

Senate Engrossed

off-highway vehicle study committee; extension

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CHAPTER 76
SENATE BILL 1055

AN ACT

AMENDING LAWS 2022, CHAPTER 148, SECTION 1; RELATING TO THE OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLE STUDY COMMITTEE.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Laws 2022, chapter 148, section 1 is amended to read:

3 Section 1. Arizona off-highway vehicle study committee;
4 membership; duties; report; delayed repeal

5 A. The Arizona off-highway vehicle study committee is established
6 consisting of the following members:

7 1. Two members of the senate who are appointed by the president of
8 the senate and who are members of different political parties. The
9 president of the senate shall designate one of these members to serve as
10 cochairperson of the committee.

11 2. Two members of the house of representatives who are appointed by
12 the speaker of the house of representatives and who are members of
13 different political parties. The speaker of the house of representatives
14 shall designate one of these members to serve as cochairperson of the
15 committee.

16 3. The director of the Arizona game and fish department or the
17 director's designee.

18 4. The director of the department of transportation or the
19 director's designee.

20 5. The director of the Arizona state parks board or the director's
21 designee.

22 6. The commissioner of the state land department or the
23 commissioner's designee.

24 7. One law enforcement officer who enforces off-highway vehicle
25 laws and who is appointed by the governor.

26 8. One representative of an organization representing hunting or
27 fishing or a similar outdoor sports activity in this state who is
28 appointed by the governor.

29 9. Two members who represent an off-highway vehicle organization or
30 recreational group in this state. One member shall be appointed by the
31 president of the senate and one member shall be appointed by the speaker
32 of the house of representatives.

33 10. One representative of an off-highway vehicle rental company in
34 this state who is appointed by the president of the senate.

35 11. One representative of an off-highway vehicle manufacturer or
36 retailer in this state who is appointed by the speaker of the house of
37 representatives.

38 12. One representative of the farming and agriculture industry in
39 this state who is appointed by the governor.

40 13. Two members of the public who are knowledgeable about outdoor
41 recreation issues in this state and about trails used by off-highway
42 vehicle operators. The president of the senate shall appoint these
43 members. One of the members shall represent holders of federal grazing
44 permits or other land use permits.

1 B. Appointed members serve at the pleasure of the person who made
2 the appointment.

3 C. Committee members are not eligible to receive compensation, but
4 members who are appointed by the governor are eligible for reimbursement
5 of expenses under title 38, chapter 4, article 2, Arizona Revised
6 Statutes.

7 D. The committee shall:

8 1. Meet to collect and study information from the public and
9 stakeholders regarding off-highway vehicle issues in this state.

10 2. On or before January 1 of each year, submit a report regarding
11 the committee's activities and recommendations for administrative or
12 legislative action to the governor, the president of the senate and the
13 speaker of the house of representatives and provide a copy of this report
14 to the secretary of state.

15 E. This section is repealed from and after May 31, ~~2024~~ 2025.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR APRIL 2, 2024.

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