

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 53rd Legislature (2011)

3 SENATE BILL 126

By: Barrington

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to railroad crossings; amending 47  
8 O.S. 2001, Section 11-702, as last amended by Section  
9 1, Chapter 302, O.S.L. 2008 (47 O.S. Supp. 2010,  
10 Section 11-702), which relates to commercial motor  
11 vehicles and buses; modifying bus compliance for  
12 railroad crossing; and providing an effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2001, Section 11-702, as  
15 last amended by Section 1, Chapter 302, O.S.L. 2008 (47 O.S. Supp.  
16 2010, Section 11-702), is amended to read as follows:

17 Section 11-702. A. The driver of a bus as defined in Section  
18 1-105 of this title, ~~or any~~ whether the bus is occupied or  
19 unoccupied by passengers, shall not cross a railroad track or tracks  
20 at grade unless the driver stops the bus within fifty (50) feet of,  
21 and not closer than fifteen (15) feet to, the tracks, listens and  
22 looks in each direction along the tracks for an approaching train,  
23 and ascertains that no train is approaching. When it is safe to do  
24 so, the driver may drive the bus across the tracks in a gear that

1 permits the bus to complete the crossing without a change of gears.

2 The driver shall not shift gears while crossing the tracks.

3 B. Any commercial motor vehicle as defined in 49 C.F.R.,  
4 Section 390.5, shall comply with the railroad crossing provisions as  
5 prescribed in 49 C.F.R., Section 392.10.

6 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2011.

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