

duty be permitted to ride on any empty car or trip on any slope, plane, return track or shunt switch when the speed of such car or trip exceeds six miles per hour. No person, other than the driver, trip runners, mine officials or repair men traveling upon emergency duty, shall be permitted to ride on loaded cars at any point. Where the distance from the mouth of the mine to a principal working thereof exceeds three thousand feet, and the employees engaged in such principal working upon one shift exceed ten in number, such employees shall be transported in empty cars to and from the common point nearest to such principal working at the beginning and end of such shift, at a speed not exceeding six miles per hour. Provided, that the Bureau may make special regulations when necessary.

And provided further, that if any operator contends that it is impracticable to furnish such transportation at any particular mine, and if, after investigation and hearing, the Bureau is satisfied that such compliance is impracticable, the Bureau may suspend or modify such requirements and its determination shall be subject to appeal by any party interested to the Circuit Court for the county within which the mine is located.

Locomotives shall carry a bright headlight when in use, and when engaged in main line haulage shall be permitted to push cars only in emergencies and at a speed limited to six miles per hour, in which case the leading car shall bear a signal light. The rear car of any trip shall carry a signal light, and all trips hauled by endless cable shall carry a white light on the leading car. A safety catch or other safety device shall be placed on the rear end of the last car of all trips passing up steep grades or planes. Where cars or trips pass through automatic doors the trip rider shall observe that such doors close, and if they fail to do so, he shall immediately return and close the same. The transportation of tools and materials in and out of the mine shall be under the direction of the mine foreman.

SEC. 94. No person shall travel on foot to or from his work on any slope, plane or haulage road, unless no other roads are provided or available for that purpose, and then only at such times as permitted by the mine foreman. No person except officials and repairmen shall be permitted to travel on slopes or planes while cars are in motion thereon.