

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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

3 SENATE BILL 37

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5 AS INTRODUCED

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
Fund; authorizing certain expenditures by the
Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation; providing for
codification; and providing an effective date.

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

12 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
13 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 151.4 of Title 74, unless there
14 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

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

17 1. Results in no less than three (3) injured individuals;
18 2. Requires more emergency response resources than are
19 typically available in the jurisdiction in which the incident
20 occurs; and

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

23 B. After the occurrence of a mass casualty event caused by a
24 violent crime, as defined in Section 571 of Title 57 of the Oklahoma

1 Statutes, the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation may respond to
2 the incident without a request from a law enforcement agency and
3 coordinate with local law enforcement agencies that are responding
4 to the event.

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

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

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

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