

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 47th Legislature (1999)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR
5 HOUSE BILL NO. 1739

By: Case

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8 An Act relating to elections; amending 26 O.S. 1991,
9 Section 5-105a, which relates to offenses which
10 disqualify a person from being a candidate for or
11 holding public office; clarifying disqualification in
12 regards to certain candidates; and providing an
13 effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 26 O.S. 1991, Section 5-105a, is
16 amended to read as follows:

17 Section 5-105a. A. A Except as otherwise provided in the
18 Oklahoma Constitution, a person who has been convicted of a
19 misdemeanor involving embezzlement or a felony under the laws of
20 this state or of the United States or who has entered a plea of
21 guilty or nolo contendere to such misdemeanor involving embezzlement
22 or felony or who has been convicted of a crime in another state
23 which would have been a misdemeanor involving embezzlement or a
24 felony under the laws of this state or has entered a plea of guilty
25 or nolo contendere to such crime shall not be eligible to be a
26 candidate for or to be elected to any state, county, municipal,
27 judicial or school office or any other elective office of any
28 political subdivision of this state for a period of fifteen (15)
29 years following completion of his sentence or during the pendency of
30 an appeal of such conviction or plea.

1 B. The provisions of this section shall not be construed to
2 preclude a person who has received a pardon from being eligible for
3 or from holding public office.

4 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 1999.

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