
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 46th Legislature (1997)

HOUSE BILL NO. 1229

By: Kirby

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to elections; amending 26 O.S. 1991, Section 14-108, which relates to absentee ballots; removing requirement that affidavits be notarized; requiring that affidavits be witnessed; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 26 O.S. 1991, Section 14-108, is amended to read as follows:

Section 14-108. The voter shall be required to mark ~~his~~ the absentee ballot in ink or other manner as prescribed by the Secretary of the State Election Board; seal the ballots in the plain opaque envelope; fill out completely and sign the affidavit, such signature to be ~~notarized by a notary public~~ witnessed by two persons whose signatures and addresses shall appear on the affidavit; seal the plain opaque envelope inside the envelope bearing the affidavit and return both envelopes, sealed inside the return envelope, by United States mail to the county election board.

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

