Directive 2007/59/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2007 on the certification of train drivers operating locomotives and trains on the railway system in the Community

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There must be a good balance between theoretical training (classroom...

Computer-aided training must be accepted for individual learning of the...

The use of simulators, although not obligatory, may be useful... Concerning the acquisition of route knowledge, the approach to be...

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GENERAL PROFESSIONAL KNOWLEDGE AND REQUIREMENTS REGARDING THE LICENCE

The general training has the following objectives: acquiring the knowledge and procedures regarding of railway technologies, including... In particular, drivers must be able to: understand the specific requirements for working in the profession of...

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- 6. ANOMALIES
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The minimum frequency of the periodic checks shall be as... linguistic knowledge (only for non-native speakers): every three years or...

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