

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 3576

By: Martinez

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8 An Act relating to transportation; creating the
9 Oklahoma State Safety Oversight Program; designating
oversight, implementation and enforcement authority;
10 requiring the development and enforcement of certain
standards; authorizing the application for, reception
11 and expenditure of certain funds; providing an
effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

15 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
16 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 4019 of Title 69, unless there
17 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

18 A. There is hereby created the Oklahoma State Safety Oversight
19 Program. Oversight for the program shall be provided by the
20 Oklahoma Department of Transportation. The Department shall develop
21 and enforce the Oklahoma State Safety Oversight Program standards
22 for all private and public rail fixed-guideway public transportation
23 systems statewide that are not administered by the federal Railroad
24 Administration. The Department shall have the complete authority to

1 implement, enforce and oversee the Oklahoma State Safety Oversight
2 Program in accordance with requirements outlined in the 49 CFR,
3 Section 674, as amended.

4 B. The Department is hereby authorized to apply for, receive
5 and expend federal State Safety Oversight Program funds in strict
6 accordance with applicable state and federal law, rules and
7 regulations.

8 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2018.

9 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
10 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
11 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
12 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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