

SENATE CHAMBER
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

DISPOSITION

FLOOR AMENDMENT

No. 1

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

(Date)

I move to amend House Bill No. 1414 by substituting the attached floor substitute (Request #2055) for the title, enacting clause, and entire body of the measure.

Submitted by:

Wana Hamilton

Senator Hamilton

I hereby grant permission for the floor substitute to be adopted.

Wana Hamilton

Senator Hamilton, Chair (required)

George Burns
Senator Burns

Senator Alvord

Senator Goodwin

Melvin Nice
Senator Nice

Senator Paxton, President Pro Tempore

Dana Prieto

Senator Prieto

Kevin Sacchieri

Senator Sacchieri

Robert Stanley

Senator Stanley

Senator Stewart

Senator Daniels, Majority Floor Leader

Note: Local and County Government committee majority requires five (5) members' signatures.

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(Floor Amendments Only)

Date and Time Filed:

4/23/25 2:20pm *JD*

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1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 60th Legislature (2025)

3 FLOOR SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR ENGROSSED

5 HOUSE BILL NO. 1414

By: West (Josh) of the House

and

Hamilton of the Senate

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10 FLOOR SUBSTITUTE

11 [counties and county officers - sheriff - experience
12 requirement - effective date]

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

16 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 19 O.S. 2021, Section 510, is
17 amended to read as follows:

18 Section 510. A. As used in this section, "peace officer" shall
19 mean a full-time duly appointed or elected officer who is currently
20 or has previously been paid for working more than twenty-five (25)
21 hours per week and whose duties include or included preserving the
22 public peace, protection of life and property, prevention of crime,
23 service of warrants, and the enforcement of:

24 1. Federal laws;

1 2. The laws of this state;

2 3. The laws of any other state in the United States; or

3 4. The local ordinances of any political subdivision of such
4 state.

5 B. Any person, otherwise qualified, who has been a resident of
6 ~~the State of Oklahoma~~ this state for two (2) years, has been a
7 registered voter of the party whose nomination he or she seeks, or a
8 registered Independent, within the county from which such person
9 seeks election for the six (6) months next preceding the first day
10 of the filing period, is at least twenty-five (25) years of age next
11 preceding the date of filing for office, possesses at least a high
12 school education, and has served as a duly certified peace officer,
13 in a full-time capacity, for a period of four (4) years or more
14 prior to the date of filing for the office of county sheriff, shall
15 be eligible to file for or hold the office of county sheriff ~~or to~~
16 ~~file therefor.~~

17 C. A candidate shall present proof of peace officer
18 qualification at the time of filing a declaration of candidacy with
19 the secretary of the county election board as described in Section
20 5-111 of Title 26 of the Oklahoma Statutes. The Secretary of the
21 State Election Board may prescribe a form to be included as part of
22 the documented proof of police or veteran experience as required by
23 this section.

1 D. Any veteran who has served as military police may count four
2 (4) or more years of service as military police to meet the
3 experience requirement listed in subsection B of this section. A
4 veteran shall present a Certificate of Release or Discharge from
5 Active Duty (DD Form 214) when filing a declaration of candidacy as
6 verification of military police experience.

7 E. Within twelve (12) months of taking office, all newly
8 elected or appointed sheriffs shall complete a sheriff's
9 administrative school which has been developed by the Oklahoma
10 Sheriffs' Association and which has been approved by the Council on
11 Law Enforcement Education and Training (CLEET). Failure to complete
12 the sheriff's administrative school within the specified period
13 shall preclude the new sheriff from obtaining CLEET certification.
14 New sheriffs with prior CLEET certification, who fail to attend the
15 sheriff's administrative school, shall have their CLEET
16 certification revoked. Provided, however, the provisions of this
17 section relating to qualifications shall not apply to any person
18 serving as a county sheriff or to any person previously serving as
19 county sheriff prior to the adoption of this statute.

20 ~~For purposes of this section, "peace officer" shall mean a full-~~
21 ~~time duly appointed or elected officer who is paid for working more~~
22 ~~than twenty-five (25) hours per week and whose duties are to~~
23 ~~preserve the public peace, protect life and property, prevent crime,~~
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1 ~~serve warrants, and enforce state, federal or military laws and~~
2 ~~local ordinances of this state or any political subdivision thereof.~~

3 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.

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