

1 ENGROSSED SENATE  
BILL NO. 401

By: Frix of the Senate

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6 An Act relating to road construction; prohibiting  
7 liability of traffic control contractors and  
8 subcontractors under certain circumstances; providing  
9 for codification; and providing an effective date.

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

11 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
12 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1239 of Title 69, unless there  
13 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

14 A traffic control contractor or subcontractor who provides  
15 traffic control services to the Department of Transportation shall  
16 not be liable to a claimant for personal injury, property damage, or  
17 death arising from the performance of the traffic control services  
18 if, at the time of the personal injury, property damage, or death,  
19 the traffic control contractor or subcontractor is in compliance  
20 with all applicable safety regulations provided by the Department  
21 related to the condition or defect that was the proximate cause of  
22 the personal injury, property damage, or death.

23 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.  
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1 Passed the Senate the 26th day of March, 2025.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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5 Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,

6 2025.

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