

ACT No. 88

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:427(A)(4) and (5), relative to the operation of commercial motor vehicles; to provide for willful violations of the operation of commercial motor vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 32:427(A)(4) and (5) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§427. Penalty

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(4) Any employer convicted of knowingly requiring, permitting, or authorizing a driver to operate a commercial motor vehicle in violation of any federal, state, or local law or regulation regarding railroad grade crossings shall be subject to a civil penalty of not more than ten thousand dollars for each occurrence.

(5) Any employer convicted of knowingly requiring, permitting, or authorizing a driver to operate a commercial motor vehicle in the United States during any period in which the driver has a suspended, revoked, or canceled commercial driver's license, has lost the right to operate a commercial motor vehicle, has been disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle, has more than one commercial driver's license, or during a period in which the driver, the commercial motor vehicle, or the motor carrier operation is subject to an out-of-service order

