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Oklahoma Lemon Law Summary

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY	
TIME PERIOD FOR FILING CLAIMS	Not specified. Assuming UCC statute of limitations applies, claim must be filed within four years from the date the alleged defect is discovered.
ELIGIBLE VEHICLE	Any motor vehicle required to be registered in the state. Excludes vehicles above 10,000 pounds GVW. Includes recreational vehicles, regardless of weight.
ELIGIBLE CONSUMER	Purchaser , other than for purposes of resale, of a motor vehicle, who the motor vehicle is transferred to during the duration of an express warranty applicable to the motor vehicle, and who is entitled by the terms of the warranty to enforce its obligations. Appears to cover lessees.
TIME PERIOD FOR FIRST OCCURRENCE OR NOTICE	Earlier of the term of the express warranties or one year following original delivery to a consumer.
TIME PERIOD FOR REASONABLE NUMBER OF ATTEMPTS TO REPAIR	The manufacturer's obligation to repair the nonconforming condition does not extend beyond the period of 12 months following delivery of the vehicle except if notice of the nonconforming condition was first given during the lemon law rights period.
PRESUMPTION OR DEFINITION	Presumption: during earlier of express warranty or one year following original delivery, either (1) four or more repair attempts or (2) out of service for 30 or more business days.
NOTICE TO MANUFACTURER	For presumption to apply; direct written notice.
FINAL OPPORTUNITY TO REPAIR	For presumption to apply.
REASONABLE ALLOWANCE	Miles directly attributable to use by the consumer beyond fifteen thousand (15,000) miles divided by (120,000) miles multiplied by the purchase or lease price of the vehicle. Applies to repurchase only.
DISPUTE RESOLUTION	Before seeking refund or replacement, consumer must resort to manufacturer's program if it complies with 16 C.F.R. Part 703.
DISCLOSURE TO SUBSEQUENT PURCHASER	No.

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TITLE BRANDING	No.
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OKLAHOMA LEMON LAW SUMMARY	
1. Citation	Oklahoma Stat. Ann. Title 15, § 901.
2. Motor vehicle covered	Covers any motor vehicle required to be registered in the state. Excludes vehicles above 10,000 pounds gross vehicle weight. A recreational vehicle, regardless of the weight of the recreational vehicle, shall be considered a motor vehicle. Appears to cover leased vehicles.
3. Consumer covered	The purchaser, other than for purposes of resale, of a motor vehicle, who the motor vehicle is transferred to during the duration of an express warranty applicable to the motor vehicle, and who is entitled by the terms of the warranty to enforce its obligations.
4. Nonconformity defined	Any defect or condition that substantially impairs the use and value of the motor vehicle.
5. Warranty defined	Not defined.
6. Lemon law rights period	The period ending one year after the date of the motor vehicle's original delivery to a consumer.
7. Manufacturer's obligation to repair	If a motor vehicle does not conform to all applicable express warranties, and the consumer reports the nonconformity directly and in writing to the manufacturer, its agent or authorized dealer during the term of the express warranties or a period of one year following the date of the motor vehicle's original delivery to a consumer, whichever is earlier, then the manufacturer, its agent or authorized dealer must make the necessary repairs to conform the vehicle to the express warranties. The necessary repairs must be made even after the expiration of the term of the express warranties or the one-year period.
8. Manufacturer's obligation to repurchase or replace	If the manufacturer, its agents, or authorized dealers are unable to conform the motor vehicle to any applicable express warranty by repairing or correcting any nonconformity after a <i>reasonable number of repair attempts</i> , the manufacturer must either replace or repurchase the motor vehicle.
9. Criteria for reasonable number of repair attempts	Presumed if, within the express warranty term or during the period of one year following the date of the motor vehicle's original delivery to a consumer, whichever is earlier, either of the following occurs: (1) The same nonconformity has been subject to repair four or more times by the manufacturer, its agents, or authorized dealers, but the nonconformity continues to exist; or (2) The motor vehicle is out of service by reason of repair for a cumulative total of 30 or more calendar days.

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10. Notice of nonconformity and final opportunity to repair	The presumption that a reasonable number of repair attempts has been undertaken does not apply against a manufacturer unless the manufacturer has received prior direct written notification from or on behalf of the consumer and has had an opportunity to cure the defect alleged.
11. Affirmative defenses	It is an affirmative defense that: (1) The alleged nonconformity does not substantially impair the use and value; or (2) The nonconformity is the result of abuse, neglect, or unauthorized modifications or alterations of a motor vehicle.
12. Refund	Refund consists of: (1) The full purchase price; and (2) All taxes, license, registration fees and all similar governmental fees, but excluding interest; (3) The reasonable allowance for use is determined by using the following formula: <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"> $\frac{\text{Miles directly attributable to use by the consumer beyond 15,000 miles}}{120,000} \times \text{Purchase or lease price of the new motor vehicle}$ </div>
13. Replacement	Replacement is a new motor vehicle. The reasonable allowance for use does not apply to a replacement.
14. Reasonable allowance	A reasonable allowance for use shall be the purchase or lease price of the new motor vehicle multiplied by a fraction having as the denominator one hundred twenty thousand (120,000) miles and having as the numerator the miles directly attributable to use by the consumer beyond fifteen thousand (15,000) miles.
15. Refund of sales tax	Manufacturer refunds sales tax to the consumer. No provision for the manufacturer to obtain a refund of sales tax from the state.
16. Enhanced damages	Not specified.
17. Attorney's fees	Reasonable attorney fees as determined by the court.
18. Statute of limitations	Not specified. Assuming that the UCC statute of limitations applies, a claim must be filed within four years from the date the alleged defect is discovered.
19. Manufacturer-sponsored arbitration	If the manufacturer has established or participates in an informal dispute settlement procedure that complies with 16 C.F.R. Part 703, then the provisions requiring refund or replacement do not apply unless the consumer has first resorted to the informal dispute settlement procedure.
20. State-sponsored arbitration	Not specified.
21. Dealer liability	Not specified.

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22. Restrictions on resale of returned vehicles	Not specified.
23. Point of sale notice of lemon law rights	Not specified.
24. Limitation on waiver	Not specified.

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