

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR

5 SENATE BILL NO. 187

6 By: Shaw

7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

8 An Act relating to law enforcement; amending 57 O.S.  
9 2011, Section 509.2, which relates to patrol and law  
10 enforcement in the town of Taft; modifying certain  
11 patrol obligations; and providing an effective date.

12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

13 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 57 O.S. 2011, Section 509.2, is  
14 amended to read as follows:

15 Section 509.2. ~~A. In addition to their other security and~~  
16 ~~oversight obligations, the Department of Corrections shall patrol~~  
17 ~~the perimeters of the Jess Dunn Correctional Center and the George~~  
18 ~~Nigh Training Center and also make patrols through the town of Taft.~~

19 ~~B. Due to the unusual circumstance that the facilities named in~~  
20 ~~Section 1 of this act two prison facilities are so closely situated~~  
21 ~~to the town of Taft and for the further reason that ~~said~~ the town is~~  
22 ~~without any local law enforcement officer on an ongoing basis, it is~~  
23 ~~the intent of the Legislature that the Department of Public Safety~~  
24 ~~shall establish a permanent trooper position to be based and~~

1 ~~stationed in the~~, upon request and when possible, offer law  
2 enforcement assistance to the town of Taft.

3 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

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