

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 51st Legislature (2007)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

4 FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 2117

By: Sullivan

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8 An Act relating to torts; defining term; limiting
9 liability for certain persons providing certain
10 services; stating exception; providing for
11 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 5B of Title 76, unless there is
16 created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 A. For purposes of this section, the term "volunteer" means a
18 person who enters into a service or undertaking of the person's free
19 will without compensation or expectation of compensation in money or
20 other thing of value in order to provide a service, care,
21 assistance, advice, or other benefit where the person does not offer
22 that type of service, care, assistance, advice or other benefit for
23 sale to the public.

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1 B. A volunteer who is providing transportation services as an
2 officer, director, trustee or direct service volunteer of a
3 charitable organization shall not be liable for any act or omission
4 resulting in death, bodily injury or property damage if the officer,
5 director, trustee or direct service volunteer was acting in good
6 faith and in the scope of his or her duties or functions for the
7 charitable organization, unless the act or omission was intentional,
8 willfully and wantonly negligent or with reckless disregard for the
9 safety of others.

10 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2007.

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