Maintenance Procedure No. MP640

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TASK DESCRIPTION

PERFORM STANDING BRAKE TEST

BUILDER'S OR VENDOR'S MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

MPI LOCOMOTIVE MAINTENANCE MANUAL, SECTION 6

SPECIAL TOOLS REQUIRED:

RELATED MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES MODIFICATIONS, POINTERS, ETC.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS:

CONTRACTOR TO ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR SAFETY RULES AND COMPLIANCE.

PREPARATION:

PROCEDURE



CAUTION

Before conducting any standing brake test all railroad safety procedures must be followed including but not limited to: the locomotive hand brake must be applied, wheel blocks in place to prevent vehicle movement, and a warning blue signal properly displayed.

- 1. Separately apply the automatic and independent brake handles and confirm brakes shoes are set against the wheels.
- 2. Separately apply emergency brake valve handles on the helper's console and in rear HEP compartment as well as moving the automatic brake valve handle to the EMERGENCY position.
- 3. Confirm brake shoes are set against the wheels after each application of emergency brake handles.

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