
HOUSE BILL 2620

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1 AN ACT Relating to penalties for violation of train crew size
2 requirements; and amending RCW 81.40.030.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 81.40.030 and 1983 c 3 s 207 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 (1) Each train or engine run in violation of RCW 81.40.010 shall
7 constitute a separate offense(~~(:—PROVIDED, That)~~). However, nothing
8 in RCW 81.40.010 and 81.40.030 shall be construed as applying in the
9 case of disability of one or more of any train crew while out on the
10 road between division terminals(~~(, wrecking trains, or to any line, or~~
11 ~~part of line, where not more than two trains are run in each twenty-~~
12 ~~four hours)~~)).

13 (2) Any person, corporation, company, or officer of court operating
14 any railroad or railway, or part of any railroad or railway in the

1 state of Washington, and engaged as a common carrier, in the
2 transportation of freight or passengers, who shall violate any of the
3 provisions of RCW 81.40.010 and 81.40.030 shall be guilty of a
4 misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than
5 one hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars for each
6 offense.

7 (3) It shall be the duty of the commission to enforce RCW 81.40.010
8 and 81.40.030.