

ENGROSSED SENATE
BILL NO. 1553

By: Weedn of the Senate
and
Seikel of the House

[mental health - emergency detention and involuntary
admission -

emergency]

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 43A O.S. 1991, Section 1-106, as amended by Section 3, Chapter 414, O.S.L. 1999 (43A O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 1-106), is amended to read as follows:

Section 1-106. The district attorneys of this state shall represent the people of the State of Oklahoma in all court proceedings provided for in the Mental Health Law in which ~~the~~:

1. The State of Oklahoma; or

2. A person identified in paragraphs 2-6 of subsection A of Section 5-410 of this title,

is the petitioner for emergency detention and involuntary admissions.

SECTION 2. 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.

Passed the Senate the 29th day of February, 2000.

President of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
2000.

Speaker of the House of
Representatives