

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 2nd Session of the 58th Legislature (2022)

4 HOUSE BILL 3070

 By: Manger

7 AS INTRODUCED

8 An Act relating to firearms; amending 21 O.S. 2021,
9 Section 1289.13A, which relates to the improper
10 transportation of firearms; clarifying scope of
 certain unlawful act; and providing an effective
 date.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2021, Section 1289.13A, is
15 amended to read as follows:

16 Section 1289.13A

17 IMPROPER TRANSPORTATION OF FIREARMS

18 A. Any person stopped pursuant to a moving traffic violation
19 who is transporting a firearm in or on the vehicle ~~as authorized by~~
20 ~~the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act or using a valid license from another~~
21 ~~state and is~~ in violation of any law related to the carrying or
22 transporting of firearms in the vehicle, may be issued a traffic
23 citation in the amount of Seventy Dollars (\$70.00), plus court costs
24 for transporting a firearm improperly. In addition to the traffic

1 citation provided in this section, the person may also be arrested
2 for any other violation of law.

3 B. Any firearm lawfully carried or transported as permitted
4 pursuant to state law shall not be confiscated, unless:

5 1. The person is arrested for violating another provision of
6 law other than a violation of subsection A of this section;
7 provided, however, if the person is never charged with an offense
8 pursuant to this paragraph or if the charges are dismissed or the
9 person is acquitted, the weapon and ammunition shall be returned to
10 the person; or

11 2. The officer has probable cause to believe the weapon is:

12 a. contraband, or

13 b. a firearm used in the commission of a crime other than
14 a violation of subsection A of this section.

15 C. Nothing in this section shall be construed to require
16 confiscation of any firearm.

17 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2022.

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19 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, dated 02/15/2022 -
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