

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
BILL NO. 1651

By: Daniels of the Senate

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6 An Act relating to the Supreme Court; requiring
7 maintenance and publication of certain calendar;
8 specifying information to be included on certain
9 calendar; requiring publication of list of certain
10 cases; providing for codification; and providing an
11 effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 10.1 of Title 20, unless there
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. The Oklahoma Supreme Court shall maintain a calendar of
17 cases pending before the court which shall be made available to the
18 public on the Supreme Court website. Such calendar shall include:

19 1. Dates the court will hear oral argument, hearings before
20 referees or any other hearings or proceedings of the court; for
21 cases challenging the constitutionality of an act of the
22 Legislature, the court shall also include the briefing schedule;

23 2. Dates of court conferences;

24 3. Dates the court is closed and dates the court is in session;
and

1 4. Any other information that will assist litigants, attorneys
2 and the public in monitoring the cases before the court.

3 B. For each entry noting oral argument or other hearings or
4 proceedings of the court, the calendar shall include the case names,
5 case numbers, counsel of record and a brief description of the
6 issues in the case.

7 C. The Supreme Court shall timely make available on the Supreme
8 Court website a list of cases for which it has granted certiorari.
9 Such list shall include the case names, case numbers, counsel of
10 record and a brief description of the issues in the case.

11 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective January 1, 2022.

12 Passed the Senate the 5th day of March, 2020.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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16 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
17 2020.

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