***RP107C / RP159 Update***

Chairman: Bruce McKie, Tectran. Secretary: Melody Mitrovich, Phillips Industries. Minutes recorded by Paul Miller, Grote Industries.

Attendees were made aware of ATA antitrust and patent disclosure guidelines. Meeting minutes from the Spring meeting were reviewed and approved.

The chair provided a basic overview of the tractor-to-trailer hookup system and the RPs that exist for both electrical and pneumatic interface lines. He discussed the need for a systematic approach to the lines, the connectors, the receptacles, and everything related to the hookup system. The chair shared the recent modifications that were made to the S.4 RP for the air lines. He then discussed similar updates and changes to RP107C and RP159; changes that better reflect the system use case, improve robustness, and field longevity. Initial drafts of the updated RP docs will be uploaded to TMCconnect for comment with the intent of being discussed at the Fall meeting.

The meeting was adjourned. The next TF meeting will be at the Fall 2024 conference.