

1                   **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2                               STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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

4   HOUSE BILL 2253

                              By: Goodwin of the House

5   and

6   **Bice** of the Senate

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9                                       AS INTRODUCED

10           An Act relating to elections; amending 26 O.S. 2011,  
11           Section 4-101, which relates to voter registration;  
12           clarifying conditions for voter eligibility; and  
13           providing an effective date.

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

15           SECTION 1.        AMENDATORY        26 O.S. 2011, Section 4-101, is  
16   amended to read as follows:

17           Section 4-101. Every person who is a qualified elector as  
18   defined by Section 1 of Article III of the Oklahoma Constitution  
19   shall be entitled to become a registered voter in the precinct of  
20   his or her residence, with the following ~~exceptions~~ conditions:

21           1. Persons convicted of a felony shall be ~~ineligible~~ eligible  
22   to register ~~for a period of time equal to the time prescribed in the~~  
23   ~~judgment and sentence.~~ to vote when they have fully served their  
24   sentence of court-mandated calendar days, including any term of

1 incarceration, parole or supervision, or completed a period of  
2 probation ordered by any court; and

3       2. Any person who has been adjudged to be an incapacitated  
4 person as such term is defined by Section 1-111 of Title 30 of the  
5 Oklahoma Statutes, shall be ineligible to register to vote. When  
6 such incapacitated person has been adjudged to be no longer  
7 incapacitated such person shall be eligible to become a registered  
8 voter. The provisions of this paragraph shall not prohibit any  
9 person adjudged to be a partially incapacitated person as such term  
10 is defined by Section 1-111 of Title 30 of the Oklahoma Statutes  
11 from being eligible to register to vote unless the order adjudging  
12 the person to be partially incapacitated restricts such ~~persons~~  
13 person from being eligible to register to vote.

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

16 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON RULES, dated 02/20/2019 - DO PASS,  
17 As Coauthored.