

ENGROSSED SENATE
JOINT
RESOLUTION NO. 36

By: Herbert of the Senate

and

Nations of the House

[A Joint Resolution relating to railroads - providing
ballot title -

directing filing]

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
2ND SESSION OF THE 48TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

SECTION 1. Pursuant to Section 3 of Article V of the Oklahoma
Constitution, there is hereby ordered the following legislative
referendum which shall be filed with the Secretary of State and
addressed to the Governor of the state, who shall submit the same to
the people for their approval or rejection at the next General
Election.

SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 350 of Title 66, unless there is
created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

As used in the High-Speed Rail of 2002 Act:

1. "High-Speed Rail" shall mean all forms of nonhighway ground
transportation that run on rails or electronic guideways which are:
 - a. reasonably expected to reach a sustained speed of more
than One Hundred twenty-five (125) miles per hour, and
 - b. made available to members of the general public as
passengers, but does not include rapid transit
operations within an urban area that are not connected
to the general rail system of transportation.

SECTION 3. The Ballot Title for the proposed act shall be in
the following form:

BALLOT TITLE

Legislative Referendum No. _____

State Question No. _____

THE GIST OF THE PROPOSITION IS AS FOLLOWS:

This measure defines the term "High-Speed Rail" as used in the "High-Speed Rail of 2002 Act".

SHALL THIS ACT BE APPROVED BY THE PEOPLE?

YES, FOR THE ACT

NO, AGAINST THE ACT

SECTION 4. The President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall, immediately after the passage of this order for legislative referendum, prepare and file in accordance with Section 3 of Article V of the Oklahoma Constitution, one copy of this order for legislative referendum, including the Ballot Title set forth in SECTION 3 hereof, with the Secretary of State and one copy with the Attorney General.

Passed the Senate the 6th day of March, 2002.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
2002.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives