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Subject Webpages

- [Legal Transportation Research at TRB](#)

Specialty Report

- [Critical Issues in Transportation 2019](#)

Recent Reports & Publications

- [Airport Cooperative Research Program \(ACRP\)](#)
 - [Legal Research Digest 37](#) - Legal Issues Relating to Airports Promoting Competition
 - [Legal Research Digest 35](#) - Legal Considerations in the Funding and Development of Intermodal Facilities at Airports
 - [Legal Research Digest 34](#) - Airport Public Health Preparedness and Response: Legal Rights, Powers, and Duties
 - [Research Results Digest 27](#) - Legal Aspects of Airport Programs - An Update
- [Letter Reports](#)
 - [Review of U.S. Coast Guard Vessel Stability Regulations](#)
- [National Cooperative Highway Research Program \(NCHRP\)](#)
 - [Legal Research Digest 77](#) - Update of Selected Studies in Transportation Law, Volume 8, Section 1: Civil Rights and Transportation Agencies
 - [Legal Research Digest 76](#) - Update of Selected Studies in Transportation Law, Volume 8, Section 3: Indian Transportation Law
 - [Report 913](#) - Compendium of Successful Practices, Strategies, and Resources in the U.S. DOT Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program
 - [Web-Only Document 253](#) - Implications of Connected and Automated Driving Systems, Vol. 1: Legal Landscape
 - [Web-Only Document 253](#) - Implications of Connected and Automated Driving Systems, Vol. 2: State Legal and Regulatory Audit
 - [Web-Only Document 253](#) - Implications of Connected and Automated Driving Systems, Vol. 3: Legal Modification Prioritization and Harmonization Analysis
 - [Web-Only Document 253](#) - Implications of Connected and Automated Driving Systems, Vol. 4: Autonomous Vehicle Action Plan
 - [Web-Only Document 253](#) - Implications of Connected and Automated Driving Systems, Vol. 5: Developing the Autonomous Vehicle Action Plan
 - [Web-Only Document 253](#) - Implications of Connected and Automated Driving Systems, Vol. 6: Implementation Plan

- [Transit Cooperative Research Program \(TCRP\)](#)
 - [Synthesis 142](#) - Implementing the U.S. DOT Reasonable Modification Rule
 - [Legal Research Digest 54](#) - Impacts of the Americans with Disabilities Act on Transit Agency Liability
 - [Legal Research Digest 53](#) - Legal Considerations in Relationships Between Transit Agencies and Ridesourcing Service Providers
 - [Legal Research Digest 52](#) - Legal Implications of Video Surveillance on Transit Systems
- [Transportation Research Circulars](#)
 - [E-Circular 250](#) - Drug-Impaired Driving: Research Needs
- [TRB Special Reports](#)
 - [Report 332](#) - Review and Update of U.S. Coast Guard Vessel Stability Regulations and Guidance
 - [Report 326](#) - Admissibility and Public Availability of Transit Safety Planning Records

Current & Upcoming Projects

- [Current Projects](#)
 - [ACRP 11-01/Topic 10-01](#) - Update of Compilation of FAA/DOT Airport Legal Determinations
 - [ACRP 11-01/Topic 10-03](#) - Legal Issues Relating to Airport Commercial Contracts
 - [ACRP 11-01/Topic 10-04](#) - Updated Survey of Laws and Regulations Applicable to Airport Commercial Ground Transportation
 - [ACRP 11-01/Topic 11-01](#) - Permissible Uses of Airport Revenue and Property
 - [ACRP Synthesis 11-03/Topic S04-21](#) - Models for Law Enforcement at Airports
 - [BTSCRPT BTS-03](#) - Examining the Implications of Legislation and Enforcement on Electronic Device Use While Driving
 - [BTSCRPT BTS-04](#) - Tracking State Traffic Citation and Adjudication Outcomes
 - [NCHRP Synthesis 20-05/Topic 51-12](#) - Night Movement of Oversize/Overweight Loads
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 23-04](#) - The Effectiveness of State False Claims Acts in Protecting State Transportation Funding
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 24-01](#) - Buy America Requirements For Federal Highway Projects
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 24-02](#) - Potential Liability Associated with Unstable Slope Management Programs
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 24-03](#) - Guidelines for Drafting Liability Neutral Transportation Engineering Documents
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 24-04](#) - The Legal Issues Concerning the Use of Transportation Facilities to Generate Revenue for State DOTs
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 24-05](#) - Fix It, Sign It, or Close It: State of Good Repair in an Era of Budget Constraints
 - [NCHRP 20-121](#) - State DOT Contributions to the Study, Investigation, and Interdiction of Human Trafficking
 - [TCRP A-45](#) - Measuring and Managing Fare Evasion
 - [TCRP J-05/Topic 18-01](#) - Tax Increment Financing for Transit Projects
 - [TCRP J-05/Topic 18-02](#) - Codes of Conduct on Transit Vehicles and Property: Legal Issues
 - [TCRP J-05/Topic 18-04](#) - Joint Development Agreements Using FTA Funds or FTA-Funded Assets
 - [TCRP J-05/Topic 18-05](#) - Fix It, Sign It, or Close It: State of Good Repair in an Era of Budget Constraints
- [Upcoming Projects](#)
 - [ACRP 01-44](#) - Airport Insurance Requirements
 - [ACRP 04-24](#) - Airport Contributions to the Study, Investigation, and Interdiction of Human Trafficking
 - [ACRP 11-01/Topic 11-02](#) - Accommodation of Federal Agencies – Rights and Obligations of Host Airports
 - [ACRP 11-01/Topic 11-03](#) - Analysis of Laws, Regulations, and Case Laws Regarding Airport Customer Facility Charges
 - [ACRP 11-01/Topic 12-01](#) - Legal Implications of Data Collection at Airports
 - [ACRP 11-01/Topic 13-01](#) - Legal Considerations for Telecommunications at Airports
 - [ACRP Synthesis 11-03/Topic S10-17](#) - Agricultural Operations on Airport Grounds
 - [BTSCRPT BTS-11](#) - Ensuring Child Safety in New Travel Modes
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 25-01](#) - Public Liabilities Relating to Driveway Permits
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 25-03](#) - Managing Enhanced Risk in the Mega Project Era
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 25-04](#) - Laws Governing Homeless Encampments in Transportation Rights-of-Way
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 25-05](#) - The Legal Issues Associated with Consequential Damages Provisions in Construction Contracts
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 25-06](#) - Legal Aspects of Best-Value Procurement for Highway Construction (Update)
 - [NCHRP 20-06/Topic 25-07](#) - Review of Statutory and Case Law on Planning and Environmental Linkages
 - [TCRP J-05/Topic 19-05](#) - Legal Issues Surrounding Disasters and Evacuations
 - [TCRP J-05/Topic 19-04](#) - Transit Sponsor and Contractor Delay Damages and Remedies Due to Third Parties - Transit Facility Improvements-Common Legal Issues and Solutions

- [TCRP J-05/Topic 19-03](#) - Navigating the Complexities of Sensitive Security Information (SSI) and Protected Critical Infrastructure Information (PCI)
- [TCRP J-05/Topic 19-02](#) - Legal Issues and Emerging Technologies
- [TCRP J-05/Topic 19-01](#) - Legal Issues Regarding Multijurisdictional Transit Agencies
- [TRB/AAMVA 19-01](#) - RFQ: Demographic and Technological Trends Impacting the DMV of the Future

Reports from the [National Academies Press](#) on Legal Research

- [Beyond Spectre: Confronting New Technical and Policy Challenges](#)
- [Artificial Intelligence: An International Dialogue](#)

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- [AL030](#) – Contract Law
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