

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 54th Legislature (2013)

3 HOUSE BILL 2284

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to nursing facilities; requiring
8 licensed nursing facility to operate surveillance
9 cameras in certain areas of the facility; directing
10 facility to retain surveillance footage for certain
time period; requiring surveillance footage be made
available for inspection; providing for codification;
and providing an effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-1910.1 of Title 63, unless
16 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 A. No nursing facility shall be licensed to operate or continue
18 to operate unless, in addition to compliance with other current
19 licensure requirements, the nursing facility is equipped with
20 functioning surveillance cameras recording the view of all entrances
21 and exits, hallways and common areas of the facility.

22 B. A nursing facility shall retain surveillance footage of the
23 areas listed in subsection A of this section for a period of not
24 less than fourteen (14) days and the surveillance footage shall be

1 made available, upon written request, for public inspection,
2 inspection by any law enforcement officer or inspection by any
3 representative of the State Department of Health.

4 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2013.

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