ENGROSSED HOUSE
BILL NO. 1714

By: Cox, Cleveland and Johnson of the House

and

Shaw of the Senate

An Act relating to boating under the influence of alcohol; amending 47 O.S. 2011, Section 6-205, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 279, O.S.L. 2013 (47 O.S. Supp. 2014, Section 6-205), which relates to the suspension of driver licenses; providing for the revocation of driving privileges under certain circumstances; amending 63 O.S. 2011, Section 4210.8, which relates to the Oklahoma Boating Safety Regulation Act; modifying certain penalty to include driver license revocation; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 6-205, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 279, O.S.L. 2013 (47 O.S. Supp. 2014, Section 6-205), is amended to read as follows:

Section 6-205. A. The Department of Public Safety shall immediately revoke the driving privilege of any person, whether adult or juvenile, upon receiving a record of conviction in any municipal, state or federal court within the United States of any of the following offenses, when such conviction has become final:

1. Manslaughter or negligent homicide resulting from the operation of a motor vehicle;

2. Driving or being in actual physical control of a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol, any other intoxicating substance, or the combined influence of alcohol and any other intoxicating substance, any violation of paragraph 1, 2, 3 ~~or~~, 4 or 5 of subsection A of Section 11-902 of this title or any violation of Section 11-906.4 of this title. However, the Department shall not additionally revoke the driving privileges of the person pursuant to this subsection if the driving privilege of the person has been revoked because of a test result or test refusal pursuant to Section 753 or 754 of this title arising from the same circumstances which resulted in the conviction unless the revocation because of a test result or test refusal is set aside;

3. Any felony during the commission of which a motor vehicle is used;

4. Failure to stop and render aid as required under the laws of this state in the event of a motor vehicle accident resulting in the death or personal injury of another;

5. Perjury or the making of a false affidavit or statement under oath to the Department under the Uniform Vehicle Code or under any other law relating to the ownership or operation of motor vehicles;

6. A misdemeanor or felony conviction for unlawfully possessing, distributing, dispensing, manufacturing, trafficking, cultivating, selling, transferring, attempting or conspiring to possess, distribute, dispense, manufacture, traffic, sell, or transfer of a controlled dangerous substance as defined in the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Act while using a motor vehicle;

7. Failure to pay for gasoline pumped into a vehicle pursuant to Section 1740 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

8. A misdemeanor conviction for a violation of Section 1465 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

9. A misdemeanor conviction for a violation of Section 609 of Title 37 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

10. Failure to obey a traffic control device as provided in Section 11-202 of this title or a stop sign when such failure results in great bodily injury to any other person; ~~or~~

11. Failure to stop or to remain stopped for school bus loading or unloading of children pursuant to Section 11-705 or 11-705.1 of this title; or

12. Operating or being in actual physical control of a vessel while under the influence of alcohol, any other intoxicating substance, or the combined influence of alcohol and any other intoxicating substance as provided in Section 4210.8 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

B. The first license revocation under any provision of this section, except for paragraph 2, 6, 7 ~~or~~, 11 or 12 of subsection A of this section, shall be for a period of one (1) year. Such period shall not be modified.

C. A license revocation under any provision of this section, except for paragraph 2, 6, ~~or~~ 7 or 12 of subsection A of this section, shall be for a period of three (3) years if a prior revocation under this section, except under paragraph 2 of subsection A of this section, commenced within the preceding five-year period as shown by the records of the Department. Such period shall not be modified.

D. The period of license revocation under paragraph 2 or 6 of subsection A of this section shall be governed by the provisions of Section 6-205.1 of this title.

E. The first license revocation under paragraph 7 of subsection A of this section shall be for a period of six (6) months. A second or subsequent license revocation under paragraph 7 of subsection A of this section shall be for a period of one (1) year. Such periods shall not be modified.

F. The first license revocation under paragraph 11 of subsection A of this section shall be for a period of one (1) year. Such period may be modified. Any appeal of the revocation of driving privilege under paragraph 11 of subsection A of this section shall be governed by Section 6-211 of this title, provided any

modification under this subsection shall apply to Class D motor vehicles only.

G. The first license revocation under paragraph 12 of subsection A of this section shall be for a period of thirty (30) days. A second license revocation under paragraph 12 of subsection A of this section shall be for a period of sixty (60) days. A third or subsequent license revocation under paragraph 12 of subsection A of this section shall be for a period of ninety (90) days. Such periods shall not be modified.

H. As used in this section, "great bodily injury" means bodily injury which creates a substantial risk of death or which causes serious, permanent disfigurement or protracted loss or impairment of the function of any bodily member or organ.

SECTION 2. AMENDATORY 63 O.S. 2011, Section 4210.8, is amended to read as follows:

Section 4210.8 A. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate or be in actual physical control of a vessel upon the waters of this state, except privately owned waters, who:

1. Has a blood or breath alcohol concentration of eight-hundredths (0.08) or more at the time of a test of the person's blood or breath;

2. Is under the influence of any other intoxicating substance to a degree which renders such person incapable of safely operating a vessel upon the waters of this state; or

3. Is under the influence of alcohol and any other intoxicating substance to a degree which renders such person incapable of safely operating a vessel upon the waters of this state.

As used in this section, "other intoxicating substance" means any controlled dangerous substance as defined in the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Act or any other substance, other than alcohol, which is capable of being ingested, inhaled, injected or absorbed into the human body and is capable of adversely affecting the central nervous system, vision, hearing or other sensory or motor functions.

B. 1. Any person operating a vessel upon the waters of this state, except privately owned waters, shall be deemed to have given consent to a test or tests of such person's blood, breath, saliva or urine for the purpose of determining the presence and concentration of alcohol or any other intoxicating substance. Such tests shall be performed within two (2) hours of an arrest and in the same manner as provided for in Section 752 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

2. Evidence that the person has refused to submit to a test or tests as required by this section shall be admissible upon the trial of any criminal action or proceeding arising out of acts alleged to have been committed in violation of the provisions of this section.

3. Any person refusing to submit to such test or tests shall be in violation of this section and subject to the fines provided for herein.

C. 1. Any person convicted of a violation of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and fined in an amount not to exceed One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00). Any second or subsequent conviction shall be punishable by a fine in an amount of not less than One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00), nor more than Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($2,500.00).

2. A person arrested by a law enforcement officer for a violation of this section may be allowed to post a cash bail in an amount set by the arresting law enforcement officer not to exceed the maximum fine provided by this section, or deposit a valid license to operate a motor vehicle in exchange for an official receipt issued by the arresting officer as provided for in Section 1111 et seq. of Title 22 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

D. In addition to any penalty imposed pursuant to the provisions of this section, the person shall be subject to the mandatory revocation of driving privileges pursuant to subsection G of Section 6-205 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes, which revocation periods shall not be modified.

SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2015.

Passed the House of Representatives the 2nd day of March, 2015.

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Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

Passed the Senate the ___ day of _____, 2015.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate