

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 50th Legislature (2006)

HOUSE BILL 2481

By: Rousselot

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to veterans memorial sites; making certain actions unlawful; providing penalties; defining term; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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 50.51 of Title 72, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. It shall be unlawful for any person to engage in picketing or participate in a rally or similar gathering within five hundred (500) feet of any veterans memorial site within the State of Oklahoma. Any person convicted of a violation of this section shall be guilty of a felony punishable by a fine of not less than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), or by imprisonment in the custody of the Department of Corrections for not less than one (1) year, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

B. As used in this section, "picketing" means protest activities engaged in by a person or persons within five hundred (500) feet of any veterans memorial site within the State of Oklahoma.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2006.

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