

SENATE BILL REPORT

SB 6314

AS OF FEBRUARY 1, 1994

Brief Description: Providing for railroad employee health and sanitation.

SPONSORS: Senators Vognild, Nelson, Skratek and Winsley

SENATE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Staff: Brian McMorrow (786-7304)

Hearing Dates: February 2, 1994

BACKGROUND:

The Utilities and Transportation Commission (UTC) is responsible for adopting and enforcing rules and regulations relating to sanitation and adequate shelter as it affects the health of all railroad employees.

SUMMARY

The UTC must require terminals to have servicing facilities. It must also adopt rules to prohibit railroad workers from working alone in the Cascade tunnel.

Appropriation: none

Revenue: none

Fiscal Note: none requested