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2 BILL NO. 1753

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

20 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2021, Section 953.1, is  
21 amended to read as follows:

22 Section 953.1. A. The rates established by the Corporation  
23 Commission shall determine the nonconsensual tow maximum fees and  
24 charges for wrecker or towing services performed in this state,

1 including incorporated and unincorporated areas, by a wrecker or  
2 towing service licensed by the Department of Public Safety when that  
3 service appears on the rotation log of the Department or on the  
4 rotation log of any municipality, county or other political  
5 subdivision of this state, and the services performed are at the  
6 request or at the direction of any officer of the Department or of a  
7 municipality, county, or political subdivision. No wrecker or  
8 towing service in the performance of transporting or storing  
9 vehicles or other property towed as a result of a nonconsensual tow  
10 shall charge any fee which exceeds the maximum rates established by  
11 the Commission. Such rates shall be in addition to any other rates,  
12 fees or charges authorized, allowed or required by law and costs to  
13 collect such fees. Any wrecker or towing service is authorized to  
14 collect from the owner, lienholder, agent or insurer accepting  
15 liability for paying the claim for a vehicle or purchasing the  
16 vehicle as a total loss vehicle from the registered owner of any  
17 towed or stored vehicle, the fee required by Section 904 of this  
18 title including environmental remediation fees and services.

19 B. When wrecker or towing services are performed as provided in  
20 subsection A of this section:

21 1. Each performance of a wrecker or towing service shall be  
22 recorded by the operator on a bill or invoice as prescribed by rules  
23 of the Department and by order of the Commission;

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1        2. Nothing herein shall limit the right of an operator who has  
2 provided or caused to be provided wrecker or towing services to  
3 require prepayment, in part or in full, or guarantee of payment of  
4 any charges incurred for providing such services;

5        3. This section shall not be construed to require an operator  
6 to charge a fee for the performance of any wrecker or towing  
7 services; and

8        4. The operator is authorized to collect all lawful fees from  
9 the owner, lienholder or agent or insurer accepting liability for  
10 paying the claim for a vehicle or purchasing the vehicle as a total  
11 loss vehicle from the registered owner of the towed vehicle for the  
12 performance of any and all such services and costs to collect such  
13 fees. An operator shall release the vehicle from storage upon  
14 authorization from the owner, agent or lienholder of the vehicle or,  
15 in the case of a total loss, the insurer accepting liability for  
16 paying the claim for the vehicle or purchasing the vehicle where the  
17 vehicle is to be moved to an insurance pool yard for sale.

18        ~~C. The rates in subsections D through G of this section shall~~  
19 ~~be applicable until superseded by rates established by the~~  
20 ~~Commission.~~

21        ~~D. Distance rates.~~

22        ~~1. Rates in this subsection shall apply to the distance the~~  
23 ~~towed vehicle is transported and shall include services of the~~  
24 ~~operator of the wrecker vehicle. Hourly rates, as provided in~~

1 ~~subsection E of this section, may be applied in lieu of distance~~  
2 ~~rates. Hourly rates may be applied from the time the wrecker~~  
3 ~~vehicle is assigned to the service call until the time it is~~  
4 ~~released from service either upon return to the premises of the~~  
5 ~~wrecker or towing service or upon being assigned to perform another~~  
6 ~~wrecker or towing service, whichever occurs first. When the hourly~~  
7 ~~rate is applied in lieu of distance towing rates, the operator may~~  
8 ~~not apply the two hour minimum prescribed in subsection E of this~~  
9 ~~section nor may hookup or mileage charges, as prescribed in this~~  
10 ~~section, be applied.~~

11 ~~Such distance rates shall be computed via the shortest highway~~  
12 ~~mileage as determined from the latest official Oklahoma Department~~  
13 ~~of Transportation state highway map, except as follows:~~

- 14 ~~a. for distances or portions of distances not~~  
15 ~~specifically provided for in the governing highway~~  
16 ~~map, the actual mileage via the shortest practical~~  
17 ~~route will apply,~~
- 18 ~~b. in computing distances, fractions of a mile will be~~  
19 ~~retained until the final and full mileage is~~  
20 ~~determined, at which time any remaining fraction shall~~  
21 ~~be increased to the next whole mile,~~
- 22 ~~c. when, due to circumstances beyond the control of the~~  
23 ~~wrecker or towing service, roadway conditions make it~~  
24 ~~impractical to travel via the shortest route, distance~~

~~rates shall be computed based on the shortest practical route over which the wrecker vehicle and the vehicle it is towing can be moved, which route shall be noted on the bill or invoice, or~~

~~d. when the wrecker or towing service is performed upon any turnpike or toll road, the turnpike or toll road mileage shall be used to determine the distance rates charged and the turnpike or toll road fees may be added to the bill or invoice.~~

~~2. Maximum distance rates shall be as follows:~~

<del>Weight of Towed Vehicle</del>	<del>Distance</del>	<del>Rate</del>
<del>(In pounds, including</del>	<del>Towed</del>	<del>Per</del>
<del>equipment and lading)</del>		<del>Mile</del>
<del>Single vehicle: 8,000 or less</del>	<del>25 miles or less</del>	<del>\$3.00</del>
<del>Single vehicle: 8,000 or less</del>	<del>Over 25 miles</del>	<del>\$2.50</del>
<del>Single vehicle: 8,001 to 12,000</del>	<del>25 miles or less</del>	<del>\$3.40</del>
<del>Single vehicle: 8,001 to 12,000</del>	<del>Over 25 miles</del>	<del>\$3.00</del>
<del>Single vehicle: 12,001 to 40,000</del>	<del>Any</del>	<del>\$5.75</del>
<del>Single vehicle: 40,000 or over</del>	<del>Any</del>	<del>\$6.75</del>
<del>Combination of vehicles</del>	<del>Any</del>	<del>\$6.75</del>

~~E. Hourly Rates.~~

~~1. Rates in this subsection shall apply for the use of a wrecker vehicle and shall include services of the operator of such wrecker, except as provided in paragraph 4 of this subsection.~~

1 Rates shall apply for all wrecker or towing services performed ~~that~~  
2 ~~are not otherwise provided for in this section, including, but not~~  
3 ~~limited to, waiting and standby time, but shall not include the~~  
4 ~~first fifteen (15) minutes of service following the hookup of a~~  
5 ~~vehicle when a hookup fee is assessed, as provided in subsection F~~  
6 ~~of this section.~~

7 Hourly rates shall apply from the time the vehicle or labor is  
8 assigned to the service call until the time it is released from  
9 service either upon return to the premises of the wrecker or towing  
10 service or upon being assigned to perform another wrecker or towing  
11 service, whichever occurs first. ~~Whenever a wrecker vehicle is used~~  
12 ~~to tow a vehicle subject to distance rates, as provided in~~  
13 ~~subsection D of this section, hourly rates shall apply only for the~~  
14 ~~time such wrecker is used in the performance of services other than~~  
15 ~~transportation, except when such hourly rates are used in lieu of~~  
16 ~~such distance rates.~~ A wrecker or towing service shall maintain  
17 sufficient documentation to establish when the hourly rate begins  
18 and ends. The hourly rates established in this subsection shall be  
19 modified annually based on the year-to-year percentage change of the  
20 Bureau of Labor Statistics Consumer Price Index. The Corporation  
21 Commission shall make the calculation for new hourly rates and  
22 notify all wreckers and towing services eligible to perform  
23 nonconsensual towing services of the new rates. The rate  
24 calculation may be subject to amendment upon application before the

Commission showing good cause that the calculation was made in error. New rates, as calculated by the Commission, shall supersede the hourly rates in this subsection starting on November 1, 2026.

As used in this subsection, rates stated per hour apply for whole hours and, for fractions of an hour, rates stated per fifteen (15) minutes apply for each fifteen (15) minutes or fraction thereof over seven and one-half (7 1/2) minutes. However, if the service subject to an hourly rate is performed in less than two (2) hours, the charge applicable for two (2) hours ~~may~~ shall be assessed, ~~except as provided for in subsection D of this section.~~

2. ~~Maximum hourly rates for wrecker or towing services performed for passenger vehicles, when rates for such services are not otherwise provided for by law,~~ shall be as follows:

<del>Weight of Towed Passenger Vehicle</del>	<del>Rate Per</del>	<del>Rate Per</del>
<del>(In pounds)</del>	<del>Hour</del>	<del>15 Minutes</del>
<del>Single vehicle: 8,000 or less</del>	<del>\$60.00</del>	<del>\$15.00</del>
<del>Single vehicle: 8,001 to 24,000</del>	<del>\$80.00</del>	<del>\$20.00</del>
<del>Single vehicle: 24,001 to 44,000</del>	<del>\$120.00</del>	<del>\$30.00</del>
<del>Single vehicle: 44,001 or over</del>	<del>\$180.00</del>	<del>\$45.00</del>
<del>Combination of vehicles</del>	<del>\$180.00</del>	<del>\$45.00</del>

~~3. Maximum hourly rates for all other wrecker or towing services, when rates for such other services are not otherwise provided for by law, shall be determined based upon the gross vehicle weight rating of each wrecker vehicle used as follows:~~

1	<del>GVWR of Wrecker Vehicle</del>	<del>Rate Per</del>	<del>Rate Per</del>
2	<del>(In pounds)</del>	<del>Hour</del>	<del>15 Minutes</del>
3	<del>8,000 or less</del>	<del>\$60.00</del>	<del>\$15.00</del>
4	<del>8,001 to 24,000</del>	<del>\$80.00</del>	<del>\$20.00</del>
5	<del>24,001 to 44,000</del>	<del>\$120.00</del>	<del>\$30.00</del>
6	<del>44,001 or over</del>	<del>\$180.00</del>	<del>\$45.00</del>
7	<del>Combination wrecker vehicle</del>		
8	<del>with GVWR of 24,000 or over</del>	<del>\$180.00</del>	<del>\$45.00</del>

9       4.    a.    ~~Maximum hourly rates for extra labor shall be Thirty~~  
 10               ~~Dollars (\$30.00) per person per hour.~~

11               b.    ~~Maximum hourly rates for skilled or specialized labor~~  
 12                   ~~and/or equipment shall be the actual customary and~~  
 13                   ~~ordinary rates charged for such labor and/or~~  
 14                   ~~equipment. When skilled or specialized labor or~~  
 15                   ~~equipment is required, the wrecker operator's cost for~~  
 16                   ~~such skilled or specialized labor or equipment plus a~~  
 17                   ~~twenty-five percent (25%) gross profit markup to cover~~  
 18                   ~~overhead costs for such labor will be added to the~~  
 19                   ~~invoice or freight bill to be collected in addition to~~  
 20                   ~~all other applicable charges.~~

21       F.    ~~Hookup Rates.~~

22       1.    ~~Rates in this subsection shall apply to the hookup of a~~  
 23       ~~vehicle to a wrecker vehicle when such hookup is performed in~~  
 24       ~~connection with a wrecker or towing service described in this~~



1 ~~section. Such hookup rate shall include the first fifteen (15)~~  
2 ~~minutes of such service, for which there shall be no additional fee~~  
3 ~~charged, but shall not include the use of a dolly or rollback~~  
4 ~~equipment or a combination wrecker vehicle to accomplish such~~  
5 ~~hookup, for which an additional fee may be charged as provided in~~  
6 ~~subsection G of this section. Hookup shall include, but not be~~  
7 ~~limited to, the attachment of a vehicle to or the loading of a~~  
8 ~~vehicle onto a wrecker vehicle.~~

9 ~~2. Maximum hookup rates shall be as follows:~~

10 ~~Weight of Vehicle Being Hooked Up~~

11 ~~(In pounds, including equipment \_\_\_\_\_ Rate~~

12 ~~and lading)~~

13 ~~Single vehicle: 8,000 or less \_\_\_\_\_ \$65.00~~

14 ~~Single vehicle: 8,001 to 12,000 \_\_\_\_\_ \$75.00~~

15 ~~Single vehicle: 12,001 to 24,000 \_\_\_\_\_ \$85.00~~

16 ~~Single vehicle: 24,001 or over \_\_\_\_\_ \$95.00~~

17 ~~Combination of vehicles \_\_\_\_\_ \$95.00~~

18 ~~G. Additional Service Rates.~~

19 ~~1. Rates in this subsection shall apply to the performance of~~  
20 ~~the following services:~~

21 ~~a. the disconnection and reconnection of a towed~~  
22 ~~vehicle's drive line when necessary to prevent~~  
23 ~~mechanical damage to such vehicle,~~

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- b. ~~the removal and replacement of a towed vehicle's axle when necessary to prevent mechanical damage to such vehicle, or~~
- c. ~~the use of a dolly or rollback equipment when essential to prevent mechanical damage to a towed vehicle or when neither end of such vehicle is capable of being towed safely while in contact with the roadway.~~

~~2. Maximum additional service rates shall be as follows:~~

<del>Weight of Towed</del>	<del>Service Performed</del>		
<del>Vehicle (In pounds,</del>	<del>Disconnect</del>	<del>Reconnect</del>	<del>Use of Dolly</del>
<del>including equipment</del>	<del>Drive Line;</del>	<del>Drive Line;</del>	<del>or Rollback</del>
<del>and lading)</del>	<del>Remove Axle</del>	<del>Replace Axle</del>	<del>Equipment</del>
<del>Rate Per Service Performed</del>			
<del>8,000 or less</del>	<del>\$10.00</del>	<del>\$15.00</del>	<del>\$25.00</del>
<del>8,001 to 12,000</del>	<del>\$15.00</del>	<del>\$20.00</del>	<del>\$30.00</del>
<del>Rate Per 15 Minutes of Service Performed</del>			
<del>12,001 or over</del>	<del>\$20.00</del>	<del>\$20.00</del>	<del>Not applicable</del>

~~H.~~

- a. for vehicles weighing twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds or less, the rate shall be One Hundred Ninety-nine Dollars (\$199.00) for each hour of service, with a two (2) hour minimum; and

1           b.    for vehicles weighing twenty-six thousand one (26,001)  
2                   pounds or more, the rate shall be Two Hundred Ninety-  
3                   nine Dollars (\$299.00) for each hour of service, with  
4                   a two-hour minimum.

5           D.    An operator shall be required to provide reasonable  
6 documentation to substantiate all lawful fees charged the owner,  
7 lienholder, agent or insurer paying the claim for the towed vehicle.  
8 Fees for which the operator is being reimbursed or having paid to a  
9 third party, shall include copies of the invoice or other  
10 appropriate documents to substantiate such payment to said third  
11 party.

12           ~~I. Wrecker fees, including maximum distance, hourly, and hookup~~  
13 ~~rates shall be adjusted weekly by adding a fuel surcharge as~~  
14 ~~provided in this section. The fuel surcharge shall be based on the~~  
15 ~~Department of Energy "weekly retail on-highway diesel prices" for~~  
16 ~~the "Midwest region" using Two Dollars (\$2.00) per gallon as the~~  
17 ~~base price with no fees added. The wrecker fees shall be adjusted~~  
18 ~~to allow a one-percent increase in fees for every ten-cent increase~~  
19 ~~in fuel cost starting at Two Dollars and ten cents (\$2.10) per~~  
20 ~~gallon.~~

21           ~~J.~~ E.    When skilled or specialized labor or equipment is  
22 required, the cost incurred by the wrecker operator for such skilled  
23 or specialized labor or equipment plus an additional twenty-five  
24 percent (25%) gross profit markup or gross profit margin shall be

1 allowed to cover overhead costs for such labor and will be added to  
2 the invoice or freight bill to be collected in addition to all other  
3 applicable charges. This applies to labor and equipment not  
4 regulated by the Commission.

5 ~~K. F.~~ Wrecker operators shall be allowed to obtain ownership  
6 and insurer information, including accident reports and other public  
7 records, from ~~the Oklahoma Tax Commission~~ Service Oklahoma or other  
8 states' motor vehicle agencies or from law enforcement agencies for  
9 the purpose of determining ownership and responsibility for wrecker  
10 fees. In the event a state of origin is not known, the Department  
11 of Public Safety and ~~the Oklahoma Tax Commission~~ Service Oklahoma  
12 shall assist in providing such information. The wrecker operator is  
13 authorized to collect lawful fees for such costs and services from  
14 the owner, lienholder that seeks possession of a vehicle under a  
15 security interest, agent, or insurer accepting liability for paying  
16 the claim for a vehicle or purchasing the vehicle as a total loss  
17 vehicle from the owner of any towed or stored vehicle.

18 SECTION 2. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2021, Section 953.2, as  
19 amended by Section 1, Chapter 316, O.S.L. 2023 (47 O.S. Supp. 2024,  
20 Section 953.2), is amended to read as follows:

21 Section 953.2. A. The rates established by order of the  
22 Corporation Commission shall determine the maximum fees and charges  
23 for the storage and after-hours release of nonconsensual towed  
24 vehicles, including incorporated and unincorporated areas, by a

1 wrecker or towing service licensed by the Department of Public  
2 Safety and repair facilities as defined in Section 953 of Title 15  
3 of the Oklahoma Statutes. No wrecker or towing service or repair  
4 facilities shall charge any fee for nonconsensual towed vehicles and  
5 storage which exceeds the maximum rates established by the  
6 Commission. Such rates shall be in addition to any other rates,  
7 fees or charges authorized, allowed or required by law, including  
8 environmental remediation fees and services.

9 B. 1. Storage or after-hours release of a towed vehicle, or  
10 both, provided by a wrecker or towing service or by a repair  
11 facility shall be recorded by the operator on a bill or invoice as  
12 prescribed by rules of the Department.

13 2. Nothing herein shall limit the right of an operator or  
14 repair facility who has provided or caused to be provided storage or  
15 after-hours release of a towed vehicle, or both, to require  
16 prepayment, in part or in full, or guarantee of payment of any  
17 charges incurred for providing such services.

18 3. This section shall not be construed to require an operator  
19 or repair facility to charge a fee for the storage or after-hours  
20 release, or both, of any towed vehicle.

21 4. The operator or repair facility is authorized to collect all  
22 lawful fees in acceptable forms of payment such as through check,  
23 credit card, automated clearing house transfer, or debit card from  
24 the owner, lienholder or agent of the towed vehicle or insurer

1 accepting liability for paying the claim for a vehicle or purchasing  
2 the vehicle as a total loss vehicle from the registered owner for  
3 the performance of any and all such services. An operator or repair  
4 facility shall make the towed vehicle available for inspection by  
5 the owner, lien holder, agent of the towed vehicle, or insurer  
6 accepting liability for paying the claim for a vehicle and shall  
7 release the vehicle from storage upon authorization from the owner,  
8 agent or lienholder of the vehicle or in the case of a total loss,  
9 the insurer accepting liability for paying the claim for the vehicle  
10 or purchasing the vehicle where the vehicle is to be moved to an  
11 insurance pool yard for sale.

12 C. The rates in subsections D through F of this section shall  
13 be applicable until superseded by rates established by the  
14 Commission.

15 D. Outdoor Storage Rates.

16 1. Rates in this subsection shall apply to the outdoor storage  
17 of a towed vehicle. Rates may be applied from the time the towed  
18 vehicle is brought onto the outdoor storage facility premises.  
19 Rates shall apply to each calendar day of outdoor storage; provided,  
20 the maximum twenty-four-hour fee, as provided for in this section,  
21 may be charged for any towed vehicle which is stored for a portion  
22 of a twenty-four-hour period. The hourly rates established in this  
23 subsection shall be modified annually based on the year-to-year  
24 percentage change of the Bureau of Labor Statistics Consumer Price

1 Index. The Corporation Commission shall make the calculation for  
2 new hourly rates and notify all wreckers and towing services  
3 eligible to perform nonconsensual towing services of the new rates.  
4 The rate calculation may be subject to amendment upon application  
5 before the Commission showing good cause that the calculation was  
6 made in error.

7 2. Maximum outdoor storage rates shall be as follows:

	Rate per Each
	24-hour Period or
Type of Towed Vehicle	Portion Thereof
Single vehicle: motorcycle, automobile,	
or light truck up to 20 feet in length	<del>\$15.00</del> <u>\$23.94</u>
Single vehicle or combination of vehicles	
over 20 feet in length but less than 30	
feet in length	<del>\$20.00</del> <u>\$31.92</u>
Single vehicle or combination of vehicles	
over 30 feet in length and up to 8 feet	
in width	<del>\$25.00</del> <u>\$39.90</u>
Single vehicle or combination of vehicles	
over 30 feet in length and over 8 feet	
in width	<del>\$35.00</del> <u>\$55.86</u>

22 E. Indoor Storage Rates.

23 1. Rates in this subsection shall apply to the indoor storage  
24 of a towed vehicle. Rates may be applied from the time the towed

1 vehicle is brought into the indoor storage facility premises. Rates  
2 shall apply to each calendar day of indoor storage; provided, the  
3 maximum twenty-four-hour fee, as provided for in this section, may  
4 be charged for any towed vehicle which is stored for a portion of a  
5 twenty-four-hour period.

6 2. Maximum indoor storage rates shall be as follows:

Type of Towed Vehicle	Rate per Each 24-hour Period or Portion Thereof
Single vehicle: motorcycle, automobile, or light truck up to 20 feet in length	<del>\$25.00</del> <u>\$39.90</u>
Single vehicle or combination of vehicles over 20 feet in length but less than 30 feet in length	<del>\$30.00</del> <u>\$47.88</u>
Single vehicle or combination of vehicles over 30 feet in length and up to 8 feet in width	<del>\$35.00</del> <u>\$55.86</u>
Single vehicle or combination of vehicles over 30 feet in length and over 8 feet in width	<del>\$45.00</del> <u>\$71.82</u>

21 3. For purposes of this subsection, "indoor storage" means the  
22 vehicle is kept in an enclosed facility.

23 F. After-Hours Release Rate.

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1        1. The rate in this subsection shall apply to the release of a  
2 towed vehicle to the owner, lienholder, or agent when such release  
3 occurs at a time other than normal business hours.

4        2. As used in this subsection:

5            a. "after-hours release rate" shall mean the rate charged  
6                for the release of a towed vehicle between the hours  
7                of midnight and 8:00 a.m., or between the hours of  
8                4:00 p.m. and midnight Monday through Friday, or any  
9                time on Saturday, Sunday or a national holiday, and

10          b. "national holiday" shall mean New Year's Day, Martin  
11                Luther King Day, George Washington's Birthday, on the  
12                third Monday in February, Memorial Day, Independence  
13                Day, Labor Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day and  
14                Christmas Day, and shall further include the Friday  
15                before such national holiday which falls on a Saturday  
16                and the Monday following such national holiday which  
17                falls on a Sunday.

18        3. The maximum after-hours release rate shall be Fifteen  
19 Dollars (\$15.00) per quarter hour for the release of any single  
20 vehicle or combination of vehicles.

21        G. An operator or repair facility shall be required to provide  
22 reasonable documentation to substantiate all lawful fees charged the  
23 owner, lienholder, agent or insurer accepting liability for paying  
24 the claim for the towed vehicle or purchasing the towed vehicle.

1 Fees for which the operator or repair facility is being reimbursed,  
2 or having paid to a third party, shall include copies of the invoice  
3 or other appropriate documents to substantiate the payment to the  
4 third party.

5 SECTION 3. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2021, Section 966, is  
6 amended to read as follows:

7 Section 966. A. This act shall be known and may be cited as  
8 the "Nonconsensual Towing Act of 2011".

9 B. The provisions of this act shall apply to every wrecker  
10 operating within the State of Oklahoma removing and storing vehicles  
11 from Oklahoma roads and highways or private property as a result of  
12 a nonconsensual tow.

13 C. The Corporation Commission, by Commission order, shall have  
14 the power and authority necessary:

15 1. To establish, supervise, and enforce wrecker rates for the  
16 transportation and storage of motor vehicles removed due to a  
17 nonconsensual tow from Oklahoma roads and highways or private  
18 property;

19 2. To supervise and enforce such rates; and

20 3. To mediate and adjudicate complaints that may arise from  
21 charges assessed as a result of such vehicle removal.

22 D. Rates as specified in Sections 953.1 and 953.2 of Title 47  
23 of the Oklahoma Statutes shall remain in effect until rates are  
24 established by order of the Commission.

1 E. Rates established by the Commission shall be fair and  
2 reasonable.

3 F. The Commission may assess fines or other penalties to any  
4 wrecker or towing service for failure to comply with prescribed  
5 rates as established by the Commission, failure to pay a levied  
6 assessment or comply with any applicable order of the Commission.  
7 Repeat violations by a wrecker or towing service are cause for  
8 revocation of its license issued by the Department of Public Safety.

9 G. The Department shall cooperate with the Commission to  
10 implement this act and may enter into agreements to facilitate this  
11 act.

12 H. The Corporation Commission shall review the rates wrecker  
13 and tow services companies may charge for nonconsensual tows and, if  
14 necessary, change the rates, following notice and hearing. This  
15 review shall begin no later than two (2) years following the  
16 implementation of new rates resulting from the prior rate review  
17 case. The Commission shall engage an independent expert witness to  
18 evaluate the rates who shall provide recommendations to the  
19 Commission for rate adjustment by Commission Order. Notice of such  
20 recommendation shall be provided to the Governor, the President Pro  
21 Tempore of the Oklahoma State Senate, and the Speaker of the  
22 Oklahoma House of Representatives. The cost of the expert witness,  
23 as determined by the Commission, shall be added to the assessment of  
24 annual fees found in Section 967 of this title.

SECTION 4. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.

Passed the House of Representatives the 27th day of March, 2025.

Presiding Officer of the House  
of Representatives

Passed the Senate the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate