

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 49th Legislature (2004)

HOUSE BILL HB2697:

Ferguson

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending Section 69, Chapter 411, O.S.L. 2003 (47 O.S. Supp. 2003, Section 12-602) which relates to motorcycle headlamps; deleting limitation on number of motorcycle headlamps; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 69, Chapter 411, O.S.L. 2003 (47 O.S. Supp. 2003, Section 12-602), is amended to read as follows:

Section 12-602. A. Every motorcycle shall be equipped with at least one ~~and not more than two headlamps~~ headlamp emitting a white light which shall comply with the applicable requirements and limitations of Section 12-203 of ~~Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes~~ this title and of Sections ~~41~~ 12-224, ~~42~~ 12-225, ~~44~~ 12-227 and ~~45~~ 12-228 of this ~~act~~ title.

B. Every headlamp upon every motorcycle shall be located at a height of not more than fifty-four (54) inches nor less than twenty-two (22) inches to be measured as set forth in subsection B of Section 12-202 of ~~Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes~~ this title.

C. For purposes of this section:

1. "Headlamp" shall not include passing lamp; and
2. "Passing lamp" shall mean an auxiliary front low-beam lamp which emits a white light.

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.

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