SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 2233

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE SAULS.

DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapter 389, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to trains carrying hazardous material, with penalty provisions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 389, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be 2 known as section 389.1100, to read as follows:

389.1100. 1. No railroad shall operate, or permit to be operated, any freight or work train carrying hazardous material that exceeds eight thousand five hundred feet in length on any part of a main track or branch line.

4 **2.** Any railroad or person who willfully violates or orders someone else to violate 5 the provisions of this section shall be guilty of the following:

6 (1) A class D misdemeanor for a first offense and shall be punished by a fine not 7 to exceed five hundred dollars;

8 (2) A class C misdemeanor for a second offense and shall be punished by a fine 9 not to exceed seven hundred dollars; and

10 (3) A class B misdemeanor for a third or subsequent offense and shall be 11 punished by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars.

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