

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 37

By: Weaver of the Senate

and

Moore of the House

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6 An Act relating to the Oklahoma State Bureau of
7 Investigation; defining term; authorizing the
8 Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation to respond to
9 certain events; creating the Mass Casualty Revolving
10 Fund; authorizing certain expenditures by the
11 Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation; providing for
12 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 151.4 of Title 74, unless there
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. As used in this act, "mass casualty event" means an incident
17 that:

18 1. Results in no less than three (3) injured individuals;

19 2. Requires more emergency response resources than are
20 typically available in the jurisdiction in which the incident
21 occurs; and

22 3. Results in a sudden and timely surge of injured individuals
23 in need of emergency services.

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1 B. After the occurrence of a mass casualty event caused by a
2 violent crime, as defined in Section 571 of Title 57 of the Oklahoma
3 Statutes, the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation may respond to
4 the incident without a request from a law enforcement agency and
5 coordinate with local law enforcement agencies that are responding
6 to the event.

7 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
8 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 151.5 of Title 74, unless there
9 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

10 There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving fund
11 for the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation to be designated the
12 "Mass Casualty Revolving Fund". The fund shall be a continuing
13 fund, not subject to fiscal year limitations, and shall consist of
14 all monies received by the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation
15 from legislative appropriations, federal grants, or funds from any
16 other source provided for the purpose of investigating mass casualty
17 events. All monies accruing to the credit of the fund are hereby
18 appropriated and may be budgeted and expended by the Oklahoma State
19 Bureau of Investigation for the purpose provided for in this act.
20 Expenditures from the fund shall be made upon warrants issued by the
21 State Treasurer against claims filed as prescribed by law with the
22 Director of the Office of Management and Enterprise Services for
23 approval and payment.

24 SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.

