

OKLAHOMA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
COMMITTEE REPORT

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APPROPRIATIONS AND BUDGET EDUCATION SUBCOMMITTEE

**HB4149**

By: Hasenbeck of the House

Title: Strong Readers Act; references; legislative findings; declaring intent of the Legislature; reading screenings; reading deficiencies; parent notifications; State Department of Education; reading panel; alternate reading assessments; promotion to fourth grade; retaining third grade; good-cause exemptions; intensive reading instruction; intensive acceleration class; reporting requirements; teacher training requirements; eighth-grade reading level; driver license; remedial reading for driver licenses; alternative reading proficiency tests; motorcycle licenses; testing site requirements; documentation requirements; out of state test results; school enrollment, completion, or lawful excuse for minors to obtain a driver license; violations; alternate route to obtain driver license; employer fines; attendance officers; Department of Public Safety; license cancellation; definitions; exceptions; forms; effective date; emergency.

Coauthored By:

Recommendation: **DO PASS AS AMENDED BY CS**

Amendments:

1. Committee Substitute Attached



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Chr.  
Representative Chad Caldwell

YEAS: 10

Banning, Caldwell (C), Hasenbeck, Johns, Lowe, McCane, Osburn, Tedford, Waldron, Woolley

NAYS: 0

CONSTITUTIONAL PRIVILEGE: 0