

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 46th Legislature (1998)

HOUSE BILL NO. 2574

By: Cox

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to telephone service; directing the Corporation Commission to prohibit certain practice called slamming; providing for codification; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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 137.4 of Title 17, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The Corporation Commission shall prohibit any local exchange company or interexchange carrier from changing a consumer's telephone service without first obtaining written approval, an act commonly known as "slamming".

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 1998.

SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

