

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 59th Legislature (2024)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR
5 HOUSE BILL NO. 3073

By: Hays

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8 An Act relating to crimes and punishments; creating a
9 misdemeanor and felony for the dissemination and
10 publication of certain digitization; establishing
11 minimum punishment; creating a misdemeanor for
12 failure to make certain disclosures; defining terms;
13 providing for codification; providing an effective
14 date; and declaring an emergency.

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

16 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
17 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1630 of Title 21, unless there
18 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

19 A. A person who disseminates or publishes a digitization
20 depicting another person's name, image, voice, or likeness without
21 their written consent and attempts to deceive with the intent to
22 cause emotional, financial, or physical harm shall be guilty of a
23 misdemeanor on a first offense. A second offense shall result in a
24 felony punishable by no less than one (1) year imprisonment and a
fine of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00).

1 B. Any digitization shall include a disclosure that the image
2 is a digitization. Failure to disclose shall result in a
3 misdemeanor.

4 C. For purposes of this act:

5 1. The term "digitization" shall mean a still or video image
6 that is altered to appear in a realistic manner utilizing an image
7 or images of a person other than the person depicted or computer-
8 generated images;

9 2. The term "disseminate" means to give, provide, lend,
10 deliver, mail, send, forward, transfer, or transmit, electronically
11 or otherwise, to another person; and

12 3. The term "publish" means:

13 a. to disseminate with the intent that such images be
14 sold by another person, or

15 b. to post, present, display, exhibit, circulate,
16 advertise, or allow access to, electronically or
17 otherwise, so as to make an image or images available
18 to the public.

19 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2024.

20 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
21 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
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1 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
2 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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