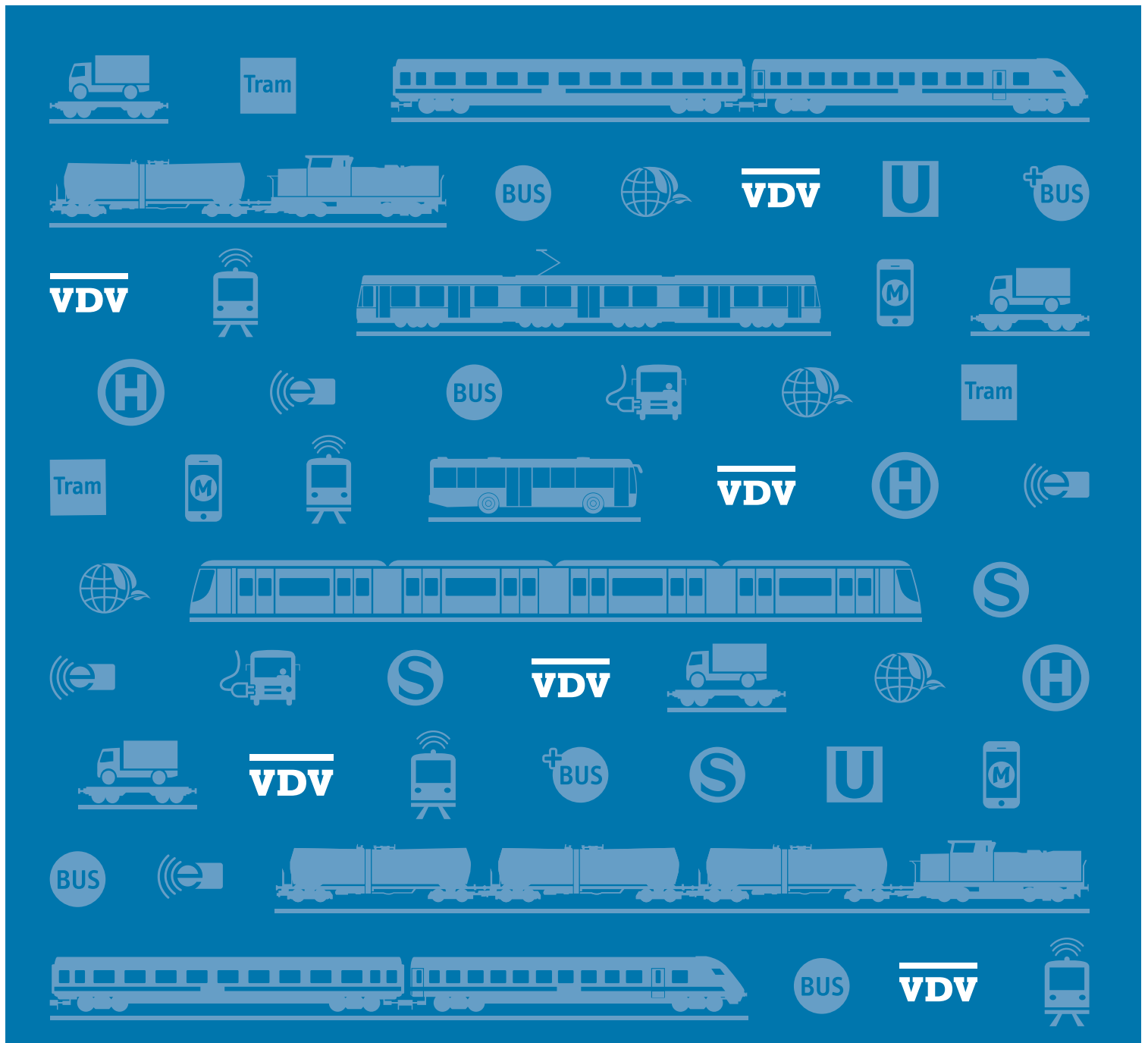


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Preface

In this list of publications the Association of German Transport Companies (VDV) presents the majority of its publications. Thus, it lists its VDV Recommendations and VDV Reports as well as its current leaflets, books, journals and magazines. Moreover, it lists regulatory frameworks of relevance to the public transport and rail freight transport sector.

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The large quantity of publications impressively demonstrates the broad range of tasks to which the VDV is devoted. You are very welcome to use the specialist knowledge gathered in these publications by our internal and external experts for your work.

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9034	Operational Health Management – A guide to the organisation in the enterprise	04/2007	R3	D	
9036	Performance-Dependent Remuneration Rule for Rail Operators	04/2008	EPI	D	
9037	Definition of Terms concerning Steering and Rest Times within Bus Transport – An Overview of the Definitions on the basis of the European Law and the German Law	07/2006	R3	D	
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9039	Commentary and Explanation of the VDV Sample Transport Conditions for Railway, Tramway and Trolleybus Transport as well as for Line-Service Transport with Motor Vehicles (MBB)	05/2007	R3	D	
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9062	Admissibility of medical examinations before recruitment	06/2016	T5	D	
9063	Practice of public transport financing – sample collection for financing arrangements	11/2016	W	D	
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9066	Publication of public service contracts (bus and tram) – a guideline	12/2017	R2	D	

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9717	General conditions and factors of influence for market-oriented tariff-adjustments	11/2008	W	D	only as online-version available for members on the VDV website
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9722	Options for Action in Dealing with Mobility Platforms of Third Parties	06/2014	V	D	
9723	Possibilities of Developing User Financing – Fundamentals of Future Sales and Fare Strategies	07/2017	V	D	

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Planning of Transport Systems (0/10), General Planning

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VDV Das Magazin

“VDV Das Magazin” is VDV’s editorial platform for public transport and rail freight companies in Germany. It goes into detail with all facets of modern passenger and rail freight transport by bus and rail, i.e.:

- technical innovations
- strategies and cooperation
- current issues and trends
- special lines and objectives
- people active in the sector

in the form of articles, news, reports and interviews. The magazine comes out every two months in a print run of about 4,000 copies and is intended for decision-makers at the federal, state and municipal levels as well as for the decision-makers of the VDV member companies and their industrial partners. Moreover, it addresses journalists, employees in ministries, research institutions like universities and other associations as well as customers and employees of the public transport sector.

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VDV Statistics and VDV Annual Reports

VDV Statistics

In addition to numerous representations summarising the development in the sector and the development of the member companies the VDV Statistics includes a unique collection of company-related and organisational data. The VDV Statistics is based on the data sets provided by the member companies and on selected statistics from other bodies, e.g. the Federal Statistical Office. This year some topical issues have been included, e.g. about the transport behavior of commuters in 2016, in addition to the usual contents of earlier editions.

Download: www.vdv.de/statistik-jahresbericht.aspx



VDV Annual Reports

The VDV Annual Report sums up the activities of the VDV concisely. All departments of the VDV, the regional groups of the VDV as well as VDV’s Berlin capital office and EU Brussels office present and discuss their main topics. The contributions do not list all the activities of the VDV, but concentrate on topical issues in the public transport and rail freight transport sector.

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Blue Books

The Blue Books are the fundamental literature of the VDV, in which specific transport topics are dealt with in great detail. Single older books might be available with the VDV.

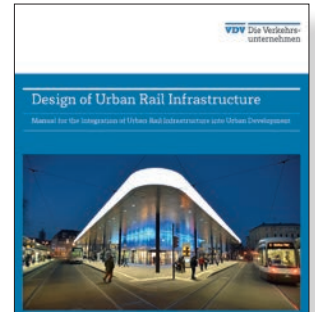
Design of Urban Rail Infrastructure – Manual for the Integration of Urban Rail Infrastructure into Urban Development

Only few companies are so much a part of urban everyday life like public transport companies with their urban rail infrastructures. Therefore, not only the functional and economic aspects, but also the aesthetic and emotional aspects have to be considered by the design of roads, urban rail systems, stops, points of interlinking and tramcars. Thus, the road space should be designed on the basis of a holistic approach. To meet this complex situation, the various phases of the planning process have been compiled in this manual for the integration of urban rail infrastructure into urban development. The principles of successful design planning, including the elements of tracks, platforms, stops, overhead contact lines and exterior design of the vehicles, have been thoroughly explained for the first time in an easily understandable way and are illustrated by typical situations in towns and cities. The core of the book consists of more than 200 pictures from the German-speaking areas, which document successful examples of integrating the urban rail infrastructure into the urban development.

This book does not only address transport experts, but also engineers, architects, town planners, landscape architects and designers. It provides many incentives for their work, delivers an interesting insight into the complex urban rail infrastructure topic and expressly advocates a city-compatible planning approach.

Publisher: VDV / VDV Industry Forum, Cologne, 2016, 170 pages, soft cover,
text in German, ISBN 978-3-9811679-2-4
text in English, ISBN 978-3-9811679-3-1

Order: www.bekaverlag.de



Light Rail Systems

Principles – Technology – Operation – Financing

This book goes into detail with important issues of the light rail system, i.e. its principles, technology, operation and financing. It gives a thorough overview of the current legal principles at the European and federal levels and explains what always has to be considered by the erection of modern light rail systems and by the modernisation of existing systems. Moreover, it explains how the requirements for a reliable power supply system can be fulfilled and how stops and tracks are to be designed in view of passenger comfort, environmental protection and town planning. The book also describes the current development of customer-oriented telematics, depots and workshops, staff deployment and incident management. Finally, it goes into detail with economic issues like LCC as well as the risks and opportunities of the new legal situation, explains the consequences for future financial support and makes financing proposals.

Publisher: VDV / VDV Industry Forum, Cologne, 2014, 1st edition, 992 pages,
the complete text is in German and English, ISBN 978-3-87154-500-9

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Blue Books

Barrier-free Public Transport in Germany

2nd completely revised edition

The 2nd completely revised edition of this book broadly presents the latest measures for freedom from barriers within public transport, i.e. from the vehicles to the information and service via the infrastructure. Moreover, it explains the current legal principles at the European and federal levels as well as the latest legislative frameworks. It also goes into detail with the new subsidising and funding conditions in the present legal situation as well as the practical experience gathered in the last few years and it makes recommendations on the further development. In the form of numerous practical examples scientists and experts with much practical experience propose many incentives and solutions for the realisation of barrier-free public transport within the scope of new projects or modernisation of existing systems and vehicles, which all aim at making public transport a guarantor of mobility for everyone.

Publisher: VDV / VDV Industry Forum, Cologne, 2012, 2nd edition, 636 pages, the complete text is in German and English, ISBN 978-3-87154-522-1

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Transport Alliances

Promoting cooperation and integration to offer a more attractive and efficient public transport

It is hard to imagine Germany without public transport alliances. The bundling of public transport performed by transport companies in transport alliances has developed to an important quality characteristic within public transport in Germany in the last few years. Having presented rail freight transport, light rail systems, line-service buses and public transport by rail, the VDV now presents its youngest member group in a Blue Book. 20 contributions from experts thoroughly describe the in-depth considerations, far-reaching planning, sound concepts as well as resolutions of conflicts of interests needed to be able to offer one transport offer in a transport alliance with coordinated timetables and identical ticketing and tariff systems. Finally, the book gives an overview of the situation of transport alliances in Austria and Switzerland.

Publisher: VDV / VDV Industry Forum, Cologne, 2009, 304 pages, the complete text is in German and English, ISBN 978-3-7771-0403-4

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Public Service Bus Systems with Electric Propulsion

Potential for Emission-free Mobility

Growing environmental awareness, stricter limits for emissions and air quality as well as new climate protection targets make extremely high demands on the propulsion technology: permanent optimisation at optimal economic efficiency is the decisive factor. As hydrogen is an emission-free energy source of the future, which is available without significant restrictions and which can be combined with fuel cells, the VDV member companies want electric drives for their line-service buses. Their industrial partners support this requirement because they consider such drives to be a key technology. Additional energy storage units allow recuperation of the braking energy, improve the energy efficiency and reduce the global emissions. This book documents the present state of development of modern electric propulsion systems for public service buses.

Publisher: VDV / VDV Industry Forum, Cologne, 2007, 312 pages, the complete text is in German and English, ISBN 978-3-7771-0366-2

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Blue Books

Fire Protection in Vehicles and Tunnels for Public Transport

With this Blue Book the VDV and the VDV Industry Forum have published a comprehensive compendium about modern fire protection within public transport. Although much had been written about each single field, there was no overall presentation of this subject beforehand. This book describes fire protection within public transport in an overall concept, which consists of many single elements merging to a high safety level. Therefore, the many incentives given in this book can also be regarded as modules for new projects and for the modernisation of existing facilities. It was written by STUVA e.V. and promoted by the Federal Ministry of Transport, "BG Bahnen" and "BG Bau" (professional associations for tramways / metros / railways and building) as well as the German Transport Safety Council (DVR).

Publisher: VDV / VDV Industry Forum, Cologne, 2005, 504 pages,
the complete text is in German and English, ISBN 978-3-87094-664-7

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Journals & Brochures

Der Nahverkehr

“Der Nahverkehr” is the official organ of the VDV. This journal publishes expert knowledge in comprehensive and in-depth contributions. Its subjects range from transport policy, traffic law and other relevant legal subjects to the organisation of the operation via traffic economy, marketing, vehicle and operating technology. Its articles are written by experienced people from the public transport sector as well as external experts from the relevant fields. Personalities who are not active in the public transport or rail freight transport sector, but critical observers of this sector have their say in the column called “Der Gastkommentar” (The Guest Commentary).

“Der Nahverkehr” has been published since 1983 and now comes out ten times a year (two double editions). The annual subscription costs 144.00 euros plus VAT, but inclusive of forwarding in Germany. In case of forwarding to other countries the postage costs are added.

Order: DVV Media Group GmbH



Guideline for Reactivation of Railway Lines

Preparation, Planning and Realisation

The VDV has published a guideline for projects concerning reactivation of railway lines, which includes answers to frequently asked questions.

The guideline is intended to be a support by the realisation of a reactivation project right from the initial idea. At first, it provides arguments that can convince the general public and the politicians of the idea. Thereafter, a professional part follows, which is to support the concrete project steps for reactivation of a railway line. It deals with planning, organisation, financing, the legal framework as well as traffic, organisational and structural measures. The guideline is intended for all interested parties, also those without expert knowledge. It gives initial information about the tasks to be mastered by reactivation of railway lines and it eliminates the concerns of the insurmountable complexity of such a decision.

Publisher: VDV, Cologne, November 2017, 28 pages, DIN A4 format, text in German

Download: www.vdv.de/zeitschriften-broschueren.aspx



Subsidies for Public Transport

The transport shift and the related transformation process require considerable investments in the development and modernisation of the infrastructure as well as in innovations and in the development of new business models. Considerable financial means are needed for these tasks. The central classic financial instruments can be supplemented by further transport-specific funding programmes, which are not always fully exhausted. Thus, financial means from the Federal Government, the German states and the European Union can contribute to the realisation of investment projects within urban and regional public transport and within rail freight transport. This brochure provides initial information about the numerous funds and directives and it gives an overview of the many options for promoting public transport.

Publisher: VDV, Cologne, July 2017, 28 pages, DIN A4 format, text in German

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Journals & brochures

Quarter of a Century

The brochure to VDV's jubilee

In February 1991 the VDV was officially registered in the German register of associations. 25 years later that time's association of companies has developed to a sector association with more than 600 members. This jubilee brochure describes this successful way, from the activities of the first German railway associations in the 19th century through the events during the years of foundation, i.e. 1989 – 1990, to the latest discussions about current and future financing of the German infrastructure. In interviews, articles and statements founding fathers and personalities from politics, industry and science describe and comment on VDV's activities in the past and they look to the future of an association that is optimally prepared for the next 25 years.

Publisher: VDV, Cologne, 2016, 60 pages, text in German

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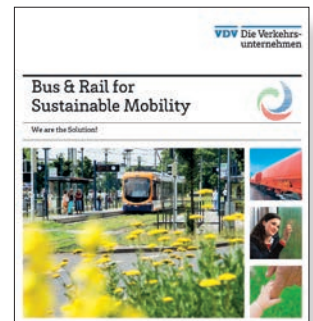
Bus & Rail for Sustainable Mobility

We are the Solution!

This VDV publication about sustainability reveals interesting facts and figures about the social importance of bus and rail. Public transport and rail freight transport are problem solvers as they protect the climate, the environment and the resources, support the structural and demographic changes, ensure mobility, and use public financial resources meaningfully. The publication describes the high service level of public transport and rail freight transport in the form of numerous examples illustrating the intergenerational justice, the quality of life and the corporate social responsibility.

Publisher: VDV, Cologne, 2014, 3rd edition, 38 pages, text in German or English

Download: www.vdv.de/zeitschriften-broschueren.aspx (English / German)



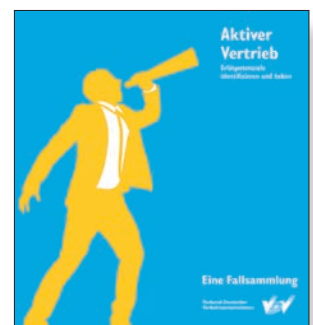
Active Sale

Identify and Increase Revenue Potentials

In this VDV publication measures promoting marketing and sale for transport companies and transport associations have been collected to help them to keep their customers faithful and to gain new customers despite partly negative general conditions. The derivation of sales targets combined with the specification of quantities and promotional measures is explained. As it is important that the success of a measure can be verified, controlling measures are also explained. Committed customer-service employees with good communication skills are essential to an active sales success. Therefore, special attention is also paid to the Web 2.0 theme.

Publisher: VDV, Cologne, 2012, 83 pages, text in German

Download: www.vdv.de/zeitschriften-broschueren.aspx



Journals & Brochures

Guideline for the Transport of Pupils

This guideline is a tool for the planning, setting up and financing of transport for pupils. As the conditions for the transport of pupils have changed considerably since the publication of the earlier edition in 2000, FGSV's working group "Transport of Pupils" and the VDV have revised the guideline. Thus, this new guideline is an update of a guideline originally published by the FGSV in 1986. The guideline goes into detail with all aspects concerning the transport of pupils, inclusive of the generally applicable conditions. To be able to lead a fruitful dialogue, it is important to know the various interest groups, the contacts, their possibilities and the available means. Thus, the guideline gives a general overview of the transport of pupils, but also goes into great detail with this subject.

Publisher: VDV / Road and Transportation Research Association (FGSV), Cologne, 2012, 5.00 euros, text in German

Order: *FGSV Verlag*, www.fgsv-verlag.de



Professional Transport Terms

Basic Principles of Public Transport

This book is a reference book and contains definitions of common operational, economic and legal terms used in the public transport sector. It has been prepared by experts of a VDV committee. The specialist terms are defined in lexical form in the chapter "Terms and Definitions" and translated into English and French in the chapter "Dictionary". Thus, this book is both a lexicon and a dictionary.

Publisher: VDV / Alba Fachverlag, Düsseldorf, 2006, 264 pages, text in German, but with a dictionary, 24,80 euros. Available as e-book download in pdf format.

Order: *PMC Media House*, www.pmcmedia.com



BOSTrab | Regulations

The German Federal Regulations on the Construction and Operation of Tramways (BOStrab) specify the basic requirements and provisions for the safe operation of tramways in the sense of the German Passenger Transport Act (PFefG). At present, the edition of 11.12.1987 as amended on 16.12.2016 is valid.

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BOStrab mainly includes general statements. Concrete technical rules are given in separate regulations.

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Legal aspects: Daniel Brand (special fields: environmental, energy and technology law, sectoral planning law for public transport) · brand@vdv.de · T +49 221 57979-116

Operational Rules for Railway Undertakings

The Operational Rules for Railway Undertakings are VDV's recommendations on the regulations that each railway undertaking has to prepare to fulfil its duty for safety and to meet the requirements specified in TSI OPE.

The Operational Rules for Railway Undertakings support the realisation of the high safety standards for railways in Germany and the uniformity of the railways. They also make it easier to realise company-overlapping training and co-operation. They are obtainable from: DB Kommunikationstechnik GmbH.

The Operational Rules for Railway Undertakings are revised by VDV's expert committees, especially the Committee on Railway Operation, at regular intervals. At present, edition 3 (A 03) is valid. It has been in force since 09.12.2018. Edition 4 (A 04) will probably enter into force on 15.12.2019.

Railway Regulations for Non-federal Railways

The railway regulations, staff instructions and recommendations that the expert committees of the VDV prepare are the basis for the Regulations for Non-federal Railways. Some of them have been put into force upon special implementation decrees of the transport ministries of the German states and some of them are integral parts of the terms of use of the rail networks and the terms of use of the railway infrastructure operators' service facilities in the form of technical and operational rules. Further information is found under: www.vdv-regelwerke.de

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