

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 59th Legislature (2024)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR

5 SENATE BILL 1279

By: Paxton

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8 An Act relating to the Department of Public Safety;  
9 authorizing creation and administration of certain  
10 pilot program; making an appropriation; providing for  
11 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 2-140a of Title 47, unless there  
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. The Department of Public Safety shall establish and  
17 administer a pilot program to increase the availability of Advanced  
18 Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement (ARIDE) training. The purpose  
19 of this program is to increase the number of peace officers  
20 qualified to conduct certain drug-impairment screening tests during  
21 impaired driving investigations.

22 B. The Department is authorized to provide funding, administer  
23 the program, and establish grant criteria regarding the  
24 administration of the program.

1       SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of  
2 Public Safety for the purposes of the pilot program established in  
3 Section 1 of this act from any monies not otherwise appropriated  
4 from the General Revenue Fund of the State Treasury for the fiscal  
5 year ending June 30, 2025, the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars  
6 (\$500,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary to perform the  
7 duties imposed upon the Department by law.

8       SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2024.

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