

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 56th Legislature (2018)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR

5 HOUSE BILL NO. 3131

By: Murdock

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8 An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S.  
9 2011, Section 151, as last amended by Section 5,  
10 Chapter 268, O.S.L. 2016 (47 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section  
11 151), which relates to state vehicles; modifying  
12 requirements for certain vehicles; and providing an  
13 effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 151, as last  
16 amended by Section 5, Chapter 268, O.S.L. 2016 (47 O.S. Supp. 2017,  
17 Section 151), is amended to read as follows:

18 Section 151. A. A state agency that owns or leases vehicles  
19 shall affix the words "State of Oklahoma" and the name of the  
20 department or institution that owns or leases the vehicle in  
21 conspicuous letters.

22 B. 1. In lieu of the provisions of subsection A of this  
23 section, Department of Public Safety vehicles used regularly as  
24 patrol units shall be distinctively painted black ~~and~~ or white and  
shall bear the wording "Oklahoma Highway Patrol" on each side of the

1 vehicle in letters of such size as to be easily distinguishable, it  
2 being the purpose and intention of the Legislature that said patrol  
3 units shall be marked in the future in the same manner as those now  
4 in use.

5 2. The Commissioner of Public Safety may designate colors and  
6 markings, in lieu of those authorized by the provisions of this  
7 section, for patrol units used for patrol purposes and for selective  
8 traffic law enforcement.

9 C. Oklahoma State Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs  
10 Control vehicles for use in undercover investigations and Oklahoma  
11 State Bureau of Investigation vehicles shall not be subject to the  
12 provisions of this section.

13 D. Department of Corrections vehicles designated for use by  
14 probation and parole operations and other administrative operations,  
15 as approved by the Director of the Department of Corrections, shall  
16 not be subject to the provisions of this section.

17 E. Vehicles utilized by CLEET-certified officers or state  
18 employees primarily employed in investigative activities may be  
19 exempt from the provisions of this section subject to the approval  
20 of the State Fleet Manager.

21 F. Oklahoma Military Department vehicles designated for use by  
22 the Adjutant General or Assistant Adjutant General in performance of  
23 his or her duties and Oklahoma Military Department vehicles  
24 designated for use in the State Transition and Reintegration System

1 (STARS) program for tracking youth, as approved by the Adjutant  
2 General, shall not be subject to the provisions of this section.

3 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2018.

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