

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 456

By: Newhouse of the Senate

3 and

4 McDugle of the House

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6 [soldiers and sailors - certain registry - contents
7 and procedures - codification - effective date]
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9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

10 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
11 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 67.16 of Title 72, unless there
12 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

13 A. The Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs shall create and
14 administer a registry of one hundred percent (100%) service-disabled
15 Oklahoma veterans. The registry shall record the name, rank and
16 branch of service and dates of service for all one hundred percent
17 (100%) service-disabled Oklahoma veterans. The Department shall
18 establish a website portal and telephone number for all one hundred
19 percent (100%) service-disabled Oklahoma veterans to join the
20 registry. The Department shall be responsible for verification of
21 all information provided through the registry.

22 B. For the purposes of this section, all members of the
23 registry shall be a veteran as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101, and shall
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1 have been assigned a disability percentage of one hundred percent
2 (100%) by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs.

3 C. The Oklahoma Veterans Commission is authorized to promulgate
4 rules to implement the provisions of this section.

5 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2017.

6 Passed the Senate the 13th day of March, 2017.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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10 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
11 2017.

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