

ENGROSSED SENATE
BILL NO. 331

BY: LONG (Lewis), TALIAFERRO
and MILES-LaGRANGE of the
SENATE

and

SATTERFIELD of the HOUSE

AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES; REQUIRING CERTAIN
SERVICE STATION OWNERS OR OPERATORS OFFER FULL
SERVICE AT SELF-SERVICE PRICES TO CERTAIN DISABLED
PERSONS; LIMITING FULL SERVICE TO REFUELING
SERVICES ONLY; AUTHORIZING DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC
SAFETY TO PROMULGATE RULES; REQUIRING DEPARTMENT
INFORM PERSONS OF ACT AND RULES WHEN DISABLED
INSIGNIA IS ISSUED; REQUIRING OFFICE OF HANDICAPPED
CONCERNS INFORM SERVICE STATION OWNERS OR OPERATORS
OF ACT AND RULES AND COORDINATE WITH DEPARTMENT TO
INFORM HANDICAPPED PERSONS; PROVIDING FOR
CODIFICATION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 15-111.1 of Title 47, unless
there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. An owner or operator of a service station located in this
state which offers both full service and self service shall offer

full service for gasoline or diesel fuel provided at a self-service price to any physically disabled person who is operating a motor vehicle which displays an insignia indicating physical disability issued pursuant to Section 15-112 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes and which has not expired.

B. Such full service will be limited to refueling services only.

C. The Department of Public Safety may promulgate any rules necessary to implement the provisions of this act. The Department shall provide an explanation of the provisions of this act and any rules promulgated thereto to persons to whom an insignia is issued pursuant to Section 15-112 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes at the time the insignia is issued.

D. The Office of Handicapped Concerns, pursuant to their powers and duties enumerated in Section 9.22 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes, shall inform service station owners or operators of the provisions of this act and any rules promulgated thereto by the Department of Public Safety and shall coordinate with the Department of Public Safety to inform handicapped persons of such provisions and rules.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective September 1, 1991.

Passed the Senate the 13th day of March, 1991.

President of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____, 1991.

Speaker of the House of Representatives

