

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 February 23, 2026

3 SENATE BILL NO. 1595

By: McIntosh, Sacchieri, and
Grellner of the Senate

4 and

5 Hays of the House
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8 An Act relating to motor vehicles; prohibiting
9 certain entities from providing certain
10 recommendations; providing certain cause of civil
11 action for certain violation; prohibiting certain
12 entities from withholding certain grants in certain
13 circumstance; providing certain cause of civil action
14 for certain violation; providing for codification;
15 providing an effective date; and declaring an
16 emergency.

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

18 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
19 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 808.1 of Title 47, unless there
20 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

21 A. 1. No agency, entity, or instrumentality of this state, or
22 entity contracted with such, shall provide specific recommendations
23 in favor of or against a commercial driver training school in this
24 state.

2. A violation of the provisions of paragraph 1 of this
subsection shall be a cause of civil action for the commercial

1 driver training school affected by such violation against the
2 violating agency, entity, or instrumentality, or entity contracted
3 with such.

4 B. 1. No agency, entity, or instrumentality of this state, or
5 entity contracted with such, that administers grants for students of
6 commercial driver training schools in this state shall withhold such
7 grants based on the student's choice of a specific school.

8 2. A violation of the provisions of paragraph 1 of this
9 subsection shall be a cause of civil action for the commercial
10 driver training school or student affected by such violation against
11 the violating agency, entity, or instrumentality, or entity
12 contracted with such.

13 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2026.

14 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
15 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
16 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
17 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

18 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON AERONAUTICS AND TRANSPORTATION
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