

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2010)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR

5 HOUSE BILL NO. 1350

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8 An Act relating to elections; amending 26 O.S. 2001,  
9 Section 4-101, as amended by Section 3, Chapter 447,  
10 O.S.L. 2002 (26 O.S. Supp. 2009, Section 4-101),  
11 which relates to voter registration; modifying voting  
12 rights of convicted felons; and providing an  
13 effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 26 O.S. 2001, Section 4-101, as  
16 amended by Section 3, Chapter 447, O.S.L. 2002 (26 O.S. Supp. 2009,  
17 Section 4-101), is amended to read as follows:

18 Section 4-101. Every person who is a qualified elector as  
19 defined by Section 1 of Article III of the Oklahoma Constitution  
20 shall be entitled to become a registered voter in the precinct of  
21 his residence, with the following exceptions:

22 1. ~~Persons~~ A person convicted of a felony shall be ineligible  
23 to register for a period of time equal to the time prescribed in the  
24 ~~judgment and sentence~~ until the person completes his or her

1 sentence, including any terms of incarceration, parole or probation,  
2 at which time, the individual's right to vote shall be restored upon  
3 registering to vote and meeting other eligibility requirements. If  
4 the individual is released from supervision early, the individual  
5 may not register to vote until his or her original sentence, as  
6 handed down by the sentencing judge, expires. If the court has  
7 issued a deferred sentence, the person shall be eligible to vote if  
8 all other requirements are met.

9       2. Any person who has been adjudged to be an incapacitated  
10 person as such term is defined by Section 1-111 of Title 30 of the  
11 Oklahoma Statutes, shall be ineligible to register to vote. When  
12 such incapacitated person has been adjudged to be no longer  
13 incapacitated such person shall be eligible to become a registered  
14 voter. The provisions of this paragraph shall not prohibit any  
15 person adjudged to be a partially incapacitated person as such term  
16 is defined by Section 1-111 of Title 30 of the Oklahoma Statutes  
17 from being eligible to register to vote unless the order adjudging  
18 the person to be partially incapacitated restricts such persons from  
19 being eligible to register to vote.

20       SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2010.

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