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THE STATE SENATE
Thursday, February 21, 2008

Senate Bill No. 1994
As Amended

SENATE BILL NO. 1994 - By: NICHOLS of the Senate and TERRILL of the House.

[crimes and punishments - false statements - penalty -
codification -
emergency]

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 281 of Title 21, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

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

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

1 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JURISPRUDENCE, dated
2 2-20-08 - DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.