

REFERENCE TITLE: railroad crew requirements

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Introduced by
Representatives Espinoza: Bolding, Chávez, Dalessandro, Sierra

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 40-881, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO RAILROADS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 40-881, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 40-881. Train and railroad crew requirements

5 A. A passenger, mail or express train composed of less than six
6 cars, when operated outside yard limits, shall carry a crew consisting of
7 not less than one engineer, one fireman, one conductor and one flagman.
8 This subsection ~~shall~~ DOES not apply to gasoline motor cars.

9 B. A passenger, mail or express train composed of six or more cars,
10 when operated outside yard limits on main line tracks, shall carry a crew
11 consisting of not less than one engineer, one fireman, one conductor, one
12 flagman, ~~and~~ and one brakeman. When such train is operated outside yard
13 limits on branch lines, ~~including~~ it shall carry a crew consisting of not less than one engineer, one fireman, one
14 conductor, ~~and~~ and one brakeman.

15 C. RAILROADS OPERATING WITHIN THIS STATE SHALL MAINTAIN A MINIMUM
16 OF TWO OPERATING EMPLOYEES IN THE CONTROL COMPARTMENT OF THE LEAD
17 LOCOMOTIVE UNIT OF A TRAIN WHILE THE TRAIN IS IN MOTION.

18 D. RAILROADS OPERATING WITHIN THIS STATE SHALL MAINTAIN A MINIMUM
19 OF TWO OPERATING EMPLOYEES DURING REMOTE CONTROL OPERATIONS.

20 E. SUBSECTIONS C AND D OF THIS SECTION DO NOT APPLY TO EITHER:

21 1. PASSENGER, MAIL OR EXPRESS TRAINS.

22 2. RAILROADS OPERATING IN THIS STATE DURING SWITCHING OPERATIONS,
23 WHILE MOVING CARS FOR INSPECTION PURPOSES OR WHILE PERFORMING SETOUTS IN
24 CONJUNCTION WITH ROAD SERVICE.
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