

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 59th Legislature (2023)

3 SENATE BILL 890

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to the Oklahoma State Guard; amending  
8 44 O.S. 2021, Section 242, which relates to the  
9 distinction between the Oklahoma State Guard and the  
10 Oklahoma National Guard; updating statutory language;  
11 transferring certain positions and resources upon  
12 removal of recognition; and providing an effective  
13 date.

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

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 44 O.S. 2021, Section 242, is  
16 amended to read as follows:

17 Section 242. A. Such military forces shall be designated as  
18 the "Oklahoma State Guard" and shall be composed of officers  
19 commissioned or assigned, and such able-bodied ~~male~~ citizens of the  
20 state as shall volunteer for service therein. They shall be  
21 additional to and distinct from the Oklahoma National Guard ~~of the~~  
22 ~~State of Oklahoma~~, as defined in Title 32 of the United States Code.  
23 They shall not be required to serve outside the boundaries of ~~the~~  
24 ~~State of Oklahoma~~ this state.

1        B. If, for any reason, the Department of Defense removes  
2 national recognition from the Oklahoma National Guard, all  
3 resources, officers, employees, positions, and funds shall be  
4 transferred immediately to the Oklahoma State Guard.

5        SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2023.

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