RULE IMPACT STATEMENT

Pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act, Section 303(D) of Title 75 of the Oklahoma Statutes, the Oklahoma Department of Transportation ("ODOT") hereby submits the following Rule Impact Statement for the amendment of PERMANENT rules contained in OAC Title 730 Chapter 30 Appendix C. Schedule of Annual License.

Brief Description of the Purpose of the Proposed Rules:

The proposed rule reestablishes the annual licensing fee schedule for bridge license agreements, referenced in chapter 30.

Description of the classes of persons who most likely will bear the costs of the proposed rule and any information on cost impacts received by the Agency from any private or public entities:

No class of persons will bear the proposed rule's costs because the amount of the previously implemented fees has not changed. The agency has not received information on cost impacts from private or public entities.

Description of the classes of persons who will benefit from the proposed rule:

Utility companies and governmental political subdivisions wishing to enter a license agreement to attach their public service or public convenience utility line to a bridge will benefit from implementing the proposed rule.

Description of the probable economic impact of the proposed rule upon affected classes of persons or political subdivisions, including a listing for all fee changes and, whenever possible, separate justification for each fee change:

The proposed rule has no economic impact on classes of persons and political subdivisions or fee changes. Fees are waived for any U.S. government, state agencies, county governments, city governments, townships, and any public non-profit "District" or not-for-profit "Corporation" as defined in Title 82, Section 1324.41 of the Oklahoma State Statutes.

A determination of whether implementation of the proposed rule will have an economic impact on any political subdivision or require their cooperation in implementing or enforcing the rule:

A determination was made that implementing the proposed rule will have no economic impact on political subdivisions or those entities and does not require cooperation because their fees are waived.

A determination of whether implementation of the proposed rule may have an adverse economic effect on small businesses as provided by the Oklahoma Small Business Regulatory Flexibility Act:

A determination was made that implementing the proposed rule would not have an adverse economic effect on small businesses, as provided by the Oklahoma Small Business Regulatory Flexibility Act.

A determination of the effect of the proposed rule on the public health, safety, and environment and, if the proposed rule is designed to reduce significant risks to the public health, safety, and environment, an explanation of the nature of the risk and to what extent the proposed rule will reduce the risk:

A determination was made that the proposed rule does not affect public health, safety, or the environment and the proposed rule is not designed to reduce significant risks to public health, safety, or the environment.

A determination of any detrimental effect on the public health, safety and environment if the proposed rules are not implemented:

A determination was made that implementing the proposed rule does not detrimentally affect public health, safety, or the environment.

Date the rule impact statement was prepared and the date modified:

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