

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 55th Legislature (2016)

3 SENATE BILL 964

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to change of name; amending 12 O.S.
8 2011, Section 1631, as amended by Section 1, Chapter
9 35, O.S.L. 2014 (12 O.S. Supp. 2015, Section 1631),
which relates to right to petition for change of
name; creating certain exception; 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 12 O.S. 2011, Section 1631, as
14 amended by Section 1, Chapter 35, O.S.L. 2014 (12 O.S. Supp. 2015,
15 Section 1631), is amended to read as follows:

16 Section 1631. Any natural person, who has been domiciled in
17 this state or who has been residing upon any military reservation
18 located in said state, for more than thirty (30) days, and has been
19 an actual resident of the county or such military reservation
20 situated in said county, or county in which the military reservation
21 is situated, for more than thirty (30) days, next preceding the
22 filing of the action, may petition for a change of name in a civil
23 action in the district court; provided, no person who has been
24 convicted of a violent crime as defined in Section 571 of Title 57

1 of the Oklahoma Statutes or who is required to register as a sex
2 offender pursuant to the Oklahoma Sex Offenders Registration Act may
3 petition for a change of name. If the person be a minor, the action
4 may be brought by guardian or next friend as in other actions.

5 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2016.

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