

***AMERICAN SHORT LINE AND REGIONAL
RAILROAD ASSOCIATION, AGENT**

SUPPLEMENT 31

TO

FREIGHT TARIFF RIC 6007-L

Cancels Supplement 29

Supplements 3, 5, 7, 8, 13, 17, 18, 22, 27, 30 and 31 contain all changes.

**MILEAGE ALLOWANCES AND RULES
GOVERNING**

THE HANDLING OF AND THE PAYMENT OF MILEAGE

ALSO CHARGES

ON

**CARS OF PRIVATE OWNERSHIP
AS DEFINED IN ITEMS 25 AND 400**

BY

RAILROADS PARTIES TO THIS TARIFF

For List of Participating Carriers, see Item 2.10.

This tariff is also applicable on intrastate traffic except where expressly provided to the contrary in connection with particular items.

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ITEM 2.10 [PA]

**LIST OF PARTICIPATING CARRIERS
ALPHABETIZED BY STANDARD CARRIER ABBREVIATION
(See Note 1)**

| CARR ABBR | AAR CODE | NAME OF CARRIER | ITEM (S) (Note 2) |
|----------------------|---------------------|--|---|
| ICE | 342 | Iowa, Chicago & Eastern Railroad Corporation [D-1] | 458,460,462,464,466,468,470, 472,474,476,478,480,482 160, 570 |
| IMRL | 379 | I & M Rail Link, LLC [D-2] | |
| CPRS | 105 | Canadian Pacific Railway..... | |
| TPW | 769 | Toledo, Peoria & Western Railway Corporation [D-3] | |

EXPLANATION OF NOTES

1. The code numbers shown opposite the abbreviations of the participating rail carriers are the Association of American Railroads Mandatory Accounting Rules, Rule 260 code numbers, and have no bearing on the rate application in this tariff.
2. Item of general application affecting the participation of all or large groups or numbers of carriers are not listed in this column.

EXPLANATION OF REFERENCE MARKS

- [D-1] - Canceled. For Rules and Charges to apply, see Freight Tariff ASLG 6007.
 [D-2] - Canceled, I & M Rail Link was adopted by the Iowa, Chicago & Eastern Railroad Corporation - Adoption Notices ICE 9000 & 9000-A).
 [D-3] - Canceled.
 [PA] - Partial amendment.

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**SECTION 2
EXCEPTIONS TO APPLICATION AND RULES
APPLIES ON CARS OTHER THAN TANK CARS**

ITEM 546-D

| NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY (SEE NOTES 5, 9, 10 AND 12) | | |
|---|--|--|
| TYPE OF CAR | DESIGNATING SYMBOLS (SEE NOTE 1)(FOR EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS, SEE ITEMS 625 TO 650, INCLUSIVE) | MILEAGE RATE ALLOWANCE IN CENTS PER LOADED MILE |
| FLAT | "FMS" of 280,000 lb and over nominal capacity equipped with permanent chain tie-down devices..... | 37.6 |
| | "FD", "FW"..... | 8.0 |
| | "FM" of 200,000 lb and over nominal capacity..... | 8.0 |
| | "FB" (See Note 3)..... | 10.0 |
| | "FB" (See Note 4)..... | 12.0 |
| GONDOLA | "GA", "GD", "GH", "GS", "GT", "GW" (See Note 2) | 3.0 |
| | "GB" (See Note 2) | 1.2 |
| HOPPER | "HFA", "HK", "HM", "HMA", "HT", "HTA" (See Note 2)..... | 7.6 |
| REFRIGERATOR | "RS"..... | 10.0 |
| | "RB", "RBL"..... | 27.5 <u>1</u> |
| | "RP", "RPL"..... | 24.0 |
| | "RPC"..... | 24.0 |
| STOCK | "SC", "SM"..... | 4.6 |
| SPECIAL | "LO"..... | (see Item 621 and Notes 6, 7 and 8) |
| | "LM"..... | 11.0 |
| | "LP"..... | 3.0 |
| | "LF"..... | 24.0 |
| | "LG"..... | 11.0 |
| | "LU"..... | 28.2 <u>1</u> |
| | "LS"..... | 8.0 |
| "LRC"..... | 10.0 | |
| ALL OTHER FREIGHT CARS | | 1.2 |

EXPLANATION OF NOTES

- Designating symbols (mechanical designations) will be assigned to car owner or lessee by the Secretary, Technical Services, Association of American Railroads, upon written application.
- Mileage allowance named will also apply on cars carrying letters "R" and "S" affixed to the foregoing designating symbols.
- Applicable on cars with inside length of at least 48 feet, 6 inches, but not exceeding 61 feet, 0 inches.
- Applicable on cars with inside length exceeding 61 feet, 0 inches.
- Mileage will be computed as follows:
 - Mileage will be computed on the basis of the shortest distance over the routes of the lines named in this item, based on the freight mileage tables published in tariffs lawfully on file from station of origin at which received from connecting line to destination station or station at which delivered to connecting lines.
 - When the transportation begins and ends, i.e., when a car is both loaded or unloaded within a switching district, no mileage will be allowed. Mileage between an industry or public track and freight station at station of origin or destination will not be allowed.
 - Empty cars will be moved over the NS as provided in Item 615. No allowance will be made for empty movement of such cars.
 - Except as otherwise provided above, the rules, allowances and other provisions of Section 2 of this tariff will apply.
- Norfolk Southern Railway Company will pay twenty-two and one-half (22.5) cents per mile on the following covered hoppers:
SAUX 604, 606-609.
- Norfolk Southern Railway Company will pay the following mileage allowances on the following "LO" covered hoppers:

| CARS | ALLOWANCE (CENTS PER MILE) |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| "ACFX" 46486, 46500 | 28.5 |
| "ACFX" 46488, 46494 | 26.9 |
| "ACFX" 46489, 46493 | 26.0 |
| "ACFX" 46491 | 22.7 |
| "ACFX" 46497 | 29.4 |
| "ACFX" 46504 | 27.7 |
| "ACFX" 46507 | 30.2 |
| "ACFX" 46510 | 25.2 |
| "ACFX" 49165 | 36.9 |
| "PLWX" 23250, 23259, 23270, 23271, 23290, 23298, 23310, 23315, 23318, 23320, 23327 | 22.0 |

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EXPLANATION OF NOTES (Cont'd.)

8. Mileage allowance will not be paid by the Norfolk Southern Railway Company (nor by the Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway or Norfolk Southern Railway Company on all traffic moving via BNSF alternate route between Des Moines, IA on the one hand and Hannibal or St Louis, MO on the other and outlined in Item 1212 Series of Tariff RRRR 6000 Series) on shipments of the following commodities in "LO" covered hopper cars:

| STCC | COMMODITY DESCRIPTION |
|-----------|---|
| 01-13 | Grain |
| 01-144 | Soybeans |
| 01-149-40 | Seeds, Sunflower |
| 20-923 | Soybean cake, flour, grits, meal or other by-products |
| 20-914-41 | Cottonseed meal |
| 20-914-55 | Cottonseed oil foots, sediments or tank bottoms, liquid or solidified |
| 20-914-66 | Cottonseed hulls not pelletized |
| 20-939-14 | Peanut meal |
| 20-939-15 | Linseed (Flaxseed) oil cake or meal |
| 20-939-16 | Sunflower meal |
| 20-939-17 | Peanut oil cake or meal, including crushed or ground cake, or cake screenings |
| 20-939-34 | Guar meal or guar bean meal |
| 20-939-39 | Canola meal |
| 20-939-73 | Peanut hulls |

9. Payment of Mileage allowances are not applicable on RBOX, ABOX and GONX cars.
10. Payment of mileage allowance is not applicable on the following commodities: STCC No. , 01 (X), 10 1(X), 11 (X), 29 914 (X), 49 173 07.
11. Effective with mileage accumulated in April 2004, deductions for amounts of \$100.00 or less shall not be taken by NS after the expiration of two (2) months and ten (10) days from the last day of the month the mileage was earned.
- Effective with mileage accumulated in April 2004, claims for amounts of \$100.00 per car per cycle or less shall not be issued to NS. The \$100 limit is not applicable where no miles were reported for the railroad cycle.

[A]12. Norfolk Southern Railway Company will pay the following mileage allowances on the following "DODX" cars:

| CARS | ALLOWANCE (\$ Per Mile) | TYPES OF CARS |
|----------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| "DODX" 900 – 905 | \$0.50 | CABOOSES |
| "DODX" 20000 – 29499 | \$0.30 | BOX CARS |
| "DODX" 29500 – 29508 | \$1.00 | REFRIGERATED CARS |
| "DODX" 29509 – 29999 | \$0.30 | BOX CARS |
| "DODX" 30000 – 35999 | \$0.50 | DLATCARS VARIED |
| "DODX" 36000 – 36006 | \$1.00 | FLATCARS REFRIGERATED CONTAINERS |
| "DODX" 36007 – 39999 | \$0.50 | FLATCARS VARIED |
| "DODX" 40000 – 40999 | \$0.376 | 68' FLATCARS, CHAIN TIEDOWN @ COFC |
| "DODX" 41000 - 49999 | \$0.30 | FLATCARS, COFC, CHAIN TIEDOWN |

EXPLANATION OF REFERENCE MARKS

1. Applies per actual loaded mile only.
- [A] - Addition.