

# An Act

ENROLLED SENATE  
BILL NO. 1551

By: Standridge of the Senate

and

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An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S. 2011, Section 14-109, as amended by Section 1 of Enrolled Senate Bill No. 1369 of the 2nd Session of the 54th Oklahoma Legislature, which relates to single axle load limit; clarifying materials allowed to transport under a special permit; amending 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1133, as last amended by Section 2, Chapter 52, O.S.L. 2013 (47 O.S. Supp. 2013, Section 1133), which relates to vehicle license fees; modifying prohibition on operation of frac tanks, construction machinery, commercial trailers and semitrailers; amending 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1133.2, which relates to commercial vehicles; modifying weight restriction; adding certain passenger and hazardous material requirements; modifying requirement that an interstate motor carrier display the name of the vehicle registrant; deleting certain out-of-state exemption; amending 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1134.1, which relates to taxicabs, buses and motorbuses; clarifying to whom license fees shall be paid; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

SUBJECT: Motor vehicle size, weight and load requirements

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 14-109, as amended by Section 1 of Enrolled Senate Bill No. 1369 of the 2nd Session of the 54th Oklahoma Legislature, is amended to read as follows:

Section 14-109. A. On any road or highway:

1. No single axle weight shall exceed twenty thousand (20,000) pounds; and

2. The total gross weight in pounds imposed thereon by a vehicle or combination of vehicles shall not exceed the value given in the following table corresponding to the distance in feet between the extreme axles of the group measured longitudinally to the nearest foot.

Distance in Feet

Between the Extremes of	Maximum Load in Pounds				
Any Group of 2 or More	Carried on Any Group of 2 or				
Consecutive Axles	More Consecutive Axles				

	2 Axles	3 Axles	4 Axles	5 Axles	6 Axles
4	34,000	-----	-----	-----	-----
5	34,000	-----	-----	-----	-----
6	34,000	-----	-----	-----	-----
7	34,000	-----	-----	-----	-----
8	34,000	42,000	-----	-----	-----
9	39,000	42,500	-----	-----	-----
10	40,000	43,500	-----	-----	-----
11	-----	44,000	-----	-----	-----

12	-----	45,000	50,000	-----	-----
13	-----	45,500	50,500	-----	-----
14	-----	46,500	51,500	-----	-----
15	-----	47,000	52,000	-----	-----
16	-----	48,000	52,500	58,000	-----
17	-----	48,500	53,500	58,500	-----
18	-----	49,500	54,000	59,000	-----
19	-----	50,000	54,500	60,000	-----
20	-----	51,000	55,500	60,500	66,000
21	-----	51,500	56,000	61,000	66,500
22	-----	52,500	56,500	61,500	67,000
23	-----	53,000	57,500	62,500	68,000
24	-----	54,000	58,000	63,000	68,500
25	-----	54,500	58,500	63,500	69,000
26	-----	56,000	59,500	64,000	69,500
27	-----	57,500	60,000	65,000	70,000
28	-----	59,000	60,500	65,500	71,000
29	-----	60,500	61,500	66,000	71,500
30	-----	62,000	62,000	66,500	72,000
31	-----	63,500	63,500	67,000	72,500
32	-----	64,000	64,000	68,000	73,500

33	-----	-----	64,500	68,500	74,000
34	-----	-----	65,000	69,000	74,500
35	-----	-----	66,000	70,000	75,000
36	-----	-----	68,000	70,500	75,500
37	-----	-----	68,000	71,000	76,000
38	-----	-----	69,000	72,000	77,000
39	-----	-----	70,000	72,500	77,500
40	-----	-----	71,000	73,000	78,000
41	-----	-----	72,000	73,500	78,500
42	-----	-----	73,000	74,000	79,000
43	-----	-----	73,280	75,000	80,000
44	-----	-----	73,280	75,500	80,500
45	-----	-----	73,280	76,000	81,000
46	-----	-----	73,280	76,500	81,500
47	-----	-----	73,500	77,500	82,000
48	-----	-----	74,000	78,000	83,000
49	-----	-----	74,500	78,500	83,500
50	-----	-----	75,500	79,000	84,000
51	-----	-----	76,000	80,000	84,500
52	-----	-----	76,500	80,500	85,000
53	-----	-----	77,500	81,000	86,000

54	-----	-----	78,000	81,500	86,500
55	-----	-----	78,500	82,500	87,000
56	-----	-----	79,500	83,000	87,500
57	-----	-----	80,000	83,500	88,000
58	-----	-----	-----	84,000	89,000
59	-----	-----	-----	85,000	89,500
60	-----	-----	-----	85,500	90,000

B. Except as to gross limits, the table in subsection A of this section shall not apply to a truck-tractor and dump semitrailer when used as a combination unit. In no event shall the maximum load in pounds carried by any set of tandem axles exceed thirty-four thousand (34,000) pounds for vehicles exempt from the table; however, any vehicle operating with split tandem axles or tri-axles shall adhere to the table.

C. Special permits may be issued as provided in this title for divisible loads for vehicle configurations in excess of six (6) axles. The permits may not exceed the Table "B" federal weights formula imposed by Title 23, U.S. Code, Section 127. Vehicles moving under the permits shall not traverse H-15 bridges or less without the express approval of the Secretary of Transportation.

D. Except for loads moving under special permits as provided in this title, no department or agency of this state or any county, city, or public entity thereof shall pay for any material that exceeds the legal weight limits moving in interstate or intrastate commerce in excess of the legal load limits of this state.

E. Exceptions to this section will be:

1. Utility or refuse collection vehicles used by counties, cities, or towns or by private companies contracted by counties, cities, or towns if the following conditions are met:

- a. calculation of weight for a utility or refuse collection vehicle shall be "Gross Vehicle Weight". The "Gross Vehicle Weight" of a utility or refuse collection vehicle may not exceed the otherwise applicable weight by more than fifteen percent (15%). The weight on individual axles must not exceed the manufacturer's component rating which includes axle, suspension, wheels, rims, brakes, and tires as shown on the vehicle certification label or tag, and
- b. utility or refuse collection vehicles operated under these exceptions will not be allowed to operate on interstate highways;

2. Vehicles transporting timber, pulpwood, and chips in their natural state, vehicles transporting oil field fluids, oil field equipment, or equipment used in oil and gas well drilling or exploration, and vehicles transporting grain, fertilizer, cottonseed, cotton, livestock, peanuts, canola, sunflowers, soybeans, feed in bulk, any other raw agricultural products, and any other unprocessed agricultural products, if the following conditions are met:

- a. the vehicles are registered for the maximum allowable rate,
- b. the vehicles do not exceed five percent (5%) of the gross limits set forth in subsection A of this section, and
- c. the vehicles operating pursuant to the provisions of this paragraph will not be allowed to operate on the National System of Interstate and Defense Highways;

3. Vehicles transporting rock, sand, gravel, coal, and flour if the following conditions are met:

- a. the vehicles are registered for the maximum allowable rate,

- b. the vehicles do not exceed five percent (5%) of the axle limits set forth in subsection A of this section, and
- c. the vehicles operating pursuant to the provisions of this paragraph will not be allowed to operate on the National System of Interstate and Defense Highways; and

4. A combination of a wrecker or tow vehicle and another vehicle or vehicle combination if:

- a. the service provided by the wrecker or tow vehicle is needed to remove disabled, abandoned, or accident-damaged vehicles, and
- b. the wrecker or tow vehicle is towing the other vehicle or vehicle combination directly to the nearest authorized place of repair, terminal, or vehicle storage facility.

Vehicles operating pursuant to the provisions of this paragraph will not be allowed to operate on the National System of Interstate and Defense Highways.

F. 1. Any vehicle utilizing an auxiliary power or idle reduction technology unit in order to promote reduction of fuel use and emissions because of engine idling shall be allowed an additional four hundred (400) pounds total to the total gross weight limits set by this section.

2. To be eligible for the exception provided in this subsection, the operator of the vehicle must obtain written proof or certification of the weight of the auxiliary power or idle reduction technology unit and be able to demonstrate or certify that the idle reduction technology is fully functional.

3. Written proof or certification of the weight of the auxiliary power or idle reduction technology unit must be available to law enforcement officers if the vehicle is found in violation of applicable weight laws. The additional weight allowed cannot exceed

four hundred (400) pounds or the actual proven or certified weight of the unit, whichever is less.

G. Utility or refuse collection vehicles, vehicles transporting timber, pulpwood, and chips in their natural state, vehicles transporting oil field fluids, oil field equipment or equipment used in oil and gas well drilling or exploration, vehicles transporting rock, sand, gravel, coal, and flour and vehicles transporting grain, fertilizer, cottonseed, cotton, livestock, peanuts, canola, sunflowers, soybeans, feed in bulk, any other raw agricultural products, and any other unprocessed agricultural products, operating under exceptions shall purchase an annual special overload permit from the Corporation Commission for One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00). This fee shall be apportioned as provided for in Section 1104 of this title.

H. For purposes of this section, "utility vehicle" shall mean any truck used by a private utility company, county, city, or town for the purpose of installing or maintaining electric, water, or sewer systems.

SECTION 2. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1133, as last amended by Section 2, Chapter 52, O.S.L. 2013 (47 O.S. Supp. 2013, Section 1133), is amended to read as follows:

Section 1133. A. The following license fees shall be paid annually to the Oklahoma Tax Commission or Corporation Commission, as applicable, upon the registration of the following vehicles:

Except as provided in this subsection, for each commercial vehicle over eight thousand (8,000) pounds as defined in Section 1102 of this title, the license fee shall be based on the combined laden weight of the vehicle or combination of vehicles. The license fees shall be computed and assessed at the following rates:

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| 1. From 8,001 pounds to 15,000 pounds  | \$ 95.00 |
| 2. From 15,001 pounds to 18,000 pounds | 120.00   |
| 3. From 18,001 pounds to 21,000 pounds | 155.00   |
| 4. From 21,001 pounds to 24,000 pounds | 190.00   |

5.	From 24,001 pounds to 27,000 pounds	225.00
6.	From 27,001 pounds to 30,000 pounds	260.00
7.	From 30,001 pounds to 33,000 pounds	295.00
8.	From 33,001 pounds to 36,000 pounds	325.00
9.	From 36,001 pounds to 39,000 pounds	350.00
10.	From 39,001 pounds to 42,000 pounds	375.00
11.	From 42,001 pounds to 45,000 pounds	400.00
12.	From 45,001 pounds to 48,000 pounds	425.00
13.	From 48,001 pounds to 51,000 pounds	450.00
14.	From 51,001 pounds to 54,000 pounds	475.00
15.	From 54,001 pounds to 57,000 pounds	648.00
16.	From 57,001 pounds to 60,000 pounds	681.00
17.	From 60,001 pounds to 63,000 pounds	713.00
18.	From 63,001 pounds to 66,000 pounds	746.00
19.	From 66,001 pounds to 69,000 pounds	778.00
20.	From 69,001 pounds to 72,000 pounds	817.00
21.	From 72,001 pounds to 73,280 pounds	857.00
22.	From 73,281 pounds to 74,000 pounds	870.00
23.	From 74,001 pounds to 75,000 pounds	883.00
24.	From 75,001 pounds to 76,000 pounds	896.00
25.	From 76,001 pounds to 77,000 pounds	909.00

26.	From 77,001 pounds to 78,000 pounds	922.00
27.	From 78,001 pounds to 79,000 pounds	935.00
28.	From 79,001 pounds to 80,000 pounds	948.00
29.	From 80,001 pounds to 81,000 pounds	961.00
30.	From 81,001 pounds to 82,000 pounds	974.00
31.	From 82,001 pounds to 83,000 pounds	987.00
32.	From 83,001 pounds to 84,000 pounds	1000.00
33.	From 84,001 pounds to 85,000 pounds	1013.00
34.	From 85,001 pounds to 86,000 pounds	1026.00
35.	From 86,001 pounds to 87,000 pounds	1039.00
36.	From 87,001 pounds to 88,000 pounds	1052.00
37.	From 88,001 pounds to 89,000 pounds	1065.00
38.	From 89,001 pounds to 90,000 pounds	1078.00

For the purposes of this section, the license fee of a wrecker or tow vehicle shall be based on the gross weight of the wrecker or tow vehicle alone without any inclusion of weight for a vehicle towed by the wrecker or tow vehicle.

B. After the fifth year's registration in this or any other state, the license fee upon any truck registered on a basis of the combined laden weight not in excess of fifteen thousand (15,000) pounds shall be assessed at fifty percent (50%) of the fee computed and assessed for each of the first five (5) years. On the seventh and all subsequent years of registration in this or any other state, on such truck, such license fees shall be assessed and computed at fifty percent (50%) of the amount due on the sixth year's registration. In no event shall such annual license fee on any

truck be less than Ten Dollars (\$10.00) nor shall the annual license fee of any truck-tractor be less than Ninety-five Dollars (\$95.00).

C. In addition to the fees required by subsection A of this section, there shall be paid a registration fee of Forty Dollars (\$40.00) upon the first registration in this state after July 1, 1985, and upon the transfer of ownership of any frac tank, as defined by Section 54 of Title 17 of the Oklahoma Statutes, construction machinery, as defined by Section 1102 of this title, rental trailer, commercial trailer or semitrailer designed to be pulled and usually pulled by a truck or truck-tractor.

Thereafter, a fee of Four Dollars (\$4.00) shall be paid annually for each frac tank, construction machinery, rental trailer, commercial trailer or semitrailer. The fee of Four Dollars (\$4.00) shall be due and payable on January 1 of each year on any frac tank, construction machinery, rental trailer, commercial trailer or semitrailer registered under this section.

Upon the payment of the registration fee of Forty Dollars (\$40.00), a nonexpiring registration certificate and identification plate shall be issued for each frac tank, construction machinery, rental trailer, commercial trailer or semitrailer. The nonexpiring identification plate shall remain displayed on the frac tank, construction machinery, rental trailer, commercial trailer or semitrailer for which the identification plate is issued until such frac tank, construction machinery, trailer or semitrailer is sold or removed from service.

A receipt shall be issued upon the payment of the annual fee. The receipt shall show the total fee paid for one or more frac tanks, construction machinery units, rental trailers, commercial trailers or semitrailers. The receipt shall be retained by the owner of any frac tank, construction machinery, rental trailer, commercial trailer or semitrailer for a period of three (3) years and shall be subject to audit by the Tax Commission or Corporation Commission.

Any frac tank, construction machinery, commercial trailer or semitrailer licensed pursuant to this section shall not be permitted to be operated on the highways of this state when such frac tank, construction machinery, commercial trailer or semitrailer is being

operated by a resident of this state, or is being operated by a person operating a vehicle or vehicles domiciled in this state and required by law to be licensed in Oklahoma, unless the pulling truck or truck-tractor has been licensed pursuant to this section or is twenty-four thousand (24,000) pounds or less and operating under a valid temporary license plate provided by Section 1137.1 or 1137.3 of this title. In no event shall any truck, truck-tractor, frac tank, construction machinery, trailer, or semitrailer used in the furtherance of any commercial enterprise be permitted to operate on the highways of this state or register at a smaller license fee than that prescribed in this section except as provided in this section.

D. For each fiscal year, notwithstanding the provisions of Section 1104 of this title, the first Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$400,000.00) of all monies collected pursuant to subsections A, B and C of this section shall be paid by the Tax Commission to the State Treasurer of the State of Oklahoma who shall deposit same each fiscal year, or such lesser amount as may accrue each fiscal year, under the provisions of this section to the credit of the General Revenue Fund of the State Treasury. All monies collected in excess of Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$400,000.00) each fiscal year shall be apportioned as provided in Section 1104 of this title.

E. If any vehicle is used for a purpose other than that for which it has been registered, the owner of the vehicle shall be required to immediately reregister the vehicle at the appropriate rate. If any vehicle is placed or operated upon any street, road or highway of this state with a laden weight in excess of that for which it is licensed, the license fee for such increased laden weight shall become due, and the owner of the vehicle shall be required to immediately reregister the vehicle at the increased rate. Provided that, in either event there shall be credited upon the increased license fee for such reregistration for any portion of the year or period remaining after the change in use or increase in laden weight shall have occurred a proportionate part of the license fees previously paid. If this reregistration is made voluntarily by the owner, the ratable proportion of the credit allowed shall be determined as of the date the reregistration is voluntarily made. If the reregistration is not voluntarily made but occurs as a result of the discovery by any enforcement officer of an improper operation of the vehicle, that shall be considered prima facie evidence that it has been improperly registered for the entire portion of the year

covered by the improper registration. Provided further that the ratable credit shall be allowed only on the first reregistration of any vehicle during any calendar year. If, during the calendar year, subsequent changes of license plate are desired, the ratable credit shall not be allowed but the owner of the vehicle shall be required to pay the license fee due for that portion of the calendar year remaining without benefit of any additional credits. No owner of a motor vehicle shall possess at any time more than one license plate for any vehicle owned by such person. No reregistration shall be made until the current license plate previously issued has been surrendered.

Any person who has paid a fee under the terms and provisions of this subsection may at any time within one (1) year after the payment of such fee file with the Tax Commission or Corporation Commission a claim under oath for refund stating the grounds therefor. However, the Tax Commission or Corporation Commission shall allow refunds only where the amount of tax paid has been erroneously computed or determined through clerical errors or miscalculations. No refund shall be allowed by the Tax Commission or Corporation Commission of a tax paid by the person where such payment is made through a mistake as to the legal misinterpretation or construction of the provisions of this section. Any refunds made by the Tax Commission or Corporation Commission pursuant to this subsection shall be made out of any monies collected pursuant to this subsection and which have not been apportioned.

F. The annual license fee required by this section is intended to cover only the motor vehicle for which it is issued. The Tax Commission or Corporation Commission upon application, when a licensed truck-tractor has been destroyed by fire or accident, shall credit the unused portion of the annual license fee of the vehicle toward the license fee of a replacement vehicle of equal registered weight. The amount of credit shall not exceed the license fee due on the replacement vehicle. The Tax Commission or Corporation Commission shall not be required to make a refund. If the replacement vehicle is to be registered at a greater weight, the applicant shall pay an additional sum equivalent to the difference between the unused portion of the annual license fee for the original motor vehicle and the license fee due for the replacement motor vehicle.

G. The license fees provided for in this section shall be paid each year whether or not the vehicle is operated on the public highway.

H. Notwithstanding the provision of any other statute in respect to the time for payment of license fees on motor vehicles, if the total amount of the annual license fees due from any resident owner, either individual, partnership, or Oklahoma corporation, upon the registration, on or before January 15 of any year, of commercial trucks, truck-tractors, frac tanks, construction machinery, trailers or semitrailers exceeds the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), the license fees may be paid in equal semiannual installments. The first installment shall be paid at the time of the application for registration of the vehicles and not later than January 15 of each year, and the second installment shall be paid on or before the first day of July of such year.

This subsection shall not operate to reduce the amount of the license fees due. If any installment is not paid on or before the date due, all unpaid installments of license fees for such year on each vehicle shall be deemed delinquent and immediately due and payable, and there shall be added a penalty of twenty-five cents (\$0.25) per day to the balance of the license fee due on each vehicle for each day the balance remains unpaid up to thirty (30) days, after which the penalty due on each vehicle shall be Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00). The penalty for vehicles registered by weight in excess of eight thousand (8,000) pounds shall be an amount equal to the license fee. On and after the thirtieth day each such vehicle involved shall be considered as improperly licensed and as not currently registered, and all of the provisions of the Oklahoma Vehicle License and Registration Act relating to enforcement, including the provisions for the seizure and sale of vehicles not registered and not displaying current license plates, shall apply to the vehicles.

All fees and taxes levied by the Oklahoma Vehicle License and Registration Act shall become and remain a first lien upon the vehicle upon which the fees or taxes are due until paid. The lien shall have priority to all other liens. No title to any vehicle may be transferred until the unpaid balance on the vehicle has been paid in full. Provided that any unpaid balance of the license fees shall remain and become a lien against any and all property of the owner,

both real and personal, for so long as any license tag fee balance shall remain unpaid. Any unpaid balance under these provisions shall be immediately due and payable by the owner if any vehicle is sold, wrecked, or otherwise retired from service.

Any person electing to pay license fees on a semiannual installment basis, as herein authorized, shall be required to purchase a new license tag for the last half and shall pay the sum of Four Dollars (\$4.00) for each tag to cover the costs of the license tags. The license tags for each half shall be plainly marked in designating the half for which they were issued. A validation sticker may be used in lieu of a metal tag where appropriate. Such license tag fee shall be, in addition to the license fees or any other fees, collected on each application as provided by statute and shall be apportioned according to the provisions of Section 1104 of this title.

I. Any person pulling or towing any vehicle intended to be resold, into or through this state, shall pay a fee of Three Dollars (\$3.00) for the vehicle towing and Three Dollars (\$3.00) for the one being towed. It shall be unlawful to operate any series of such units on the public highways of this state at a distance closer than five hundred (500) feet from each other. All fees and taxes levied by the terms and provisions of this section shall become and remain a first lien upon the vehicle upon which the fees or taxes are due until paid. The lien shall be prior, superior, and paramount to all other liens of whatsoever kind or character.

J. In addition to any other penalties prescribed by law, the following penalty shall be imposed by enforcement officers upon any owner or operator of a commercial vehicle registered under the provisions of this section when the laden weight or combined laden weight of such vehicle is found to be in excess of that for which registered. The penalty shall be imposed each and every time a vehicle is found to be in violation of the registered laden weight or combined laden weight.

The penalty shall be not less than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) when such vehicle exceeds the laden weight or combined laden weight by two thousand one (2,001) pounds; thereafter, an additional penalty of not less than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) shall be imposed for each additional one thousand (1,000) pounds or fraction thereof of weight

in excess of the registered laden weight or combined laden weight. Such penalty shall not exceed the amount established by the Corporation Commission pursuant to the provisions of subsection A of Section 1167 of this title. Revenue from such penalties shall be apportioned as provided in Section 1167 of this title.

SECTION 3. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1133.2, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1133.2 A. Every commercial motor vehicle, whether private, contract or for hire, ~~of twenty-six thousand (26,000):~~

1. Of twenty-six thousand one (26,001) pounds or greater weight;

2. Designed to transport more than eight (8) passengers, including the driver, for compensation;

3. Designed to transport more than fifteen (15) passengers, including the driver, not for compensation; or

4. Transporting hazardous materials in a quantity requiring placarding in accordance with 49 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 172, Subpart F,

shall display the name of the vehicle registrant on each side of the vehicle in two-inch letters or greater which shall be legible from a distance of fifty (50) feet. The city or town serving as the registrant's principal place of business or postal address shall be displayed in two-inch letters or greater on each side of the vehicle adjacent to the registrant's name. Provided however, ~~in the instance of an Interstate Motor Carrier the address need not be displayed if the Interstate Commerce Commission number is displayed on the vehicle~~ if the motor carrier holds a valid United States Department of Transportation number, whether for interstate or solely intrastate purposes, the motor carrier's markings shall be in compliance with 49 CFR 390.21.

B. Those not complying with the provisions of this section shall be assessed a fine of not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00). Such penalty shall not exceed the amount established by the Corporation Commission pursuant to the provisions of ~~subsection~~

~~A of~~ Section ~~3~~ 1166 et seq. of this ~~act~~ title. Revenue from such fines shall be apportioned as provided in Section ~~3~~ 1166 et seq. of this ~~act~~ title. Any person in violation of the provisions of this section may be cited by the Oklahoma Highway Patrol, the Corporation Commission, or any county sheriff or municipal law enforcement officer. Any fines collected by a county sheriff or municipal law enforcement officer shall be deposited in the respective county or municipal treasury.

C. After a fine has been assessed pursuant to the provisions of subsection B of this section, the offender shall have ten (10) days to display the name of the registrant on the vehicle as provided in subsection A of this section.

~~D. Out-of-state vehicles which have a base license plate from a state other than Oklahoma shall be exempt from this section unless such vehicle is being utilized in intrastate commerce.~~

~~E.~~ The name on the side of the vehicle may differ from the name on the vehicle registration only if a bona fide legal lease is in the vehicle.

SECTION 4. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1134.1, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1134.1 The following license fees shall be paid annually ~~to the Commission~~ upon the registration of the following vehicles;

1. For each taxicab with a seating capacity of ten (10) or less people, the license fee shall be Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) and paid to the Oklahoma Tax Commission;

2. For each school bus privately owned and used exclusively for transporting school children, the fee shall be based on seating capacity. For each such school bus with a seating capacity of fifteen (15) or less people, the fee shall be Twenty Dollars (\$20.00). For each such school bus with a seating capacity of more than fifteen (15) people, the fee shall be Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) and paid to the Oklahoma Tax Commission;

3. For each intercity motor bus, the fee shall be based on seating capacity and paid to the Corporation Commission. For each intercity motor bus with a seating capacity of eleven (11) or less people, the fee shall be Seven Dollars and fifty cents (\$7.50) per seat. For each intercity motor bus with a seating capacity of over eleven (11) but not more than twenty-three (23) people, the fee shall be Nine Dollars (\$9.00) per seat. For each intercity motor bus with a seating capacity of more than twenty-three (23) people, the fee shall be Ten Dollars (\$10.00) per seat. The seating capacity shall be determined by the number of seats available for passengers where separate seats are used, or by allowing sixteen (16) inches of seating space where separate seats are not used. Provided, that upon all intercity motor buses the license fees provided herein shall after the first year's registration in this or any other state be assessed at eighty percent (80%) of the fee computed and assessed as provided herein; and thereafter shall be assessed at eighty percent (80%) of the previous year's fee so computed for seven (7) successive years, but in no event shall the fee be thus reduced below Ten Dollars (\$10.00). Provided, that the Commission shall issue intercity motor bus registration certificates for motor buses having a seating capacity of not exceeding five (5) seats upon application and payment of necessary fee without further requirements-;

4. For each intracity motor bus, the fee shall be based on seating capacity and paid to the Corporation Commission. For each intracity motor bus having a seating capacity of not to exceed eight (8) people, the fee shall be Forty Dollars (\$40.00). For each intracity motor bus having a seating capacity in excess of eight (8) and not more than fifteen (15) people, the fee shall be Five Dollars (\$5.00) per seat. For each intracity motor bus having a seating capacity in excess of fifteen (15) and not more than twenty-five (25) people, the fee shall be Six Dollars (\$6.00) per seat. For each intracity motor bus having a seating capacity in excess of twenty-five (25) people, the fee shall be Seven Dollars (\$7.00) per seat. Provided that after the first year's registration of any intracity bus in this or any other state, the license fee thereon shall be assessed at eighty percent (80%) of the fee computed and assessed for the first year, and thereafter, the fee shall be assessed and computed at eighty percent (80%) of the previous year's fee, and shall be so computed and assessed for the next seven (7)

consecutive years, after the first year; provided further, that the fee shall not be reduced to less than Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00).

SECTION 5. This act shall become effective July 1, 2014.

SECTION 6. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Passed the Senate the 7th day of May, 2014.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the 10th day of April, 2014.

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Presiding Officer of the House  
of Representatives

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Governor of the State of Oklahoma

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Received by the Office of the Secretary of State this \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M.

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