

**A-Engrossed**  
**Senate Bill 108**

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**SUMMARY**

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure.

*[Expands offense of following too closely to include vehicle coming up behind another vehicle in unsafe manner. Punishes by fine of \$360.]*

*[Increases penalty for offense of following too closely if act contributes to collision. Punishes by fine of \$720.]*

**Creates offense of operation without forward crossview mirror. Punishes by fine not exceeding \$180.**

**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

1  
2 Relating to traffic offenses.

3 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

4 **SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2007 Act is added to and made a part of the Oregon Vehicle**  
5 **Code.**

6 **SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section, "forward crossview mirror" means a mirror or**  
7 **device that enables the driver of a motor truck to have a clear and unobstructed view of**  
8 **persons or objects within 10 feet of the front of the motor truck.**

9 **(2) A person commits the offense of operation without a forward crossview mirror if the**  
10 **person drives or moves on any highway, or owns and causes or knowingly permits to be**  
11 **driven or moved on any highway, a motor truck with a combined weight of 26,000 pounds or**  
12 **less that is used for the commercial delivery of packages or other property and the motor**  
13 **truck is not equipped with a forward crossview mirror.**

14 **(3) This section does not apply to persons that certify in a manner determined by the**  
15 **Department of Transportation by rule that a driver of the motor truck has a clear and un-**  
16 **obstructed view that enables the driver to see persons or objects within 10 feet of the front**  
17 **of the motor truck without a forward crossview mirror.**

18 **(4) The offense described in this section, operation without a forward crossview mirror,**  
19 **is a Class C traffic violation.**

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**NOTE:** Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter *[italic and bracketed]* is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.