

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 46th Legislature (1997)

HOUSE BILL NO. 1202

By: Paulk

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to criminal procedure; amending 22 O.S. 1991, Section 13, which relates to rights to a speedy trial, counsel and witnesses; clarifying language; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 22 O.S. 1991, Section 13, is amended to read as follows:

Section 13. In a criminal action the defendant is entitled:

1. To a speedy and public trial.
2. To be allowed counsel, as in civil actions, or to appear and defend in person and with counsel; and,
3. To produce witnesses on ~~his~~ behalf of the defendant, and to be confronted with the witnesses against ~~him~~ the defendant in the presence of the court.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 1997.