

HB 1464 -- MOTORCYCLE HELMETS

SPONSOR: Burlison

Currently, an individual operating or riding as a passenger on any motorcycle or motortricycle upon any state highway must wear protective headgear when the vehicle is in motion. This bill modifies the requirement to individuals under 21 years of age.

Qualified motorcycle operators over 21 years of age who have completed a motorcycle safety education course or possessed a motorcycle license or endorsement for at least two years may operate a motorcycle or motortricycle upon state highways without protective headgear if they possess insurance that provides first-party medical benefits in the amount of \$50,000 for injuries incurred in an accident while operating a motorcycle or motortricycle.

This bill is the same as HB 523 (2015).