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<i>Name</i>	RRB-59, Electronic Information Systems Activity and Access Records.
<i>Federal Register</i>	79 FR 58909
<i>Effective Date</i>	December 1, 2014
<i>System Location</i>	U.S. Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611-2092.
<i>Security Classification</i>	Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI).
<i>Categories of Individuals Covered by the System</i>	Individuals (authorized or unauthorized) who attempt to or access RRB electronic information systems (stand-alone or network based). This includes individuals who send or receive electronic communications, access the internet/intranet, system databases, files or applications or pass electronic traffic through our network infrastructure, to include remote access.
<i>Categories of Records in the System</i>	Records in this system of records may include: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Electronic logs or reports from:<ol style="list-style-type: none">a. End user information systems,b. Network servers or mainframe computer,c. Network infrastructure devices,d. Network security and management devices, ande. Information systems performing contracted services for the agency.2. Specific data collected may include information about the source, destination or intermediate connections that may contain:<ol style="list-style-type: none">a. Internet Protocol (IP) address,b. Uniform Resource Locator (URL),c. Date/Time of attempted or actual log-on,d. Date/Time of log-off,e. Duration of connection,f. Size (amount) and type of data transferred,g. Keyword(s) used in internet related searches,h. Information system name,i. Information system Media Access Control (MAC) address,j. Electronic mail addresses and subject,k. Files/Applications accessed,l. User logon name and passwords, or password hashes, titles, or



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<i>Name</i>	RRB-59, Electronic Information Systems Activity and Access Records. agency, or m. Any other information that is necessary for information systems to connect, authenticate and transfer data. 3. Network security and management devices may capture additional information that is required for them to perform their mission to include complete network monitoring. 4. RRB information system logs generally do not contain personally identifiable information (PII), however incidental collection is possible during system monitoring or other official government purposes. 5. It is possible that during the course of official government business purposes, investigations or monitoring that an individual's name may be associated with an information system or its IP address.
<i>Authority for Maintenance of the System</i>	a. 5 U.S.C. § 302 , Delegation of Authority to Federal Agencies, b. 44 U.S.C. § 3544 , Federal Agency Responsibilities, and c. 45 U.S.C. § 231f(b)(6) and 45 U.S.C. § 362(l) , Duties and Powers of the Railroad Retirement Board
<i>Purpose(s)</i>	Information in this system of records may be used by any authorized staff member, in the performance of their official duties to assist in the planning, management, troubleshooting, security and investigations of our Federal information systems and supporting network. Authorized managers or system security staff may use these records to assist them to investigate any potential or actual inappropriate use or any other improper activity by an employee, contractor, or other individual with our information systems. This information may be used to initiate disciplinary, administrative, or civil action. If investigation of the records appears to indicate a violation or potential violation of law, those and any supporting records may be referred to appropriate law enforcement officials for criminal investigation and possible prosecution.
<i>Routine Uses of Records Maintained in the System, Including Categories of Users and Purposes of Such Uses</i>	In addition to the conditions of disclosure listed in 5 U.S.C. § 552a(b) of the Privacy Act and the RRB's Standard Disclosures, the RRB may release these records: a. To provide information to any authorized person(s) to assist in any official investigation involving the unauthorized, or inappropriate use of any RRB information system(s); b. To an actual or potential party or his or her representative for the purpose of negotiation or discussion of such matters as settlement of



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<i>Disclosure to Consumer Reporting Agencies</i>	None.
<i>Policies and Practices for Storing, Retrieving, Accessing, Retaining, and Disposing of Records in the System</i>	
<i>Storage</i>	Magnetic disk, magnetic tape, optical or paper media as necessary for official business.
<i>Retrievability</i>	Records can typically be retrieved by any of the data elements below: a. Internet Protocol (IP) address, b. Uniform Resource Locator (URL), c. Date/Time of attempted or actual log-on, d. Date/Time of log-off, e. Duration of connection, f. Size (amount) of data transferred, g. Keywords used in internet related searches, h. Information system name, i. Information system Media Access Control (MAC) address, j. Electronic mail addresses and subject, k. Files/Applications accessed, l. User logon name and passwords, or password hashes, titles, or agency. We do not typically connect any of the above data with a specific person; however, in some instances conducting official governmental business, a person's name may be connected to any of these data elements.
<i>Safeguards</i>	Paper or Optical Media: Maintained in areas not accessible to the public in locking filing cabinets at the RRB. Access is limited to authorized RRB employees. Information that is related to an investigation is secured inside locking safes. Building has 24 hour



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<i>Retention and Disposal</i>	a. General System/Log Files: Delete/destroy when one year old or when no longer needed for administrative, legal, audit or other operational purposes. b. Investigative Files: (1) Computer Security Incident Handling, Reporting, Follow-up Records, and Investigative Documents. Destroy/delete three years after after all follow up actions are completed. (2) RRB Criminal Investigations. Maintained by RRB Office of Inspector General (Investigations). RRB Records Disposition Schedule 17, Item # 17-3: Place in inactive files when case is closed. Cutoff inactive files at end of the fiscal year. Destroy 10 years after cutoff. (3) Other Criminal Investigations. Maintained in accordance with that Law Enforcement Agencies schedule.
<i>System Manager(s) and Address</i>	Chief of Information Resources Management, Bureau of Information Services, U.S. Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois, 60611-2092.
<i>Notification Procedure</i>	To the extent permitted under the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. § 552a) this system of records is exempted from access, notification and correction provisions. The exemption claimed is 5 U.S.C. § 552a(k)(2) , investigatory material compiled for law enforcement purposes. Additionally, law enforcement investigative material falls under RRB Privacy Act Systems of Records RRB-43 and is generally exempt from release under the reasons stated in that notice. Information in this Privacy Act System of Records is generally not releasable under a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552 exemptions: (b)(2) Risk of Circumvention, (b)(6) Personal Privacy, or (b)(7) Law Enforcement. Individuals (authorized or unauthorized) attempting to access an



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<i>Record Access Procedure</i>	See Notification section above.
<i>Contesting Record Procedure</i>	See Notification section above.
<i>Record Source Categories</i>	Most records are automatically generated electronically by RRB information systems, or by management officials during the course of official business.
<i>Exemptions Claimed for the System</i>	Yes, this is an exempted system. See notification procedures above.