1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA 2 1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021) 3 HOUSE BILL 2373 By: Davis 4 5 AS INTRODUCED 6 An Act relating to public health and safety; 7 directing the Department of Public Safety to develop, print and distribute carbon monoxide warning decals and related instructions; directing the Department to 8 distribute decals and related instructions to the 9 Oklahoma Tax Commission; requiring the Department to provide decals and related instructions to the public 10 free of charge; directing the Oklahoma Tax Commission to mail decals and instructions under certain circumstances; requiring warning decals on new and 11 used motors and vessels sold in the state; directing 12 new and used motor and vessel dealers to ensure decals have been affixed to motors and vessels; 1.3 recognizing decals developed by manufacturers and approved by the Department of Public Safety; allowing 14 owners of motors and vessels to request decals; providing for codification; and providing an 15 effective date. 16 17 18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA: 19 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified 20 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 4223 of Title 63, unless there 21 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows: 22 The Department of Public Safety shall: Α. 23 Develop, print and distribute carbon monoxide warning decals 1. 24

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that have been approved by the United States Coast Guard;

2. Develop, print and distribute instructions for affixing the carbon monoxide warning decals on motors and vessels;

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- 3. Provide carbon monoxide warning decals and related instructions to the Oklahoma Tax Commission to be distributed by the Commission upon approval and issuance of an original certificate of title for a motor or vessel or whenever a certificate of title for a motor or vessel is transferred; and
- 4. Provide, free of charge and upon request by the public, carbon monoxide warning decals and related instructions.
- B. Upon approving and issuing an original certificate of title for a motor or vessel or when approving a request to transfer a certificate of title, the Oklahoma Tax Commission shall mail with the certificate of title a carbon monoxide warning decal and related instructions.
- C. A new or used motor or vessel, as defined in Section 4002 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes, other than personal watercraft, as defined in Section 4201 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes, sold within this state shall display a carbon monoxide warning decal.
- D. A new or used motor or vessel dealer shall ensure that a carbon monoxide warning decal has been affixed to any motor or vessel sold by the dealer before completing the sale of said motor or vessel.

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- E. A carbon monoxide warning decal previously developed by a manufacturer of motors or vessels satisfies the requirements of this section if the decal has been approved by the Department of Public Safety.
- F. If a carbon monoxide warning decal has not previously been affixed to a motor or vessel by the manufacturer or dealer, the owner of a motor or vessel may request a carbon monoxide warning decal from the Department of Public Safety and affix the decal pursuant to the instructions provided by the Department.

10 | SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2021.

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