

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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

3 SENATE BILL 1131

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to the Department of Transportation;
8 creating the Oklahoma State Safety Oversight Program;
9 requiring the Department of Transportation to develop
10 and enforce certain program standards; authorizing
11 the Department of Transportation to receive and
12 expend certain funds; providing for codification;
13 providing an effective date; and declaring an
14 emergency.

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

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

17 There is hereby created the Oklahoma State Safety Oversight
18 Program. Oversight for this program will be provided by the
19 Oklahoma Department of Transportation. The Department shall develop
20 and enforce the Oklahoma State Safety Oversight Program Standards
21 for all private and public rail fixed guideway systems statewide
22 that are not administered by the Federal Railroad Administration.
23 The Department shall have the complete authority to implement,
24 enforce and oversee the Oklahoma State Safety Oversight Program in

1 accordance with requirements outlined in the 49 CFR, Section 674 as
2 amended.

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

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

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

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