

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
2 BILL NO. 1004

By: Faught of the House
and
Boggs of the Senate

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7 An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S.
8 2011, Section 12-201, which relates to lamps and
9 signal devices; modifying certain time requirement
10 for displaying lamps and illuminating devices; and
11 providing an effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 12-201, is
14 amended to read as follows:

15 Section 12-201. A. The United States Department of
16 Transportation specifications and standards for headlamps, auxiliary
17 driving lamps, tail lamps, signal lamps, reflectors, and other
18 lighting equipment and signal devices, pursuant to 49 C.F.R.,
19 Section 571.108, are hereby adopted by the State of Oklahoma.

20 B. Except as otherwise provided in this chapter and subject to
21 exceptions for parked vehicles, every vehicle upon a highway within
22 this state shall properly display all lamps and illuminating devices
23 as required by law:
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1 1. At any time from ~~one-half (1/2) hour after~~ sunset to ~~one-~~
2 ~~half (1/2) hour before~~ sunrise, also referred to in this chapter as
3 nighttime; and

4 2. At any other time when, due to insufficient light or
5 unfavorable atmospheric conditions, persons and vehicles on the
6 highway are not clearly discernible at a distance of one thousand
7 (1,000) feet or less.

8 C. All lamps required by this chapter shall display a steady
9 light except as otherwise prescribed by this chapter. Any required
10 individual lamp may be combined or incorporated with any other
11 required individual lamp if the combined or incorporated lamps meet
12 all of the individual lighting requirements of this chapter for each
13 individual lamp contained therein.

14 D. No lamp, other than a headlamp, displayed on any vehicle
15 shall project a glaring light; provided, every headlamp shall comply
16 with Section ~~12-222~~ 12-203.2 of this title.

17 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2015.

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1 Passed the House of Representatives the 11th day of March, 2015.

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4 Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

5 Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 2015.

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