

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
2 BILL NO. 2232

By: Mulready of the House

3 and

4 Newberry of the Senate

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6 An Act relating to counties and county officers;
7 amending 19 O.S. 2011, Section 517.1, as amended by
8 Section 1, Chapter 299, O.S.L. 2014 (19 O.S. Supp.
9 2016, Section 517.1), which relates to departmental
10 records; providing time period that certain
11 recordings from equipment attached to law enforcement
12 officers shall be kept; and providing an effective
13 date.

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

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 19 O.S. 2011, Section 517.1, as
16 amended by Section 1, Chapter 299, O.S.L. 2014 (19 O.S. Supp. 2016,
17 Section 517.1), is amended to read as follows:

18 Section 517.1 A. The governing body of each county may
19 establish a length of time for the county to keep departmental
20 records and authorize the sheriff to properly dispose of or convert
21 to microfilm or a similar medium all records not specifically
22 addressed in other statutes. ~~Such~~

23 B. Except as otherwise provided in this section, records shall
24 be kept for a minimum of seven (7) years; ~~provided, however.~~
However, if the sheriff is the sole source for such records, the
records shall be kept for a minimum of seven (7) years; provided,

1 that any audio or video recordings from recording equipment attached
2 to the person of a law enforcement officer that depict anything
3 other than an officer-involved shooting, use of lethal force,
4 incidents involving medical treatment, incidents where a written
5 application is received for the preservation of the specific event,
6 or upon request of the district attorney may be kept at a minimum of
7 one (1) year to be determined by the county sheriff.

8 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2017.

9 Passed the House of Representatives the 21st day of March, 2017.

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12 Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

13 Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 2017.

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