

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 48th Legislature (2001)

3 SENATE BILL 1

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to elections; stating results of the
8 presidential general election shall not be disclosed
9 before a certain time; amending 26 O.S. 1991, Section
10 7-109.1, which relates to exit polls; stating no
11 person shall conduct exit polls within three hundred
12 feet of any ballot box; providing for codification;
13 and providing for an effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
16 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 14-125.1 of Title 26, unless
17 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

18 Except as otherwise provided for in Section 14-125 of Title 26
19 of the Oklahoma Statutes, no election official shall disclose the
20 results of any presidential general election prior to 9:30 p.m.
21 Central Standard Time.

22 SECTION 2. AMENDATORY 26 O.S. 1991, Section 7-108.1, is
23 amended to read as follows:

24 Section 7-108.1 ~~Any~~ No person desiring to conduct an exit poll
25 shall conduct such poll within three hundred (300) feet of any
26 ballot box ~~shall notify the secretary of the county election board~~
27 ~~of his intentions to do so no later than 5 p.m. on the Wednesday~~
28 ~~preceding the election.~~

29 SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2001.

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