An Act

ENROLLED SENATE
BILL NO. 354

By: Haste of the Senate

and

Stinson of the House

An Act relating to motor vehicles; requiring motor vehicle rental companies to provide good-faith estimates to customers prior to renting motor vehicles; including information necessary for the good-faith estimate to provide; defining terms; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

SUBJECT: Motor vehicle rentals

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 8-105 of Title 47, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. If a motor vehicle rental company imposes additional mandatory charges, the rental company shall:

1. Provide a good-faith estimate of the total charges for the entire rental, including all additional mandatory charges, whenever a quote is provided to a potential customer. The good-faith estimate may exclude mileage charges and charges for optional items that cannot be determined prior to completing a rental reservation based on the information provided by the potential customer; and

2. Disclose in the rental contract provided to the renter the total charges for the entire rental, including all additional

mandatory charges. Total charges for the entire rental do not include any charges that cannot be determined at the time the rental commences.

B. As used in this section:

1. "Additional mandatory charge" means any separately stated charges that a motor vehicle rental company requires a renter to pay that specifically relate to the operation of a rental vehicle. Additional mandatory charge includes, but is not limited to, a customer facility charge, airport concession recovery fee, road safety program fee, vehicle license recovery fee, or any government imposed taxes or fees;

2. "Motor vehicle" means the same as set forth in Section 562 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

3. "Motor vehicle rental agreement" means an agreement for the rental of a motor vehicle for transportation purposes, for a period no more than ninety (90) days, in return for a fee that is calculated on a daily, weekly, or monthly basis;

4. "Motor vehicle rental company" means an entity that is in the business of renting, pursuant to motor vehicle rental agreements;

5. "Quote" means an estimated cost of rental provided by a motor vehicle rental company to a potential customer based on information provided by the customer, including potential dates of rental, location, or class of vehicle; and

6. "Vehicle license recovery fee" means a charge to recover costs incurred by a motor vehicle rental company to license, title, register, plate, or inspect a rental vehicle.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2023.

Passed the Senate the 20th day of February, 2023.

Brent Howard
Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the 26th day of April, 2023.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Received by the Office of the Governor this 1st

day of May, 20 23, at 2:13 o'clock p. M.

By: [signature]

Approved by the Governor of the State of Oklahoma this 5th

day of May, 20 23, at 10:36 o'clock a. M.

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Governor of the State of Oklahoma

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Received by the Office of the Secretary of State this 5th

day of May, 20 23, at 11:50 o'clock A. M.

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