

ENROLLED SENATE
BILL NO. 65

By: Campbell and Littlefield of
the Senate

and

Liotta of the House

An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S.
1991, Section 11-604, which relates to turning
movements and required signals; specifying
procedure for executing left turns to enter
driveways and public or private roads; and
declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 1991, Section 11-604, is
amended to read as follows:

Section 11-604. A. No person shall turn a vehicle at an
intersection, a public or private road, or a driveway, unless the
vehicle is in proper position upon the roadway as required in
Section 11-601 of this title, or move right or left upon a roadway
unless and until such movement can be made with reasonable safety.
No person shall so turn any vehicle without giving an appropriate
signal as provided in subsection B of this section, in the event any
other traffic may be affected by such movement.

B. A signal of intention to turn right or left as required by
law shall be given continuously during not less than the last one
hundred (100) feet traveled by the vehicle before turning.

C. No person shall stop or suddenly decrease the speed of a
vehicle without first giving an appropriate signal in the manner
provided in subsection B of this section to the driver of any
vehicle immediately to the rear when there is opportunity to give
such signal.

D. When any person is properly preparing for, attempting or
executing a left turn, as described in subsection A of this section,
no other person operating another vehicle immediately following the
turning vehicle shall pass or attempt to pass the turning vehicle to
the left. Such other person shall come to a complete stop if
necessary at a safe distance behind the person preparing for,
attempting or executing the turn or may proceed to the right of the
turning vehicle as provided by Section 11-304 of this title.

SECTION 2. 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.