

SHORT TITLE: Budget limits for the Department of Transportation;
effective date; emergency.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 45th Legislature (1995)

SENATE BILL NO. 218

By: Haney and Hobson of the
Senate

and

Hamilton and Steidley of
the House

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to the Department of Transportation;
requiring budgeting in certain categories and
amounts; authorizing and specifying expenditures of
certain funds; requiring and specifying the
expenditure of certain funds; stating purposes;
authorizing the transfer of certain monies to the
Aeronautics Revolving Fund; stating purposes;
prohibiting use for certain purposes; providing for
duties and compensation of employees; limiting
salary of the Director; providing budgetary
limitations; providing for certain expenditures;
stating purposes; limiting expenditures for certain
purposes; authorizing the use of funds to match
certain federal funds; stating purposes; providing
that funds available to the Department of
Transportation may be used to obtain grants or
federal aid assistance; providing an effective
date; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, the Oklahoma Department of Transportation shall budget all funds in the following categories and amounts:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Total</u>
Administration/Data Processing	\$0.00	\$0.00
State Road and Bridge Programs	0.00	0.00
County Road and Bridge Programs	0.00	0.00
Industrial Access Programs	0.00	0.00
Recreational Access Programs	0.00	0.00
Railway Programs	0.00	0.00
Mass Transit Programs	0.00	0.00
Waterways Programs	0.00	0.00
Aeronautics Programs	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00

SECTION 2. The Department of Transportation is authorized to expend from any monies available in the State Highway Construction and Maintenance Fund an amount not to exceed _____ Dollars (\$0.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary for operational expenses of the urban mass transit and railroad planning branches of the Department, and not less than _____ Dollars (\$0.00) for operational expenses of the Waterways Division of the Department.

SECTION 3. The Department of Transportation shall expend from the funds dedicated to construction not less than _____ Dollars (\$0.00) for the construction of roads to existing industrial sites and roads for economic development purposes, and not less than _____ Dollars (\$0.00) for the construction, maintenance and repair of roads to historical sites and lake access roads.

SECTION 4. The Department of Transportation is authorized to transfer from any monies available in the State Highway Construction and Maintenance Fund to the Aeronautics Revolving Fund the sum of _____ Dollars (\$0.00) for usage by the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission for the repair, construction or extension of airport

runways and facilities, for providing lighting and safety markers at airports and to provide such funds for administration and operating expenses. Such funds shall not be expended for the construction or repair of hangars, fixed base operator facilities or passenger terminal buildings.

SECTION 5. The duties and compensation of employees, not otherwise prescribed by law, necessary to perform the duties imposed upon the Department of Transportation by law shall be set by the Director of the Department of Transportation. The salary of the Director of the Department of Transportation shall not exceed Seventy-three Thousand One Hundred One Dollars (\$73,101.00) per annum, payable monthly for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996. The Department of Transportation, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, shall be subject to the following budgetary limitations on full-time-equivalent employees, except hours coded as overtime wages, and expenditures, except as may be authorized pursuant to the provisions of Section 3603 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes:

<u>Budgetary Limitation</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Full-time-equivalent Employees	3,125.0
Lease-Purchase Agreements	\$0.00

SECTION 6. The Department of Transportation shall expend for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, from any monies available in the Aeronautics Revolving Fund, the amount of _____ Dollars (\$0.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary for administration and operating expenses of the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission required in the enforcement of the Oklahoma Aeronautics Act by law. Said funds may be used by the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission to support aviation educational programs in the State of Oklahoma. The Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission shall not utilize more than Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000.00) for the renting, leasing or chartering of aircraft necessary to enable the Commission to perform the duties imposed upon it by law.

SECTION 7. The Department of Transportation is hereby authorized to use any funds available to the Department to match funds which are advanced under the provisions of Sections 402, 403 and 419, Public Law 93-288, Disaster Relief Act of 1974, to repair, restore, reconstruct or replace public transportation facilities or to remove debris or wreckage from publicly owned facilities. The Department of Transportation shall coordinate with the Oklahoma Department of Civil Emergency Management for expenditure of funds for this purpose.

SECTION 8. All funds available in accordance with law for expenditure by the Department of Transportation may be used and expended in conjunction or cooperation with any federal agency or instrumentality pursuant to such terms and conditions as may be necessary to obtain grants or federal aid assistance in accordance with state law.

SECTION 9. This act shall become effective July 1, 1995.

SECTION 10. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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