

ENGROSSED HOUSE
BILL NO. 1243

By: Hastings and Matlock of the
House

and

Dunlap of the Senate

An Act relating to contracts for certain motor vehicles; requiring certain contracts to contain notice regarding certain materials used in manufactured homes; 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 902 of Title 15, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. As used in this section, "manufactured home" means a structure, transportable in one or more sections, which, in the traveling mode, is eight (8) body feet or more in width or forty (40) body feet or more in length, or, when erected on site, is three hundred twenty (320) or more square feet, and which is built on a permanent chassis and designed to be used as a dwelling with or without a permanent foundation when connected to the required utilities, and includes the plumbing, heating, air conditioning, and electrical systems contained thereon.

B. Each contract for the sale of a manufactured home that contains formaldehyde shall contain the following language in a font at least ten (10) points larger than the typeface in which the other contractual terms are written:

IMPORTANT HEALTH NOTICE

SOME OF THE BUILDING MATERIALS USED IN THIS HOME EMIT FORMALDEHYDE. EYE, NOSE, AND THROAT IRRITATION, HEADACHE, NAUSEA, AND A VARIETY OF ASTHMA-LIKE SYMPTOMS, INCLUDING SHORTNESS OF

(purchaser's address)

(city, state, zip)

(type name of retailer)

(type retailer address)

(city, state, zip)

(type plant, location)

(type name of home manufacturer)

(type identification #(s) of home)

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 1999.

Passed the House of Representatives the 1st day of March, 1999.

Speaker of the House of
Representatives

Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 1999.

President of the Senate