

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 1351

By: Haste of the Senate

3 and

4 Miller of the House

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6 An Act relating to damages to equipment and property
7 of the Department of Transportation; amending 69 O.S.
8 2021, Section 1002, which relates to the compromise
9 of settlement of property damage claims; and
10 providing an effective date.

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

12 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 69 O.S. 2021, Section 1002, is
13 amended to read as follows:

14 Section 1002. The Transportation Commission shall have
15 authority to ~~comprise~~ compromise, settle or litigate claims which it
16 may have against any person, firm or corporation for damages to or
17 loss of property, equipment, or facilities of any kind belonging to
18 the Department of Transportation or over which the Department or the
19 Commission shall have jurisdiction and control for those claims
20 exceeding the amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00). All
21 other claims shall be compromised, settled, or litigated by the
22 Director of the Department or the Director's designee.

23 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2022.
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1 Passed the Senate the 1st day of March, 2022.

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5 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
6 2022.

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