

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 SENATE BILL 1934

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to public safety; amending 47 O.S.
8 2001, Section 2-101, which relates to the Department
9 of Public Safety; updating certain agency name; and
10 providing an effective date.

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

12 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2001, Section 2-101, is
13 amended to read as follows:

14 Section 2-101. (a) A department of the government of this
15 state to be known as the "Department of Public Safety" is hereby
16 created, and offices for the Department shall be furnished by the
17 ~~Office of Public Affairs~~ Department of Central Services. The
18 Department of Public Safety shall be under the control and
19 supervision of the Commissioner of Public Safety, which office and
20 position is hereby created.

21 The Commissioner shall have such powers and authority as may be
22 granted by the provisions of the Uniform Vehicle Code or as may
23 otherwise be provided by law.
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1 (b) The Governor shall be the chief officer of the Department
2 of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Safety shall execute
3 the lawful orders of the Governor and shall be responsible to him
4 for the operation and administration of said Department. The
5 Commissioner of Public Safety shall provide personal security and
6 protection, transportation, and communications capabilities for the
7 Governor, the Governor's immediate family, and the Lieutenant
8 Governor. The Commissioner is authorized to provide necessary
9 communications equipment to said persons even if said persons are
10 not on state property or in state vehicles. The Commissioner of
11 Public Safety is hereby authorized to purchase or lease and equip
12 motor vehicles for the use of the Governor and Lieutenant Governor.
13 The purchase or lease price of any such motor vehicles and equipment
14 shall be paid from any appropriation for motor vehicles made to the
15 Department of Public Safety.

16 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2008.

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