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OA Claims – Mileage Difference Must Be Applied To Monthly Miles (Corrector)

ESB's who submit "OA" claims for the difference of earnings while working as an ESB compared to the earnings generated by their Conductor turn are also required to apply the difference in chargeable miles to their monthly mileage as per Article 76.01 (7). When you submit an OA claim the Union uses the difference between the chargeable miles you earn as an Engineer and the chargeable miles your Conductor turn earns (if greater) to calculate any miles penalty that must be applied to your monthly mileage.

For example, if you earn a total of 123 chargeable miles as an ESB and your Conductor/Trainman turn makes 423 chargeable miles you would apply a penalty to your monthly mileage of 300 miles (423 miles – 123 miles = 300 miles).

A recent change to CMA allows employees to apply these miles to their monthly miles screen (Screen 15) by adding the difference in miles for the month in the "Penalty" field, press PF5 to update. This field can be updated as often as you require, the final entry of your "monthly mileage difference" must be the total of all such miles for that month.

Article 76.01 (7)

- (7) *If it becomes necessary to withhold a qualified Locomotive Engineer not working as such from their regular position in order to protect work as a Locomotive Engineer for an ad hoc trip, they will be paid not less than the earnings they would have made on their regular position, whether or not they are used. Payments made under the provision of this clause will be used to make up any guarantee to which an employee may be entitled. **Earnings, converted to miles, are chargeable for the purpose of calculating an individual's maximum monthly mileage.***