ANNUAL REPORT 1977 A C F AMERICAN CORPORATION Date Due: March 31, 1978

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## ANNUAL REPORT TO THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

CORRECT NAME AND ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT THAN SHOWN.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF REPORTING CARRIER (Attach label from front cover on original, copy in full on duplicate)

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## POLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

- 1. Remove the mailing label from the cover and attach the label to the top of page 1 of the report form to be filed. The mailing label should NOT be altered. If the name and address on the mailing label are incorrect, insert your correct name and address in the space provided to the left. The carrier mailing address is the company address where correspondence regarding accounting and reporting matters is to be directed, but not the address of an independent auditor or CPA.
- 2. All persons furnishing cars to railroads or express companies, other than refrigerator car lines owned or controlled by railroad companies, and owning or operating 10 or more cars, are required to file annual report Form C-1. This Form for annual report should be filled out in triplicate and two copies, the original of which must be the copy containing the mailing label, returned to the Interstate Commerce Commission, Bureau of Accounts, Washington, D. C. 20423, by March 31, of the year following that for which the report is made. One copy of the report should be retained by the respondent. Attention is directed to Sections 1(3), 20(6), and 20(7) of Part I of the Interstate Commerce Act.
- 3. The instructions in this Form should be carefully observed, and each question should be answered fully and accurately. If any inquiry does not apply to the respondent, such fact should be about on the inquiry by the words "Not applicable." Where the word "None" truly and completely states the fact, it should be given as the answer to any particular inquiry or any particular portion of any inquiry. Where dates are called for, the month and day should be stated as well as the year. Customary abbreviations may be used in stating dates.
- 4. If it be necessary or desirable to insert additional statements, typewritten or other, in a report, they should be legibly made on durable paper and, wherever practicable, on sheets not larger than a page of the Form. The inserts should be securely bound in the report.
- 5. All entries should be made in a permanent black ink. Those of a contrary and unusual character should be indicated in parentheses. Money items throughout this annual report form should be shown in units of dollars adjusted to accord with footings.
- 6. Throughout this report the respondent means the person or company in whose behalf the report is made; the year means the year ended December 31 for which the report is made; the close of the year means the close of business on December 31 of the year for which the report is made or, in case the report is made for a thorter period than one year, it means the close of the period covered by the report; the beginning of the year means the beginning of business on January 1 of the year for which the report is made or, in case the report is made for a shorter period than one year, it means the beginning of the period covered by the report; the preceding year means the year ended December 31 of the year next preceding the year for which the report is made.
- 7. Annual report form B-1 is prescribed for refrigerator car lines owned or controlled by railroad companies. No report form has been prescribed for persons furnishing cars to railroad and express companies and owning less than 10 cars.
- 8. Should there be doubt as to the reporting of any item or items or parts thereof, or advice is desired relative to the preparation of the report, address an inquiry to the Bureau of Accounts for consideration and decision.

## ALL RESPONDENTS MUST ANSWER QUESTIONS 1 THROUGH 5

Give a brief description of business engaged in by t	che respondent: essor of Railroad Cars	
Give titles, names, and addresses of three to five pr	rincipal officers of the respondent at the close of the year:	
Title	Name	Address
Chairman of the Board	John F. Burditt	750 Third Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017
President	Henry A. Correa	730 Third Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017
Vice President & Treasurer	W. C. Anderson	750 Third Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017
Comptroller	H. Jack Wilson	750 Third Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017

## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR PAGE 3**

- 1. General: Furnish data with respect to privately owned cars used by railroads and express companies engaged in interplace commerce and not such cars used in exclusive plant service. If the respondent does not have records which give the information requested or any part therof, such missing information should be estimated and marked "Est."
- 2. Investment in Cars: "how on his-1 the "book cost" of cars as recorded in the accounts of the company without deduction of any related reserves or other items; included therein should be only units owned (and units leased to others) by respondent.
- 3. Equipment: On line 6 show the total weight in tons of 2,000 pounds. The weight of the equipment acquired should be the empty weight. Show on line 8 the number of cars owned, and on lines 23 and 26 the number of cars leased of record as of the close of the year. Cars shown on line 23, cars leased to others, should be included on line 8. Line 26, cars leased at close of the year from others, does not include short-term rentals. Show on line 9 the cars undergoing and awaiting repairs, and bad order cars in or out of shops awaiting disposition. On line 14, showtotal

load capacity of all cars on line 8. (Do not show tons carried during year). TOFC cars, col. (t), refers to type FC flat cars.

- 4. Mileage, Revenues and Expenses: Show on lines 13, 18, and 19 the miles travelled, revenues received and expenses incurred (revenues and expenses on accrual basis) by cars owned by the respondent during the year, distributed according to type of cars indicated by column headings. If the mileage cannot be distributed separately for loaded and empty cars it should be shown on line 12, and the reason therefore stated in a footnote. If mileage is not available, an estimate should be made on basis of revenue received.
- 5. Employees: On line 27 furnish the average number of employees, the major porton of whose time is assignable to the car and protective service operations. Add the number of such employees on the payroli at the close of the pay period containing the 12th day of each month and divide by 12. Every count should cover not only employees actually on duty during the period of the count, but also employees under pay not on duty.

	Item (a)	Refriger- ator cars	Tank cars		加点	TOFC	Gondola &	Other*	Total
No.			Petroleum (c)	Other (Specify)	Bez cars	cars	hopp cars	cars (h)	(i)
					* •				3,324,991
1.	Investment in cars at close of year	5 ——	- 5	\$ 3,384,991 \$		\$	- 5	, ———	\$2,187,213
2.	Reserve for depreciation			s 2,187,213 s s1,197,778 s		\$	- 5		\$1,197,778
3.	NET TOTAL	\$	\$	S - 127,110 S					
	Inventory of Rolling Stock			264					264
	Number owned at beginning of year			204					_
	Number acquired during the year							/	
6.	Total weight (tons) of units acquired during the year		_	4				CERTIFICATION AND ADDRESS	4
7.	Number retired during the year			260				100000000000000000000000000000000000000	260
8.	TOTAL CARS OWNED AT CLOSE OF YEAR			9					9
9.	Unserviceable cars at close of year		-						
	Miles Made by Cars Owned by Respondent			1,640,887					1,640,887
10.	Loaded			1,705,109		-			1,705,109
11	Empty**			1,703,103		-			-
12.	Not separable	AND THE RESIDENCE OF THE PARTY		3,345,996					3,345,996
13.	TOTAL		-			=			
14.	Aggregate capacity of units reported, in tons of 2,000 pounds			17,010					17,010
	Revenues from Car Service			368,011					368,011
15.	Car mileage basis	s	- s	615,804		- 5	-   5	s	615,804
16.	Car rental basis			- 015,004		-	-		
17.	Other car service basis		_						983.815
18.	TOTAL		- s	- s -983,815 s		- \$	- 5	s ———	605,927
19.	Expenses for car service		-   5	\$ 605,927 \$		- 5	- 5	s	377,888
20.	NET TOTAL—CAR SERVICE	5		= 5 ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		= \$	1	<u> </u>	
	Cars Leased at Close of Year to:		1 1	1 /- 1					/ -
21.	Railroad and express companies			260					260
22.	All others			260					260
23.	TOTAL	-		-					
	Cars Leased at Close of Year from:		X	-			1		141
24.	Railroad and express companies								
25.	All others			-					- 8
26.	TOTAL	NONE				= =====	= =====================================		

<sup>27.</sup> Average number of employees during the year: NUNE

\*Specify the basic types and number of each type owned at close of year: \*Tank cars - Various classes and types used by the food, chemical and

other industries.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Represents an estimate of empty miles for which we have been paid.

NAME- H. Jack Wi	lson TITL	E Comptroller
TELEPHONE NUMBER -	212 (Area code)	986-8600 (Telephone winder)
OFFICE ADDRESS	750 Third Avenue (Street and number)	New York, N.Y. 10017 (City, Stric. and 217 Code)
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	(To Se made by office, having control	of the accounting of the respondent)
State of New York		
County of New York		
H. Jack Wilson	makes oath and	save that he is Comptroller
ACF Amcerica	ne of the arranst)	(insert here the official title of the affant)
he has carefully examined the relate to matters of account, wher statements of fact con	been accurately taken from the said books of tained in the said report are true, and that respondent during the period of time fro	espondent and to control the manner in which such books are kept; that go and belief the entries contained in the said report have, so far as they f account and are it; exact accordance therewith; that he believes that all the said sport is a correct and complete statement of the business and om and including January 1, 1972, to and
	Day Due	H. J. Welson (Signature of affinit)
Subscribed and sworn to b	ciore me, anotary Vullis, in	and for the State and county above named.
this 29 day of	Parch 19 28 My Commission ex	pires March 30, 1978
Place Impression Seal	EDWIN F. MEYER NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York No. 30-7917803 Qualified in Nassau County Certificate tiled in New York County	(Signature of officer authorized to administer caths)
	Commission Expires March 30, 1978	

REMARKS