

BNSF Darling, AZ Derailment Disrupts Intermodal Service to/from CA and AZ

October 15, 2019

At 7:30 a.m. CT, Monday, October 14, 2019, BNSF received a preliminary report that a non-intermodal train derailed near Darling, AZ, blocking both main lines to/from California and Arizona. The estimated time of reopening the first main line is 11:30 a.m. CT, Tuesday, October 15, 2019. The estimated time of reopening the second main line is 10:00 p.m. CT, Tuesday, October 15, 2019. BNSF does not have an alternate route available. As a result, customers should expect delays of 24-72 hours on shipments moving to/from California and Arizona. Due to the severity of this service interruption during domestic peak season, equipment availability may also be temporarily disrupted in some markets.

J.B. Hunt will continue to monitor the situation and provide updates as they become available. Customer service is extremely important to J.B. Hunt, and we apologize for the inconvenience this service interruption has caused. Please contact your J.B. Hunt representative to learn more about the delays and alternative routing options.