

**DRAFTER'S NOTE
FROM THE
LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU**

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Senator George:

I did not find any federal law that appeared to preempt this draft. However, because of the amount of federal law regulating railroads and their operation I recommend that the office of commissioner of railroads review this draft to determine whether this draft may be preempted by federal law. Under s. 192.25 (3) (b), this act will not apply to the extent that it is contrary to or inconsistent with a regulation or order of the Federal Railroad Administration.

The inserted language is taken from the definition of "cab" under 49 CFR 236.714.

Please read this draft closely to ensure that it meets your intent.

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