

By: Stipe of the Senate  
and  
Tyler of the House

An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S. 1991 Section 14-107, which relates to size, weight and load; defining term; specifying composition of certain load; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 1991, Section 14-107, is amended to read as follows:

Section 14-107. As used in this chapter:

1. "Axle load" means the total load transmitted to the road by all wheels whose centers are included between two parallel transverse vertical planes forty (40) inches apart, extending across the full width of the vehicle; ~~and~~

2. "Tandem axle" means any two or more consecutive axles whose centers are more than forty (40) inches apart, but not more than ninety-five (95) inches apart; and

3. "Nondivisible" means any load or vehicle exceeding applicable length or weight which, if separated into smaller loads or vehicles, would:

- a. compromise the intended use of the vehicle,
- b. destroy the value of the load or vehicle, or
- c. require more than eight (8) hours to dismantle using appropriate equipment.

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.

Passed the Senate the 22nd day of February, 1999.

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President of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ ,  
1999.

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Speaker of the House of  
Representatives