

**BILL SUMMARY**  
1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 58<sup>th</sup> Legislature

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>SB 1</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>\$0</b>

**Research Analysis**

Engrossed SB1 adds the name Sergeant Craig Johnson to the Oklahoma Scrap Metal Dealers Act. The measure clarifies the data required to be maintained by a scrap metal dealer. Any federally recognized identification card may be used, and a vehicle identification number must be recorded if no license plate is affixed. The measure also requires a digital image of the items purchased and of the seller. Records must be maintained for no less than two years from the date of the transaction. The bill removes separate requirements for recording data about purchases of scrap metal under 35 pounds and of purchases 35 pounds and over.

Requirements that a seller prove their ownership of a used motor vehicle, trailer or recreational vehicle when selling to a scrap metal dealer are clarified. The person selling must provide either a certificate of title, a notarized power of attorney from the individual on the title authorizing the seller to dispose of the vehicle on their behalf, or a statement of ownership from the seller accompanied by a bill of sale from the lawful owner.

Finally, SB1 places any copper wire that is four gauge or larger and any copper wire from which the insulation or coating has been burned or melted, as well as remote storage batteries, under the provisions of the Scrap Metal Dealers Act.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

SB 1 is an almost identical measure to HB 1001 dealing with scrap metal regulation. Officials at the Department of Agriculture, Food and Forestry do not believe the measure, including the differences from HB 1001, will create any fiscal impact for the Department. Therefore, there should be no fiscal for the State.

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**Other Considerations**

None.