

ENGROSSED HOUSE
BILL NO. 2106

By: Vaughn, Graves,
Hastings, Morgan,
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(Tim), Smaligo, Sullivan
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Thornbrugh, Tyler and
Wells of the House

and

Hendrick of the Senate

An Act relating to damages; disallowing damages
incurred through criminal conduct of plaintiff
under certain circumstances; providing for
codification; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 15 of Title 23, unless there is
created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

No person shall be liable to a plaintiff in any civil action for
damages if, by a preponderance of the evidence, the damages were
incurred as a consequence of the commission, attempted commission or
flight subsequent to the commission or attempted commission of a
crime by the plaintiff, and the amount of force used by the
defendant was not more than the amount necessary to prevent the
commission, attempted commission or flight subsequent to the
commission of that crime.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 1996.

Passed the House of Representatives the 15th day of February,
1996.

Speaker of the House of
Representatives

Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 1996.

President of the Senate