

1 ENGROSSED SENATE  
2 BILL NO. 1994

By: Nichols of the Senate  
and  
Terrill of the House

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6 [ crimes and punishments - false statements - penalty  
7 - codification -  
8 emergency ]  
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10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

11 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
12 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 281 of Title 21, unless there is  
13 created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

14 Any person who knowingly makes or utters a false statement,  
15 either verbally or in writing, to an officer or employee of an  
16 investigative unit of any state agency in the course of an internal  
17 agency investigation shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a  
18 misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment in the county jail for not  
19 more than one (1) year, or by a fine not exceeding Five Hundred  
20 Dollars (\$500.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment.

21 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation  
22 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby  
23 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and  
24 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

1 Passed the Senate the 11th day of March, 2008.

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4 Presiding Officer of the Senate

5 Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
6 2008.

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