

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 53rd Legislature (2012)

3 SENATE BILL 1339

By: Branam

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to the Corporation Commission;
8 amending 17 O.S. 2011, Section 134, which relates to
9 telecommunications services; clarifying language; and
10 providing an effective date.

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

12 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 17 O.S. 2011, Section 134, is
13 amended to read as follows:

14 Section 134. Nothing in this act shall prevent the repair,
15 maintenance or reconstruction of existing telephone properties, or
16 the addition of necessary circuits to existing lines, to accommodate
17 an increase in business of the same character. ~~Provided that it~~ It
18 is hereby declared unlawful for any telephone company in building,
19 repairing or maintaining any telephone line to cut down, trim,
20 disturb or injure any shade tree on any public road or highway, or
21 on any parkage on any street in any city or town, without first
22 obtaining the consent of the abutting property owner so to do, and
23 in the maintenance of telephone line it is hereby declared unlawful
24 for any telephone company to construct their lines so that the wires

1 or cables shall injure any such shade trees on such road or highway
2 or on any parkage within any city or town.

3 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2012.

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