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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
State of Oklahoma

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I move	to amend	HB1422				1		
Page _		Section		Line	es		rinted	
					Of t	the Eng	rossed	Bill
insert	ing in lie	u thereof the fo	ollowing lang	guage	•			
AMEND T	TLE TO CONF	ORM TO AMENDMENTS						
Adopted:			Ameno	dment	submitted	by: Jim	Grego	

Reading Clerk

1	STATE OF OKLAHOMA						
2	1st Session of the 59th Legislature (2023)						
3	PROPOSED COMMITTEE						
4	SUBSTITUTE FOR						
5	HOUSE BILL NO. 1422 By: Grego						
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7	PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE						
8	An Act relating to motor vehicle; amending 47 O.S.						
9	2021, Section 11-406, which relates to farm tractors or implements; allowing certain tractors to operate on certain roadways; and providing an effective date.						
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13	BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:						
14	SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2021, Section 11-406, is						
15	amended to read as follows:						
16	Section 11-406. A. A farm tractor, as defined in Section 1-118						
17	of this title, used for agricultural, commercial or any other lawful						
18	purpose, or any implement of husbandry, as defined in Section 1-125						
19	of this title, except trailers and semitrailers when operated in						
20	accordance with statutory limits or provisions of Section 14-101 of						
21	this title, shall not be permitted to travel upon any highway in						
22	this state which is a part of the National System of Interstate and						
23	Defense Highways. However, the Department of Public Safety shall						
24	have the authority to permit such travel in certain geographic areas						

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of the state as deemed necessary. Such tractor or implement may be operated on any other roadway in this state if the operator has attached all the safety devices required by law and has taken reasonable steps to reduce the width of the tractor or implement as provided for by the manufacturer. Whenever the width of a farm tractor or implement of husbandry exceeds the width of that portion of a roadway on which the tractor or implement is driven, which is marked as a single lane of traffic, or, if the roadway has not been marked for lanes of traffic and the width of the tractor or implement exceeds more than fifty percent (50%) of the width of the roadway, the operator shall move the tractor or implement, as soon as possible, as far to the right-hand side of the roadway as is practicable and safe upon approach of any oncoming or following vehicle and upon approaching the crest of a hill.

B. Upon the immediate approach of a farm tractor or implement of husbandry which cannot be moved by the operator thereof to the far right-hand side of the roadway, as required in subsection A of this section, due to the existence of any bridge or guardrail, sign or any other physical impediment which would not safely allow such tractor or implement to travel on the far right-hand side of the road, the driver of every other vehicle shall yield the right-of-way and shall immediately pull over to the far right-hand side of the road and remain in such position until the tractor or implement has passed.

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C. This section shall not operate to relieve any operator of a
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    farm tractor or implement of husbandry from the duty to drive with
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    due regard for the safety of all persons using the roadway.
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        SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2023.
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