

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE BILL 2921

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to criminal procedure; authorizing
8 temporary detention of persons under certain
9 circumstances; stating purpose of temporary
10 detention; requiring detained person to identify
11 himself or herself; providing time and vicinity
12 limitations for temporary detentions; providing for
13 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
16 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 212 of Title 22, unless there is
17 created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

18 A. A law enforcement officer may detain any person the officer
19 encounters under circumstances which reasonably indicate that the
20 person has committed, is committing or is about to commit a crime.

21 B. The law enforcement officer may detain the person pursuant
22 to this section only to ascertain the identity of the person and the
23 suspicious circumstances surrounding the presence of the person
24 abroad. Any person so detained shall identify himself or herself,

1 but may not be compelled to answer any other inquiry by the law
2 enforcement officer.

3 C. A person shall not be detained longer than is reasonably
4 necessary to effect the purposes of this section, and in no event
5 longer than sixty (60) minutes. The detention shall not extend
6 beyond the place or the immediate vicinity of the place where the
7 detention was first effected, unless the person is arrested.

8 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2020.

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