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HOUSE BILL NO. 1030

92ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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AN ACT

To amend chapter 389, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to injured railroad employees, with a penalty provision.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 389, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 389.798, to read as follows:

3 **389.798. 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law it shall be unlawful for a**
4 **railroad corporation as defined in section 388.010, RSMo, or an employee of such railroad**
5 **corporation to:**

6 **(1) Deny, delay, or interfere with medical treatment or first-aid treatment to an**
7 **employee of a railroad corporation who has been injured during employment; or**

8 **(2) Discipline or threaten discipline to an employee of a railroad corporation who**
9 **has been injured during employment for requesting medical treatment or first-aid**
10 **treatment for such injury.**

11 **2. Any railroad corporation or employee of a railroad corporation who violates the**
12 **provisions of subsection 1 of this section shall be imprisoned for a term of years not to**
13 **exceed two years and fined in an amount not to exceed ten thousand dollars for each**
14 **violation.**