

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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HOUSE BILL 3207

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An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S. 2011, Section 2-101, as amended by Section 159, Chapter 304, O.S.L. 2012 (47 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 2-101), which relates to the Department of Public Safety; removing requirement to provide security and transportation to Lieutenant Governor; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 2-101, as amended by Section 159, Chapter 304, O.S.L. 2012 (47 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 2-101), is amended to read as follows:

Section 2-101. (a) A department of the government of this state to be known as the "Department of Public Safety" is hereby created, and offices for the Department shall be furnished by the Office of Management and Enterprise Services. The Department of Public Safety shall be under the control and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Safety, which office and position is hereby created.

1 The Commissioner shall have such powers and authority as may be
2 granted by the provisions of the Uniform Vehicle Code or as may
3 otherwise be provided by law.

4 (b) The Governor shall be the chief officer of the Department
5 of Public Safety and the Commissioner of Public Safety shall execute
6 the lawful orders of the Governor and shall be responsible to him
7 for the operation and administration of said Department. The
8 Commissioner of Public Safety shall provide personal security and
9 protection, transportation, and communications capabilities for the
10 Governor, and the Governor's immediate family, ~~and the Lieutenant~~
11 ~~Governor~~. The Commissioner is authorized to provide necessary
12 communications equipment to said persons even if said persons are
13 not on state property or in state vehicles. The Commissioner of
14 Public Safety is hereby authorized to purchase or lease and equip
15 motor vehicles for the use of the Governor ~~and Lieutenant Governor~~.
16 The purchase or lease price of any such motor vehicles and equipment
17 shall be paid from any appropriation for motor vehicles made to the
18 Department of Public Safety.

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