

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 SENATE BILL 378

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S.
8 2011, Section 230.8, which relates to the reporting
9 of accidents; requiring certain report to be
10 submitted electronically; requiring certain report be
11 submitted to certain agencies; and providing an
12 effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 230.8, is
15 amended to read as follows:

16 Section 230.8. A. Each person involved in an incident or
17 accident during the transportation, loading, unloading, or related
18 storage in any place of a hazardous material subject to the
19 provisions of Oklahoma Motor Carrier Safety and Hazardous Material
20 Transportation Act shall immediately report, by telephone, to the
21 Department if that incident or accident involves:

22 1. ~~a~~ A fatality due to fire, explosion, or exposure to any
23 hazardous material;

24 2. ~~the~~ The hospitalization of any person due to fire,
25 explosion, or exposure to any hazardous material;

1 3. ~~a~~ A continuing danger to life, health, or property at the
2 place of the incident or accident; or

3 4. ~~an~~ An estimated property damage of an amount to be
4 determined by the Commissioner by regulation.

5 B. A written and electronic report shall be submitted by the
6 person to the Department on a form prescribed by the Department, or
7 in lieu thereof, a copy of the written report submitted to the
8 United States Department of Transportation. Each report submitted
9 shall contain the time and date of the incident or accident, a
10 description of any injuries to persons or property, any continuing
11 danger to life at the place of the accident or incident, the
12 identity and classification of the material, and any other pertinent
13 details.

14 C. In the case of an incident or accident involving hazardous
15 materials which is not subject to the Oklahoma Motor Carrier Safety
16 and Hazardous Material Transportation Act but which is subject to
17 Title 46 or Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations, the carrier
18 shall send a copy of the report filed with the United States
19 Department of Transportation to the Department of Public Safety and
20 the Oklahoma Department of Transportation.

21 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

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