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THE STATE SENATE
Monday, February 23, 2009

Senate Bill No. 1020
As Amended

SENATE BILL NO. 1020 - By: Nichols and Gumm of the Senate and
Terrill of the House.

[crimes and punishments - transmission of child pornography
- codification - effective date -
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 1040.8A of Title 21, unless
there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

No person shall knowingly transmit child pornography by use of
the Internet or by any electronic, photo-electronic or photo-optical
system, including, but not limited to, transmission by wire, cable
or wireless means. The person transmitting child pornography may be
indicted and tried in any county from which such material is sent,
or in which it is received. Any person who violates any provision
of this section, upon conviction, shall be guilty of a felony
punishable by imprisonment in the custody of the Department of
Corrections for a term of not less than five (5) years nor more than
life, or by a fine in an amount not exceeding Ten Thousand Dollars
(\$10,000.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2009.

1 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
2 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby
3 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
4 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

5 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, dated 2-18-09 - DO
6 PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.