

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE BILL 2608

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to uninsured motorists; creating a
8 task force for the study of the risks of uninsured
9 motorists in Oklahoma; providing membership;
10 requiring organizational meeting; providing for
11 quorum requirements; authorizing certain
12 reimbursements; providing for staff assistance;
13 requiring final written reports; providing for the
14 termination of the task force; providing for
15 noncodification; providing an effective date; and
16 declaring an emergency.

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

18 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law not to be
19 codified in the Oklahoma Statutes reads as follows:

20 A. There is hereby created the Task Force for the study of the
21 risks of uninsured motorists in Oklahoma to determine whether
22 greater enforcement measures are necessary.

23 B. The Task Force shall consist of five (5) members as follows:

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- 25 1. The House and Senate authors of this measure;
 - 26 2. The Oklahoma Insurance Commissioner;
 - 27 3. The Commissioner of the Department of Public Safety; and

1 4. A representative of the Motor Vehicle Division of the
2 Oklahoma Tax Commission selected by the Tax Commission.

3 C. The Task Force shall conduct an organizational meeting not
4 later than August 1, 2016. The House and Senate authors of this
5 measure shall serve as the Task Force co-chairs. A majority of the
6 members present at the organizational meeting or any subsequent
7 meeting shall constitute a quorum for the purpose of any action
8 taken including the preparation and approval of the final report
9 required by subsection F of this section.

10 D. The Task Force shall be authorized to meet as necessary in
11 order to perform the duties imposed upon it. Legislative members of
12 the Task Force shall be reimbursed for expenses pursuant to the
13 provisions of Section 456 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes.
14 Other members of the Task Force shall be reimbursed pursuant to the
15 State Travel Reimbursement Act.

16 E. Staff assistance for the Task Force shall be provided by the
17 staff of the Oklahoma House of Representatives and the Oklahoma
18 State Senate.

19 F. The Task Force shall produce a final written report of its
20 findings and any recommendations. The report shall be submitted to
21 the Governor, the Speaker of the Oklahoma House of Representatives
22 and the President Pro Tempore of the Oklahoma State Senate not later
23 than January 1, 2017.

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1 G. The provisions of this section shall cease to have the force
2 and effect of law and the Task Force shall terminate effective
3 January 1, 2017.

4 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2016.

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

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