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Script adjusted

	Audio	visual	Pictures/ videos
1	Did you know that Utah law makers banned Teslas from parking on public lands in Utah for half the year? (Voice over)	Tesla parked on public lands pops up on screen. Banned sign crosses out tesla after the word banned	
2	Now, you might think, "Why on earth would Utah do that? Are Teslas causing some kind of environmental catastrophe?" Well, no. The problem lies in Tesla's sentry mode. This feature is meant to protect your vehicle from potential burglars or vandals via motion sensing cameras.	Video splits screen vertically and has tesla footage on one side and trail camera footage run through as points change from tesla to trail cameras	
3	So why does this feature ban a Tesla car from parking on public lands?		
4	enter Utah lawmakers... this year they decided to make a law that bans the use of trail cameras between august and december and defined what a "trail camera" is. In legal terms a trail camera is now officially "a device that is not held or manually operated by a person and is capable of capturing images, video, or location data of wildlife using heat or motion to trigger the device." Sounds a little familiar. . .behold the birth of a new breed of trail cameras – parked Tesla cars! Tesla unwittingly stumbled into the world of wildlife surveillance. (figure out where to put that the law initially was written to focus on the intent of capturing wildlife footage)		

5	<p>So, there you have it. Parked Teslas are now outlawed t (trail cameras) in Utah's great outdoors. Remember, from July 31 to December 31, if you see a parked Tesla on Utah public lands, it's not there to go on a scenic road trip but to keep an eye on wildlife.</p>		
6	<p>So this brings up a good question, Will you get a ticket or get towed for parking your Tesla on public lands? Probably not, We took our concerns to the Division of wildlife resources here in Utah and they replied that they do not intend to enforce this law on common items like cars... or security cameras for peoples gear..... unless its intended to capture footage of wildlife or aid in the hunting of big game animals..</p>		
7	<p>This funny law is one we are trying to change. Trail cameras are a form of photography and are protected by the first amendment. If you would like to learn more about how this law violates the first amendment, check out the link in the description and help us change this law so we can all use Teslas and trail cameras all year long.</p>		
8	<p>Now the government does have the ability to limit free speech on occasion. However there has to be a few things done before they do. They have to prove that they have a compelling interest to limit speech and then they have to limit speech in the least restrictive way possible.</p>		
9	<p>So do they have a compelling argument? I would say no, fair chase is a concept that is debated over by many people and in the end is more a personal ethics question rather than a</p>		

	solid statement written in law. Some clubs have defined fair chase and can be found here .		
10	Also, is this law the least restrictive possible? No, Arizona is a very good example of this. Arizona prohibits the use of trail cameras for the taking of big game and allows the general public the opportunity to still use trail cameras. Also, because Utah has a very broad definition of what a trail camera is it bans things like Teslas from parking on public lands.		
11	We are looking to change this law so please follow our social media pages and reach out to your local representative and help us change this law!		

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