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The CS for SB 1008 amends the definition of "excavate" in the Oklahoma Underground Facilities Damage Prevention Act. The measure clarifies that earth moved by tools manipulated only by human or animal power and individuals excavating on his or her property if the work is done in a private or right-of-way is included in the term "excavate." The CS also modifies the requirement for operators to locate and mark or otherwise provide the approximate location of the underground facilities prior to the date work is scheduled to begin.

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