

1 ENGROSSED SENATE  
2 BILL NO. 1136

By: Rosino of the Senate

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4 McEntire of the House

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6 An Act relating to crime and punishment; amending 21  
7 O.S. 2021, Section 650.8, which relates to felony  
8 assault, battery or assault and battery upon employee  
of facility; allowing for certain felony offense; and  
providing an effective date.

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

12 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2021, Section 650.8, is  
13 amended to read as follows:

14 Section 650.8. A. Every person who, without justifiable or  
15 excusable cause, knowingly commits any assault, battery or assault  
16 and battery upon the person of an employee of a facility maintained  
17 by the Department of Human Services, a facility maintained by a  
18 private contractor pursuant to a contract with the Department of  
19 Human Services, or upon the person of an employee of a facility  
20 maintained by the Office of Juvenile Affairs, a facility maintained  
21 by a private contractor pursuant to a contract with the Office of  
22 Juvenile Affairs primarily for delinquent children, a juvenile  
23 detention center, or a juvenile bureau, while the employee is in the  
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1 performance of his duties, shall, upon conviction, ~~thereof~~ be guilty  
2 of a felony.

3 B. This section shall not supersede any other act or acts, but  
4 shall be cumulative thereto.

5 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2022.

6 Passed the Senate the 9th day of March, 2022.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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10 Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
11 2022.

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