

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:

CHAIR:

I move to amend HB2443 _____
Of the printed Bill
Page _____ Section _____ Lines _____
Of the Engrossed Bill

By striking the Title, the Enacting Clause, the entire bill, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following language:

AMEND TITLE TO CONFORM TO AMENDMENTS

Adopted: _____

Amendment submitted by: Wade Rousselot _____

Reading Clerk

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 54th Legislature (2014)

3 PROPOSED COMMITTEE
4 SUBSTITUTE
5 FOR
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 2443

By: Rousselot

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8 PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

9 An Act relating to roads, bridges and ferries;
10 amending 69 O.S. 2011, Section 1600, which relates to
11 cost associated with certain signage; modifying
12 exception to requirement for payment of signage;
13 defining term; designation the Specialist Joshua M.
14 "Bubba" Seals Memorial Bridge; repealing Section 12,
15 Chapter 270, O.S.L. 2013 (69 O.S. Supp. 2013, Section
16 1698.171).

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

18 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 69 O.S. 2011, Section 1600, is amended
19 to read as follows:

20 Section 1600. A. The cost associated with signage related to
21 the naming of highways and bridges on the state highway system shall
22 be paid by the group sponsoring or requesting the sign. The
23 provisions of this section shall not apply to the naming of highways
24 and bridges on the state highway system designed to honor members of
the United States Armed Forces who were killed ~~in action~~ while
participating in contingency operations.

1 B. As used in this section, the term "contingency operation"
2 means a military operation that:

3 1. Is designated by the Secretary of Defense as an operation in
4 which members of the armed forces are or may become involved in
5 military actions, operations or hostilities against an enemy of the
6 United States or against an opposing military force; or

7 2. Results in the call or order to, or retention on, active
8 duty of members of the uniformed services under Section 688,
9 12301(a), 12302, 12304, 12304a, 12305 or 12406 of Title 10 U.S.C.,
10 Chapter 15 of Title 10 U.S.C., Section 712 of Title 14 U.S.C., or
11 any other provision of law during a war or during a national
12 emergency declared by the President or Congress.

13 C. The Department of Transportation shall promulgate rules
14 establishing a procedure to assess and collect the cost of the
15 signs. The assessment of cost shall include the cost of the initial
16 erection of the sign as well as the potential replacement or
17 reconstruction of the sign. The cost of these signs shall be based
18 on an average of the cost of signs erected during the preceding
19 fiscal year, as reported by the Department of Transportation.

20 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
21 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1698.194 of Title 69, unless
22 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

23 The bridge where U.S. Highway 69 crosses the Arkansas River at
24 the Wagoner and Muskogee county line shall be designated as the

1 "Specialist Joshua M. "Bubba" Seals Memorial Bridge". Pursuant to
2 the provisions of Title 69 of the Oklahoma Statutes, the Department
3 of Transportation shall cause suitable permanent markers to be
4 placed upon the bridge bearing that name.

5 SECTION 3. REPEALER Section 12, Chapter 270, O.S.L. 2013
6 (69 O.S. Supp. 2013, Section 1698.171), is hereby repealed.

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