

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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

3 HOUSE BILL 3408

By: Nelson

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to marriage; amending 43 O.S. 2001,  
8 Section 14, which relates to penalties for  
solemnizing unlawful marriages; clarifying language;  
9 and providing an effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 43 O.S. 2001, Section 14, is  
14 amended to read as follows:

15 Section 14. Any minister of the Gospel, or other person  
16 authorized to solemnize the rites of matrimony within this state,  
17 who shall knowingly solemnize the rites of matrimony between persons  
18 prohibited by this chapter, from intermarrying shall be deemed  
19 guilty of a felony, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in  
20 any sum not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) and  
21 imprisonment in the ~~State Penitentiary~~ custody of the Department of  
22 Corrections for not less than one (1) year nor more than five (5)  
23 years.  
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SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2010.

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