

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021)

3 HOUSE BILL 1565

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to state employees; providing for
8 termination of state employees for conviction of
9 certain crimes; prohibiting government employment for
persons convicted of certain crimes; providing for
codification; and providing an effective date.

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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 840-2.28 of Title 74, unless
15 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. Any state employee that has been convicted, in this state or
17 any other, whether upon a verdict or plea of guilty or upon a plea
18 of nolo contendere, or received a suspended sentence or any
19 probationary term, of an:

20 1. Incitement to riot as provided by Section 1320.2 of title 21
21 of the Oklahoma Statutes; or

22 2. Unlawful assembly as provided by Section 1320.3 of title 21
23 of the Oklahoma Statutes,

24 shall be immediately terminated from employment with the state.

1 B. Any person that has been convicted, in this state or any
2 other, whether upon a verdict or plea of guilty or upon a plea of
3 nolo contendere, or received a suspended sentence or any
4 probationary term, of the crimes in subsection A of this section
5 shall be ineligible for employment with any state, county,
6 municipal, or any other government entity.

7 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2021.

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