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H.B. No. 2717

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the maximum length of a train.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
4 SECTION 1. Subchapter A, Chapter 112, Transportation Code,
5 is amended by adding Section 112.004 to read as follows:
6 Sec. 112.004. MAXIMUM LENGTH OF TRAIN. A railroad company
7 may not operate or permit to be operated on any part of a rail line
8 in this state a train that is 8,500 feet in length or longer.
9 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.