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APPENDIX B TO PART 213—SCHEDULE OF CIVIL PENALTIES

Section	Violation	Willful Viola- tion 1
Subpart A—General:		
213.4(a) Excepted track ² 213.4(b) Excepted track ² 213.4(c) Excepted track ²	\$2,500	\$5,000
213.4(b) Excepted track ²	2,500	5,000
213.4(c) Excepted track ²	2,500	5,000
213.4(d) Excepted track ²	2,500	5,000
(1) Excepted track	5,000	7,500
(2) Excepted track	7,000	10,000
(3) Excepted track	7,000	10,000
(4) Excepted track	5,000	7,500
213.4(f) Excepted track	2,000	4,000
track	1,000	2,000
213.9 Classes of track: Operating speed limits	2,500	2,500
213.11 Restoration or renewal of track under traffic conditions	2,500	2,500
213.13 Measuring track not under load	1,000	2,000
Subpart B—Roadbed:	0.500	F 000
213.33 Drainage	2,500 1,000	5,000 2,000
Subpart C—Track Geometry:	1,000	2,000
213.53 Gage	5,000	7,500
213.55 Track alinement	5,000	7,500
213.57 Curves; elevation and speed limitations	2,500	5,000
213.59 Elevation of curved track; runoff	2,500	2,500
213.63 Track surface	5,000	7,500
213.65 Combined track alinement and surface deviations	5,000	7,500
213.103 Ballast; general	2,500	5,000
(a) Material used	1,000	2,000
(b) Distribution of ties	2,500	5,000
(c) and (d) Sufficient number of non-defective ties	1,000	2,000
(e) Joint ties	2,500	5,000
(f) Track constructed without crossties	2,500	5,000
213.110 Gage restraint measurement systems	5,000 5,000	7,500 7,500
213.115 Rail end mismatch	2,500	5,000
213.118 Continuous welded rail plan (a) through (e)	5,000	7,500
213.119 Continuous welded rail plan contents (a) through (k)	5,000	7,500
213.121 (a) Rail joints	2,500	5,000
213.121 (b) Rail joints	2,500	5,000
213.121 (c) Rail joints	5,000	7,500
213.121 (d) Rail joints	2,500	5,000
213.121 (e) Rail joints	2,500	5,000
213.121 (f) Rail joints	2,500	5,000
213.121 (g) Rail joints	2,500	5,000
213.121 (ff) Hall Joints	5,000 2,500	7,500 5,000
213.123 Tie plates	1,000	2,000
213.127 Rail Fastening Systems	2,500	5,000
213.133 Turnouts and track crossings, generally	1,000	1,000
213.135 Switches:	,	,
(a) through (g)	2,500	5,000
(h) chipped or worn points	5,000	7,500
213.137 Frogs	2,500	5,000
213.139 Spring rail frogs	2,500	5,000
213.141 Self-guarded frogs	2,500	5,000
213.143 Frog guard rails and guard faces; gage	2,500	5,000
213.205 Derails	2,500	5,000
213.233 Track inspections	2,000	4,000
213.234 Automated inspection of track constructed with concrete crossties	5,000	7,500
213.235 Switches, crossings, transition devices	2,000	4,000
213.237 Inspection of rail	2,500	5,000
213.238 Qualified operator	\$2,500 2,500	\$5,000 5,000
213.241 Inspection records	1,000	1,000
Subpart G—Train operations at track classes 6 and higher:	.,500	.,000

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Section	Violation	Willful Viola- tion 1
213.305 Designation of qualified individuals; general qualifications	1,000	2,000
213.307 Classes of track: operating speed limits	2,500	5.000
213.309 Restoration or renewal of track under traffic conditions	2.500	5,000
213.311 Measuring track not under load	1,000	2.000
213.319 Drainage	2,500	5.000
213.321 Vegetation	1,000	2.000
213.323 Track gage	5,000	7,500
213.327 Track alinement	5,000	7,500
213.329 Curves; elevation and speed limits	2,500	5.000
213.331 Track surface	5.000	7.500
213.332 Combined track alinement and surface deviations	5,000	7,500
213.333 Automated vehicle-based inspection systems	5,000	7,500
213.335 Crossties	3,000	7,500
(a) Material used	1,000	2,000
(b) Distribution of ties	2,500	5,000
(c) Sufficient number of nondefective ties, non-concrete	1,000	2,000
(d) Sufficient number of nondefective concrete ties	1,000	2.000
(e) Joint ties	2,500	5,000
(f) Track constructed without crossties	2,500	5,000
(g) Non-defective ties surrounding defective ties	2.500	5.000
(h) Tie plates	2,500	5.000
(i) Tie plates	1.000	2.000
213.337 Defective rails	5,000	7,500
213.339 Inspection of rail in service	2,500	5.000
213.341 Inspection of new rail	2,500	5,000
213.343 Continuous welded rail (a) through (h)	5,000	7,500
213.345 Vehicle/track system qualification:.	,,,,,,	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
(a) through (d)	5,000	7,500
(e) through (i)	2,500	5,000
213.347 Automotive or railroad crossings at grade	5.000	7,500
213.349 Rail end mismatch	2,500	5,000
213.351 (a) Rail joints	2.500	5,000
213.351 (b) Rail joints	2,500	5.000
213.351 (c) Rail joints	5,000	7.500
213.351 (d) Rail joints	2,500	5,000
213.351 (e) Rail joints	2,500	5.000
213.351 (f) Rail joints	5.000	7.500
213.351 (g) Rail joints	5,000	7,500
213. 352 Torch cut rails	2.500	5.000
213.353 Turnouts, crossovers, transition devices	1,000	2,000
213.355 Frog guard rails and guard faces; gage	2,500	5.000
213.357 Derails	2.500	5.000
213.359 Track stiffness	5,000	7,500
213.361 Right of way	5,000	7.500
213.365 Visual inspections	2,500	5,000
213.367 Special inspections	2,500	5,000
213.369 Inspections records	2.000	4.000

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¹A penalty may be assessed against an individual only for a willful violation. The Administrator reserves the right to assess a penalty of up to \$105,000 for any violation where circumstances warrant. See 49 CFR part 209, appendix A.

²In addition to assessment of penalties for each instance of noncompliance with the requirements identified by this footnote, track segments designated as excepted track that are or become ineligible for such designation by virtue of noncompliance with any of the requirements to which this footnote applies are subject to all other requirements of part 213 until such noncompliance is remedied.