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**The person to be contacted regarding the proposed rule is:** Facility and Records Management Director

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**Purpose:**

To describe the process for prospective Middle and High Schools to become involved in the MDOT Transportation and Civil Engineering (TRAC) program.

**Summary:**

The Mississippi Department of Transportation provides the Transportation and Civil Engineering (TRAC) program to Middle and High School classrooms in the State of Mississippi. The TRAC program is an educational outreach program that uses hands-on activities to expose students to Civil Engineering and other transportation related careers. This rule explains the process for participation in the TRAC program.

**The full text of the proposed rule is:**

**All cites herein refer to the most current version of the cited document.**

The Mississippi Department of Transportation provides the TRAC program to Middle and High School classrooms in the State of Mississippi. The TRAC program is an educational outreach program that uses hands-on activities to get students interested in Civil Engineering and other transportation related careers.

Schools interested in participating in the TRAC program should contact MDOT's Professional Development Division or visit [www.gomdot.com/TRAC](http://www.gomdot.com/TRAC) for a copy of the program application. Applications will be accepted through April 1 for the upcoming school year. Any application received after April 1 will be considered for the following school year. Each application must be submitted and signed by the principal/school administrator.

Once a school has been accepted into the TRAC program all participating teachers must attend a required 1-2 day TRAC training session. Each attending teacher then must sign a TRAC participation agreement during the training session. Each participating teacher must complete a utilization report once a school semester for the duration of the agreement. Participation applications must be renewed annually.