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Open Date	Ticket	Sub	Question	Answer	Rule Book	Rule No
10/17/2021						
	16112	SELIGM	May a spine car be placed between the lead consist and the DP remote consist (8 RPA) at the rear of train on the Seligman subdivision?	Yes.	SSI	Item 47
	16113	SELIGM	Does the long car/short car restriction apply to multi-platform cars?	The long car/short car restriction does not apply to multi-platform cars except those with individual platforms exceeding 80 feet. (Examples: Twin flat cars and Automax cars).	SSI	Item 47
10/18/2021						
	16117	LAJUNT	Is a local or road switcher exempt from throttle limiting instructions?	No. Be governed by ABTH 106.7 and instructions provided on the work order.	ABTH	106.7
	16118	PHOENI	Where is the verbiage for the position of switch briefing?	SSI Item 43.	SSI	Item 43
	16119	LAMPAS	May a Key Train depart the terminal out of compliance?	No.	SSI	Item 47
	16120	PANHAN	May a residue tank car in group B be positioned next to the DP remote consist?	Yes. Must not be next to occupied engine.	USHMI	VI
10/19/2021						
	16122	SILSBE	Are cars that are attended by a crew	No, as long as equipment is not left unattended.	ABTH	Glossary
			member from the ground required to be secured against undesired movement?	Unattended means cars and/or locomotives left standing and unmanned in such a manner that the brake system of the cars and/or locomotives cannot be readily controlled. The hand brake is considered to be part of the brake system of a car/locomotive.	ABTH	102.1.2

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	16124	CLOVIS	Must all dimensional shipments be placed in a solid block next to the lead locomotive consist?	To provide for close observation enroute, all dimensional shipments must be placed in a block next to the lead locomotive consist or as near the lead locomotive consist as possible. Dimensional shipments, coupled with idler cars weighing less than 45 tons, must be placed in compliance with train make-up rules and placed as close as possible to the lead locomotive consist. On trains destined to or operating in the state of California, and train room permits, dimensional shipments must be no closer than the 6th car or platform from the lead locomotive consist.	SSI	Item 7
	16127	GALLUP	Where must the mid DP consist be cut in on a solid intermodal train operating with one DP remote consist?	A single DP remote consist cut into the train must not have the cut in DP consist further than 10,000 feet from the head end of train (excluding locomotive length). On solid intermodal trains, the DP remote consist must be cut in no closer than 1,000 feet forward of mid train by length, as long as train makeup requirements next to DP remote consist outlined in item 47(A)3 and 4 are met.	SSI	Item 47A
	16131	RIVER	Is the weight of isolated locomotives used when calculating trailing tonnage for train make up requirements?	No. When complying with Special Instructions covering speed and other train restrictions where calculations of train length, tonnage and/or tons per operating brake are involved, the locomotive consist should be excluded unless specifically stated otherwise.	SSI	Item 47
10/20/2021						
	16132	EMPORI	May a train designated as "Extended Haul" pick up car(s) or a solid block of cars en route that have not been pretested by a Qualified Mechanical Inspector?	No. Extended Haul trains can only pick up cars en route that have been pretested/inspected by a Qualified Mechanical Inspector.	ABTH	100.10.1
	16133	STCROI	Must all air hoses be coupled and hand brakes released in a yard track, when a setout is performed and the yard track does not need to be moved?	No. Perform a securement test on cars set out of train.	ABTH	102.1.2
	16134	STCROI	Where are the securement requirements found for securing locomotives in a mechanical facility?	ABTH 102.3.	ABTH	102.3