

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE  
2 BILL NO. 2232

By: Ellis, Harrison, McMullen,  
Shannon, Dorman, Smithson  
and Walker of the House

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7 An Act relating to crimes and punishments; amending  
8 21 O.S. 2001, Sections 1289.19, 1289.20, 1289.21, and  
9 1289.22, which relate to firearms and ammunition;  
10 modifying definitions; expanding certain prohibitions  
11 pertaining to bullets to include armor-piercing  
12 bullets; modifying exceptions; amending 21 O.S. 2001,  
13 Sections 1290.6 and 1290.9, as amended by Section 7,  
14 Chapter 465, O.S.L. 2003 (21 O.S. Supp. 2007, Section  
15 1290.9), which relate to the Oklahoma Self-Defense  
16 Act; expanding prohibited ammunition; modifying  
17 eligibility requirements; and providing an effective  
18 date.

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

20 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2001, Section 1289.19, is  
21 amended to read as follows:

22 Section 1289.19 As used in Sections 1289.20 through 1289.22 of  
23 this title and Section ~~2~~ 1289.26 of this ~~act~~ title:

24 1. "Restricted bullet" means a round or elongated missile with  
a core of less than sixty percent (60%) lead and having a  
fluorocarbon coating, which is designed to travel at a high velocity  
and is capable of penetrating body armor; ~~and~~



1 Section 1289.21

2 POSSESSION OR USE OF RESTRICTED BULLETS

3 A. It shall be unlawful for any person to possess, carry upon  
4 his person, use or attempt to use against another person any  
5 restricted bullet or armor-piercing bullet as defined in Section  
6 1289.19 of this title.

7 B. Any person convicted of violating subsection A of this  
8 section shall be guilty of a felony and shall be punished by  
9 imprisonment in the ~~State Penitentiary~~ custody of the Department of  
10 Corrections for not less than two (2) years nor more than ten (10)  
11 years. The sentence so imposed shall not be suspended.

12 SECTION 4. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2001, Section 1289.22, is  
13 amended to read as follows:

14 Section 1289.22 The prohibition of possessing or using a  
15 restricted bullet or armor-piercing bullet shall not apply to law  
16 enforcement agencies when such bullet is used for testing, training  
17 or demonstration.

18 SECTION 5. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2001, Section 1290.6, is  
19 amended to read as follows:

20 Section 1290.6

21 PROHIBITED AMMUNITION

22 Any concealed handgun when carried in a manner authorized by the  
23 provisions of the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act, ~~Sections 1 through 25~~  
24 ~~of this act~~, when loaded with any ammunition which is either a

1 restricted bullet or armor-piercing bullet as defined by Section  
2 1289.19 of ~~Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes~~ this title or is larger  
3 than .45 caliber or is otherwise prohibited by law shall be deemed a  
4 prohibited weapon for purposes of the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act.  
5 Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be  
6 punished for a criminal offense as provided by Section 1272 of ~~Title~~  
7 ~~21 of the Oklahoma Statutes~~ this title or any other applicable  
8 provision of law. In addition to any criminal prosecution for a  
9 violation of the provisions of this section, the licensee shall be  
10 subject to an administrative fine of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00),  
11 upon a hearing and determination by the Oklahoma State Bureau of  
12 Investigation that the person is in violation of the provisions of  
13 this section.

14 SECTION 6. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2001, Section 1290.9, as  
15 amended by Section 7, Chapter 465, O.S.L. 2003 (21 O.S. Supp. 2007,  
16 Section 1290.9), is amended to read as follows:

17 Section 1290.9

18 ELIGIBILITY

19 The following requirements shall apply to any person making  
20 application to the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation for a  
21 concealed handgun license pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma  
22 Self-Defense Act. The person must:

- 23 1. Be a citizen of the United States;
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1           2. Establish a residency in the State of Oklahoma. For  
2 purposes of the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act, the term "residency"  
3 shall apply to any person who either possesses a valid Oklahoma  
4 driver license or state photo identification card, and physically  
5 resides in this state or has permanent military orders within this  
6 state and possesses a valid driver license from another state where  
7 such person claims residency;

8           3. Be at least:

9           a. eighteen (18) years of age and on active military  
10           duty, National Guard duty or regular military reserve  
11           duty,

12           b. eighteen (18) years of age and be honorably discharged  
13           from active military duty, National Guard duty or  
14           military reserves, or

15           c. twenty-one (21) years of age;

16           4. Complete a firearms safety and training course and  
17 demonstrate competence and qualifications with the type of pistol to  
18 be carried by the person as provided in Section 1290.14 of this  
19 title, and submit proof of training and qualification or an  
20 exemption for training and qualification as authorized by Section  
21 1290.14 of this title;

22           5. Submit the required fee and complete the application process  
23 as provided in Section 1290.12 of this title; and

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