

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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SENATE BILL 625

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S. 2001, Section 11-1111, which relates to throwing substance at motor vehicle; prohibiting dropping objects from bridges or overpasses onto highway or road resulting in damage or injury; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2001, Section 11-1111, is amended to read as follows:

Section 11-1111. A. No person shall throw or drop any substance at a moving vehicle or any occupant thereof. ~~A~~

B. No person shall throw or drop any object from a bridge or overpass onto any highway or road resulting in damage to property or injury to any person.

C. Any violation of subsection A or B of this section shall be deemed a felony and, upon conviction, shall be punishable by imprisonment in a ~~state penal institution~~ the State Penitentiary for a term of not more than ten (10) years, or by a fine not exceeding One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2003.

SECTION 3. 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.