

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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SENATE BILL 1988

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to voter registration; amending 26 O.S. 2021, Section 4-115.2, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 147, O.S.L. 2023 (26 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 4-115.2), which relates to confidentiality of residence and mailing address; adding classes of persons allowed to make certain application; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 26 O.S. 2021, Section 4-115.2, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 147, O.S.L. 2023 (26 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 4-115.2), is amended to read as follows:

Section 4-115.2. A. 1. The Secretary of the State Election Board is authorized to promulgate rules to keep confidential the residence and mailing address, upon application to do so, of individual registered voters who are members of certain classes as described in paragraph 2 of this subsection.

2. Classes shall be limited to the judiciary, district attorneys, assistant district attorneys, public defenders, attorneys employed by the Oklahoma Indigent Defense System, Uniformed Services

1 members, law enforcement personnel and the immediate family of law
2 enforcement personnel, correctional officers, the secretary,
3 assistant secretary, employees, and members of a county election
4 board or the State Election Board, persons who are protected by
5 victim's protection orders, the spouses and dependents of the
6 members of such classes, and persons who are certified by the
7 Secretary of State as participants in the Address Confidentiality
8 Program established by Section 60.14 of Title 22 of the Oklahoma
9 Statutes.

10 3. Such address information shall be provided to a candidate or
11 candidate representative or other lawful authority in anticipation
12 or as part of a contest of candidacy or contest of an election as
13 provided for in this title or as part of a petition challenge as
14 provided by law. However, no information concerning the address of
15 a certified Address Confidentiality Program participant shall be
16 released by election officials to any person for any purpose except
17 under court order.

18 B. As used in this section, "immediate family of law
19 enforcement personnel" means a spouse, child by birth or adoption,
20 stepchild or parent living at the same residence as the law
21 enforcement personnel.

22 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2024.
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