

ARKANSAS SOUTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY

FREIGHT TARIFF ARS 9500-AX (Cancels Freight Tariff ARS 9500-AW)

FUEL SURCHARGE

APPLYING AT ALL POINTS ON THE

Arkansas Southern Railroad Company

APPLICATION

In addition to the local line-haul transportation charge or charges published in ARS tariffs or other ARS publications, the fuel surcharge shown below will be assessed on all traffic other than regulated common carrier traffic subject to the jurisdiction of the STB from or to stations on the ARS.

**7.5% of the line-haul freight charge
Effective May 1, 2009 expiring May 31, 2009**

Surcharge to be paid by the freight payer contained on the Bill of Lading and will be shown as a separate line item on the invoice and will be collected by and accrue solely to the ARS.

NOTICE

THE PROVISIONS PUBLISHED HEREIN WILL, IF EFFECTIVE, NOT RESULT IN AN EFFECT ON THE QUALITY OF THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT.

ISSUED: April 10, 2009

EFFECTIVE: May 1, 2009

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