

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 SENATE BILL 1889

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to investigations; amending 74 O.S.
8 2011, Section 360.17, which relates to jurisdiction
9 of campus police officers; requiring notice to
10 district attorney for certain crimes; requiring
11 notice of completion; and providing an effective
12 date.

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

13 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2011, Section 360.17, is
14 amended to read as follows:

15 Section 360.17. A. The jurisdiction of campus police officers
16 includes the campus and pursuant to an agreement authorized by this
17 act, the highways, streets, roads, alleys, easements, and other
18 public ways immediately adjacent to their campus and any other areas
19 authorized by such agreement. This delineation of jurisdiction,
20 however, shall not be understood as limiting the completion of any
21 necessary enforcement activities which began within these
22 jurisdictions and are in compliance with the agreements made with
23 the municipality or county sheriff pursuant to this act. In the
24 absence of an agreement, only those law enforcement activities which

1 began on campus may be completed off campus and such activities must
2 be completed in a timely manner. Such law enforcement activities
3 shall only be authorized if the campus police have coordinated the
4 activities with the local law enforcement agency having jurisdiction
5 in that off campus area. In addition, a campus police officer shall
6 have jurisdiction in other locations pursuant to an agreement
7 authorized by this act. Such agreement may authorize the chief
8 administrative officer of the law enforcement agency to request
9 assistance pursuant to the agreement. Campus police officers,
10 commissioned pursuant to this act, shall have the same powers,
11 liabilities, and immunities as sheriffs or police officers within
12 their jurisdiction.

13 B. As limited by law, the provisions of this section, and the
14 governing board, a CLEET certified campus police officer shall have
15 the authority to enforce:

16 1. State criminal statutes;

17 2. Municipal ordinances, if authorized by an agreement with the
18 municipality; and

19 3. Rules and regulations of the school or institution of higher
20 education employing such campus police officer.

21 C. As limited by law, the provisions of this section, and the
22 governing board, the campus police department shall have the same
23 authority as a municipal police department.

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1 D. Campus police departments formed by private institutions of
2 higher education pursuant to this act shall be deemed to be public
3 agencies in the State of Oklahoma for the limited purposes of
4 enforcing the criminal statutes of Oklahoma and making agreements
5 with local law enforcement agencies or political subdivisions of the
6 state pursuant to this act.

7 E. Upon the effective date of this act, all campus police
8 departments of this state shall notify the district attorney
9 situated in the county where the campus police department is located
10 of any complaint received by the campus police on any alleged crime
11 of rape or child abuse that is to have occurred within the
12 jurisdictional boundaries of the campus. Such notice shall be
13 submitted within three (3) days of receiving the complaint. Upon
14 completion of the investigation of the complaint, the campus police
15 shall notify the district attorney of the results of the
16 investigation and whether or not the complaint is going to be
17 prosecuted pursuant to Section 360.21 of this title or if the
18 complaint was closed without prosecution.

19 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2012.

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