

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
2 BILL NO. 2516

By: West (Tammy) and Ford of
the House

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4 Weaver of the Senate
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8 An Act relating to the Oklahoma Vehicle License and
9 Registration Act; amending 47 O.S. 2011, Section
10 1112, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 208, O.S.L.
11 2018 (47 O.S. Supp. 2018, Section 1112), which
12 relates to motor vehicle registration; permitting the
13 inclusion of information relating to hearing status
14 in the vehicle registration system; requiring the
15 sharing of information relating to hearing or
16 autistic status with law enforcement; and providing
17 an effective date.

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

19 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1112, as
20 amended by Section 1, Chapter 208, O.S.L. 2018 (47 O.S. Supp. 2018,
21 Section 1112), is amended to read as follows:

22 Section 1112. A. Every owner of a vehicle possessing a
23 certificate of title shall, before using the same in this state,
24 make an application for the registration of such vehicle with a
motor license agent. The application shall contain such information
as shall be required by the Oklahoma Tax Commission. Every owner,

1 when making application for registration, shall furnish the
2 following information:

3 1. A full description of the vehicle including the make, model,
4 color, manufacturer's serial or other identification number, any
5 security interest upon the vehicle, an odometer reading of the
6 vehicle when applicable, and the insurance security verification to
7 the vehicle;

8 2. The correct name and address, the name of the city, county
9 and state in which the person in whose name the vehicle is to be
10 registered resides, the driver license number of the owner if the
11 owner has a driver license or the Federal Employers Identification
12 Number of the owner if such owner is not an individual, and such
13 other information as may be prescribed by the Commission; and

14 3. a. The name of the carrier of the owner's insurance
15 policy for such vehicle,

16 b. The policy number of the owner's policy for such
17 vehicle, if available, or the name of the agent or
18 office where the existence of security may be
19 verified, if other than the carrier,

20 c. The effective dates of the owner's policy for such
21 vehicle, and

22 d. A statement of the existence of a nonuse affidavit if
23 filed by the vehicle owner pursuant to the provisions
24 of Section 7-607 of this title.

1 B. Any owner or lessee of a noncommercial vehicle possessing a
2 certificate of title may, at the time of initial application for
3 registration or application for renewal, inform the Tax Commission
4 that the owner, lessee or someone who may be operating the vehicle
5 is deaf, hard-of-hearing or autistic. That information, if
6 provided, shall be available to law enforcement through the Tax
7 Commission's vehicle registration system to assist law enforcement
8 in identifying the operator of the vehicle as possibly being deaf,
9 hard-of-hearing or autistic.

10 C. In every case where a vehicle has been registered upon an
11 application containing any false statement of a fact required in
12 this section to be shown in an application for the registration
13 thereof, the Commission shall give written notice of at least five
14 (5) days to the owner of the vehicle, and shall require the owner to
15 appear before it for the purpose of showing cause why the
16 registration should not be canceled. Unless satisfactory
17 explanation is given by the owner concerning such false statement,
18 the Commission shall cancel the registration. The owner of the
19 vehicle shall then be required to immediately reregister the vehicle
20 and pay the required fees. The owner shall not be entitled to
21 refund or credit for the fees paid for registration of the motor
22 vehicle made under the application which contained any false
23 statement of fact.

D. The Commission shall insert in the application forms appropriate notice to the applicant that any false statement of a fact required to be shown in such application for registration subjects the applicant to prosecution.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

Passed the House of Representatives the 12th day of March, 2019.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 2019.

Presiding Officer of the Senate