Licence to play (publicly perform) recorded music on railroad trains, buses, and other public conveyances

Quick Facts
Licence period:
one year (Jan. to Dec.)

Annual Fee:
$1.13 per person, based on authorized passenger capacity of the railroad trains, bus or other public conveyances ($67.32 min. annual fee)

Deadline:
Jan. 31 of the licensed year (music licence form and payment)

Music Licence Form:
socan.ca/form/13C

Licence fee calculation
The fee is $1.13 per person per year based on the authorized passenger capacity of the railroad car, bus, or other public conveyance, subject to a min. annual fee of $67.32 per car or bus.

EXAMPLE:
A bus company owns two buses where music or music embedded in movies is played. Bus 1 has a passenger capacity of 55, and Bus 2 has a capacity of 60. The licence fee calculation will be as follows:

Bus 1: 55 X $1.13 = $62.15 ($67.32 min. fee will apply)

Bus 2: 60 X $1.13 = $67.80

The total fee will be $135.12 + taxes

Calculate your licence: socan.ca/calculator/13C

If you have any additional music uses, please contact SOCAN or try the Licence Finder at socan.com.

Note: Excluding aircraft and passenger ships. (Aircraft and passenger ships are licensed under Tariffs 13A and 13B respectively)