

1 ENGROSSED SENATE  
2 BILL NO. 212

By: Bullard, Burns, Stephens,  
Jett, and Hamilton of the  
Senate

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4 and

Humphrey of the House

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7 [ property - alien ownership of land - business  
8 entities - recording of deed - effective date ]  
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10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

11 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 60 O.S. 2021, Section 121, is  
12 amended to read as follows:

13 Section 121. A. No alien or any person who is not a citizen of  
14 the United States shall acquire title to or own land in ~~the State of~~  
15 ~~Oklahoma~~ this state either directly or indirectly through a business  
16 entity or trust, except as hereinafter provided, but he or she shall  
17 have and enjoy in ~~the State of Oklahoma~~ this state such rights as to  
18 personal property as are, or shall be accorded a citizen of the  
19 United States under the laws of the nation to which such alien  
20 belongs, or by the treaties of such nation with the United States,  
21 except as the same may be affected by the provisions of ~~this act~~  
22 Section 121 et seq. of this title or the Constitution of this state.  
23 Provided, however, the requirements of this subsection shall not  
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1 apply to a business entity that is engaged in regulated interstate  
2 commerce in accordance with federal law.

3 B. On or after the effective date of this act, any deed  
4 recorded with a county clerk shall include as an exhibit to the deed  
5 an affidavit executed by the person or entity coming into title  
6 attesting that the person, business entity, or trust is obtaining  
7 the land in compliance with the requirements of this section and  
8 that no funding source is being used in the sale or transfer in  
9 violation of this section or any other state or federal law. The  
10 Attorney General shall promulgate a separate affidavit form for  
11 individuals and for business entities or trusts to comply with the  
12 requirements of this section.

13 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2023.

14 Passed the Senate the 8th day of March, 2023.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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18 Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
19 2023.

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