

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 1137

By: Bice of the Senate

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4 Watson of the House

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6 An Act relating to railroads; amending 66 O.S. 2011,
7 Section 128, which relates to crossing construction
8 requirements; limiting the space where crossing
9 construction is required; updating statutory
10 language; and providing an effective date.

11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

12 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 66 O.S. 2011, Section 128, is
13 amended to read as follows:

14 Section 128. It shall be the duty of every railroad company or
15 corporation doing business, or operating a line of railroad, within
16 this state, to construct a crossing, limited to the space between
17 the tracks and two (2) feet on either side thereof, across that
18 portion of its track, roadbed or right-of-way over which any public
19 highway may run, and maintain ~~the same~~ that crossing unobstructed,
20 and in a good condition for the use of the public~~;~~ and to build and
21 maintain in good condition all bridges and culverts that may be
22 necessary on its right-of-way at such crossing ~~and in case~~. If any
23 railroad company or corporation fails so to construct and maintain
24 said crossing for thirty (30) days after written notice by the road

1 overseer of any road district or the council or board of trustees of
2 any city or town in this state, or fifty petitioners of any city or
3 town who are interested (where such work or repairs are needed), to
4 be given to the section boss, or any station agent of any railroad
5 company or corporation in the county (where such work or repairs are
6 needed) it shall forfeit and pay to ~~said~~ the county, road district,
7 city or town complaining, the sum of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00)
8 per day for every day ~~said~~ the company or corporation may neglect to
9 comply with the requirements of this section.

10 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2018.

11 Passed the Senate the 13th day of March, 2018.

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14 Presiding Officer of the Senate

15 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
16 2018.

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