



CHAPTER 62

ARTICLE 10 - TRANSPORTATION IN GENERAL

N.C.G.S. § 62-208.

Common carriers to settle promptly for cash-on-delivery shipments; penalty.

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Every common carrier which shall fail to make settlement with the consignor of a cash-on-delivery shipment, either by payment of the moneys stipulated to be collected upon the delivery of the articles so shipped or by the return to such consignor of the article so shipped, within 20 days after demand made by the consignor and payment or tender of payment by him of the lawful charges for transportation, shall forfeit and pay to such consignor a penalty of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), where the value of the shipment is twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) or less; and, where the value of the shipment is over twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), a penalty equal to the value of the shipment; the penalty not to exceed fifty dollars (\$50.00) in any case: Provided, no penalty shall be collectible where the shipment, through no act of negligence of the common carrier is burned, stolen or otherwise destroyed: Provided further, that the penalties here named shall be cumulative and shall not be in derogation of any right the consignor may have under any other provision of law to recover of the common carrier damages for the loss of any cash-on-delivery shipment or for negligent delay in handling the same. Provided, however, that this section shall not apply to motor carriers of passengers.

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02	C.S.	s. 3530	RECODIFIED
03	1963	c. 1165, s. 1	AMENDED

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FULL SECTION

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