
SHORT TITLE: State and Education Employees Group Insurance;
changing the penalties for fraud from misdemeanor to felony;
effective date.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 46th Legislature (1997)

SENATE BILL NO. 552

By: Herbert

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to State and Education Employees

Group Insurance; amending 74 O.S. 1991, Section 1323; which relates to penalties for fraud; changing the penalties for fraud from misdemeanor to felony; and declaring an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 1991, Section 1323, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1323. A. Any person who shall knowingly make any false statement, or who shall falsify or permit to be falsified any record necessary for carrying out the intent of the State and Education Employees Group Insurance Act, Section 1301 et seq. of this title, for the purpose of committing fraud, shall be guilty of a ~~misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) or by imprisonment for not exceeding one (1) year~~ felony punishable by imprisonment in the State Penitentiary for not exceeding five (5) years or by a fine not exceeding Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or by both such fine and imprisonment.

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

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