

Railways Amendment Act 2011

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Commencement see section 2

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The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

1 Title

This Act is the Railways Amendment Act 2011.

2 Commencement

This Act comes into force on the day after the date on which it receives the Royal assent.

3 Principal Act amended

This Act amends the Railways Act 2005.

4 Issue of infringement notice

Section 99 is amended by repealing subsections (4) and (5).

5 New section 100 substituted

Section 100 is repealed and the following section substituted:

"100 Contents of infringement notices and reminder notices

- "(1) An infringement notice must contain—
 - "(a) details of the alleged infringement offence that are sufficient fairly to inform a person of the time, place, and nature of the alleged offence; and
 - "(b) in the case of an infringement offence in respect of which a scale of infringement fees is prescribed having regard to the extent of the alleged offence, the extent of the infringement offence alleged; and
 - "(c) the amount of the infringement fee specified in respect of that offence; and
 - "(d) the address of the place at which the infringement fee may be paid; and
 - "(e) the time within which the infringement fee may be paid; and
 - "(f) a summary of the provisions of section 21(10) of the Summary Proceedings Act 1957; and
 - a statement of the right of the person served with the notice to request a hearing; and
 - "(h) a statement of the consequences if the person served with the notice does not pay the infringement fee and does not make a request for a hearing; and
 - "(i) any other particulars that are prescribed.
- "(2) A reminder notice must include the same particulars, or substantially the same particulars, as the infringement notice.
- "(3) If regulations made under this Act prescribe the form of an infringement notice or a reminder notice, the infringement notice or reminder notice must be in that form.
- "(4) Different forms of infringement notices and reminder notices may be prescribed for different kinds of infringement offences."

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Legislative history		
5 July 2011	Divided from Courts and Criminal Matters Bill (Bill 147–2) by committee of the whole House as Bill 147–3P	
7 July 2011 22 July 2011	Third reading Royal assent	

This Act is administered by the Ministry of Transport.