1	ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 991 By: Green and Stephens of the
2	Senate
3	and
4	Hilbert of the House
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7	An Act relating to schools; amending 70 O.S. 2021, Section 14-108.2, which relates to agricultural
8	education programs; directing the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education to determine grade
9	levels to be offered the programs; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.
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12	BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:
13	SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2021, Section 14-108.2, is
14	amended to read as follows:
15	Section 14-108.2. A. Agricultural education programs are
16	designed for junior high and high school grades eight through
17	twelve, and shall be provided by comprehensive school districts.
18	The Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education shall
19	determine the grade levels that may be offered agricultural
20	education programs. Technology center school districts shall be
21	prohibited from operating agricultural education programs or FFA
22	chapters in any location.
23	B. Each student enrolled in an agricultural education program
24	shall participate in a supervised agricultural experience project.

1	C. For each agricultural education program which is funded by
2	the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education, the
3	local school district shall provide transportation services for
4	agricultural-education-program- and FFA-program-related duties and
5	activities.
6	SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2024.
7	SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
8	of the public peace, health, or safety, an emergency is hereby
9	declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
10	be in full force from and after its passage and approval.
11	Passed the Senate the 12th day of March, 2024.
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13	Presiding Officer of the Senate
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15	Passed the House of Representatives the day of,
16	2024.
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