

Amendment No. 2 to SB0578

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 578*

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by adding the following language as a new section immediately preceding the final section and by renumbering the final section accordingly:

Section __. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-145(a)(3), is amended by adding the following language at the end of the subdivision:

As used in this subdivision, the term "audible" means that the locomotive horn, operating as designed and in accordance with all applicable federal regulations, shall be sounded in a broken pattern consisting of two (2) long sounds, a short sound and a long sound blown from a distance of one thousand five hundred (1,500) feet from a crossing. If a driver on the approach to a crossing does not respond to the warning by horn as defined in the preceding sentence, then the locomotive horn shall be sounded in an emergency warning consisting of a succession of short blasts. The warning set out above in shall be blown continuously until the train fully occupies the crossing.