

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

4 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
5 FOR
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 2094

By: O'Donnell

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9 An Act relating to crimes and punishments; amending
10 21 O.S. 2011, Section 302, which relates to criminal
11 penalties for disturbing legislative proceedings;
12 modifying scope of certain prohibited act; specifying
13 penalty for certain unlawful acts; and providing an
14 effective date.

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

16 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2011, Section 302, is
17 amended to read as follows:

18 Section 302. Any person who alone or in concert with others
19 wilfully disturbs, disrupts or interferes with any session, meeting
20 or proceeding of either house of the State Legislature or any
21 committee of either house of the State Legislature, whether within
22 or outside the presence of either house of the State Legislature or
23 any committee, by:

24 1. Engaging in violent, tumultuous or threatening behavior;

1 2. Using abusive or obscene language or making an obscene
2 gesture;

3 3. Making unreasonable noise or displaying offensive signage;
4 or

5 4. Congregating with other persons and refusing to comply with
6 a lawful order of the police or security officer to disperse~~+~~,
7 shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a
8 fine not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), or by
9 imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding six (6) months, or by
10 both such fine and imprisonment.

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

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13 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, dated 02/25/2019 -
14 DO PASS, As Amended.

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