CHAPTER 20:25:01

DEFINITIONS

Section

20:25:01:01 Definitions.

20:25:01:01. Definitions. Terms defined in SDCL 49-7A-1 have the same meaning when used in this article. Terms used in this article mean:

(1) "Excavation site," the specific location where an excavation will occur;

(2) "High profile underground facility," a high profile underground facility is any:

(a) High pressure natural gas pipeline with a maximum allowable operating pressure greater than 300 psi;

(b) Natural gas transmission facility in a high consequence area;

(c) Petroleum pipeline;

(d) Hazardous material pipeline;

(e) High-voltage electric supply line, conductor, or cable that has a potential to ground of greater than or equal to 60 kilovolts; or

(f) Underground facility that, if damaged, has the potential for significant public safety, economic, or environmental impact;

(3) "High consequence area," as defined in 49 CFR § 192.903 as of October 1, 2009;

(4) "Informational locate request," a communication between a person and the one-call center in which a request for locating underground facilities for planning, permit, surveying, mapping, or design work where the purpose of the request is not related to planned excavation activity within the next eighteen months;

(5) "Normal business hours," 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays as defined by SDCL 1-5-1;

(6) "Notification time," the time at the end of the telephone locate request when the answering attendant provides the excavator with a confirmation number or the time a nontelephone locate request is received by the one-call center;

(7) "Planned excavation locate request," a communication between a person and the one-call center in which a request for locating underground facilities for planning, permit, or design work relative to specific excavation activity planned to start within the next eighteen months;

(8) "Planner," any person who prepares a drawing for a planned construction or other project which will require excavation at a future date;

(9) "Positive Response," an operator's electronic response providing status updates on locates requested by excavators;

(9 10) "Respond," the facility operator shall mark or physically identify by other means the location of underground facilities if the facility operator operates any underground facilities in the area of the proposed excavation;

(10 11) "Routine locate request," a communication between an excavator and the one-call center in which a request for locating underground facilities for excavation activity;

 $(11 \ 12)$ "Ticket," a document issued by the one-call notification center to operators and excavators for the purpose of locating an underground facility.

Source:

General Authority: SDCL 49-7A-4.

Law Implemented: SDCL 49-7A-1.

CHAPTER 20:25:03

OPERATOR PARTICIPATION AND MEMBERSHIP CLASSIFICATIONS AND FEES

Section

20:25:03:01 Operator participation.

20:25:03:07 Requirements for operation of a one-call notification center.

20:25:03:01. Operator participation. Each operator required by SDCL 49-7A-2 to join the one-call system:

(1) Shall provide to the notification center data that allows proper notification to the operator of excavation near the operator's utility lines and updates to such data. This data shall be provided to the notification center as soon as possible, but no later than 30 days after membership or operation of underground facilities, whichever is first. This information shall be provided on printed forms or in an internet-based format, approved by the South Dakota One Call Notification board. Each facility operator shall identify and list its high profile underground facilities in such a way it can provide the center with a separate database;

(2) Shall respond to notification of excavation, including emergency notices, as required by SDCL chapter 49-7A and article 20:25;

(3) Shall establish a means of receiving notification of excavation and shall utilize this method to receive such notification from the one-call notification center;

(4) Who receives more than an average of 30 tickets per month in any three consecutive months, shall receive tickets by electronic transmission other than by voice telephone. Electronic transmission includes e-mail, facsimile, data printer, or computer transmission; and

(5) Shall install an underground utility line in such a manner after January 1, 2009, that makes the line locatable by the operator for purposes of this chapter.

(6) Shall provide positive response data to the notification center prior to the excavation ticket work date and time, as listed on the ticket.

Source:

General Authority: SDCL 49-7A-4.

Law Implemented: SDCL 49-7A-2, 49-7A-5, 49-7A-7, 49-7A-8, 49-7A-15.

20:25:03:07. Requirements for operation of a one-call notification center. The one-call notification center shall provide the following services:

(1) Accept a location request from the excavator twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week;

(2) Accept a locate request by telephone call, remote entry by computer transmission, or an internet-based format approved by the South Dakota One Call board;

(3) At close of each location request processed by a customer service representative at the center, prior to the issuance of a confirmation number, verify with the excavator that information provided by the excavator meets the requirements of § 20:25:03:04, 20:25:03:04.01, or 20:25:03:04.02. Following verification of the information, provide the excavator with the verification number associated with this request, a list of underground facility operators who will be notified of this request, and a list of any high profile underground facility operators within the excavation area;

(4) If a locate request, submitted in compliance with § 20:25:03:04, 20:25:03:04.01, or 20:25:03:04.02, is received by remote computer entry or internet transmission, the excavator shall receive a ticket, within four hours, as the confirmation notice;

(5) Record each conversation which pertains to a location request;

(6) Maintain a copy of each conversation and ticket for a period of seven years;

(7) Upon request, provide copies of the tickets and recorded conversations to operators or excavators, at the cost of providing such copies; and

(8) Accept facility operator database information that allows proper notification to the operator of excavation near the operator's utility lines and updates to such data on a web based system as required by the South Dakota One Call Notification board.

(9) Operate a positive response program which accepts updates from operators and excavators on locate requests, twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week, by telephone call, remote entry by computer transmission, or an internet-based format approved by the South Dakota One Call board.

Source:

General Authority: SDCL 49-7A-4.

Law Implemented: SDCL 49-7A-2, 49-7A-5, 49-7A-8.