

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 SENATE BILL 1771

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7 An Act relating to state government; requiring state-
8 owned fueling stations to purchase certain fuel by
9 certain date; stating exception; requiring certain
10 state agencies to increase fuel economies of their
11 vehicles by certain date by purchasing certain
12 alternative fueled vehicles or converting vehicles;
13 stating requirements; prohibiting lease or purchase
14 of certain vehicles not meeting requirements;
15 providing for codification; and declaring and
16 emergency.

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

18 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
19 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 78e of Title 74, unless there is
20 created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

21 A. No later than July 1, 2009, all state-owned fueling stations
22 shall provide compressed natural gas fuel, provided the cost of such
23 fuel is not higher than ten percent (10%) over the cost of
24 conventional fuel at the time such fuel is purchased.

25 B. A state agency owning or leasing a fleet of at least ten
26 vehicles shall increase the fuel efficiency of such fleet by fifty

1 percent (50%) by June 30, 2012 by purchasing vehicles which utilize
2 compressed natural gas fuel if such vehicles are available or
3 converting engines of existing vehicles to utilize compressed
4 natural gas fuel if such conversion is more economical. Such
5 percentage shall be measured against the estimated fuel economy of
6 the fleet on July 1, 2008. Prior to June 30, 2012, such agency may
7 not purchase or lease replacement or additional vehicles with fuel
8 efficiencies less than the fleet average on July 1, 2008.

9 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
10 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby
11 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
12 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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