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(5) Carrying out research, development, and technology transfer activities to promote safety of operation and equipment of motor vehicles for the motor carrier transportation program.

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Subpart B—Office of the Secretary

§ 1.21 Purpose.

This subpart establishes the basic organizational structure, spheres of primary responsibility, and lines of authority in the Office of the Secretary. It also describes the relationships between the Office of the Secretary and the operating administrations, and provides for succession to the position of Secretary in case of need.

§ 1.22 Structure.

(a) *Secretary and Deputy Secretary.* The Secretary and Deputy Secretary are assisted by the following, all of which report directly to the Secretary: The Associate Deputy Secretary and Director, Office of Intermodalism; the Executive Secretariat; the Board of Contract Appeals; the Departmental Office of Civil Rights; the Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization; the Office of Intelligence and Security; the Office of Public Affairs; and the Office of the Chief Information Officer. The Assistant Secretaries, the General Counsel, and the Inspector General also report directly to the Secretary.

(b) *Office of the Assistant Secretary for Transportation Policy.* This Office is composed of the Offices of Environment, Energy and Safety; and Economics.

(c) *Office of the Assistant Secretary for Aviation and International Affairs.* This Office is composed of the Offices of Aviation International Economics; International Transportation and Trade; International Aviation; and Aviation Analysis.

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(d) *Office of the General Counsel.* This Office is composed of the Offices of Environmental, Civil Rights, and General Law; International Law; Litigation; Legislation; Regulation and Enforcement; the Board for Correction of Military Records; and Aviation Enforcement and Proceedings.

(e) *Office of the Assistant Secretary for Budget and Programs.* This Office is composed of the Offices of Programs and Evaluation; and Budget.

(f) *Office of the Assistant Secretary for Governmental Affairs.* This office is composed of the Offices of Congressional Affairs and Intergovernmental Affairs.

(g) *Office of the Assistant Secretary for Administration.* This Office is composed of the Offices of Personnel; Management Planning; Information Resource Management; Administrative Services and Property Management; Hearings; Acquisition and Grant Management; Security; Financial Management; and Administrative Systems Development.

(h) *Office of the Inspector General.* The duties and responsibilities of the Office of Inspector General are carried out by the Assistant Inspector General for Auditing; the Assistant Inspector General for Investigations; the Assistant Inspector General for Policy, Planning, and Resources; and the Assistant Inspector General for Inspections and Evaluations.

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§ 1.23 Spheres of primary responsibility.

(a) *Secretary and Deputy Secretary.* Overall planning, direction, and control of departmental affairs including civil rights, contract appeals, small and disadvantaged business participation in departmental programs, transportation research and technology, commercial space transportation, intelligence and security, and public affairs.

(b) *Associate Deputy Secretary and Director, Office of Intermodalism.* Assists the Secretary and Deputy Secretary in carrying out a variety of executive and