

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 February 27, 2019

3 **AS AMENDED**

4 SENATE BILL NO. 987

5 By: Dahm

6 [officers - causes for removal - willful neglect of
7 duty - effective date]
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9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

10 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 22 O.S. 2011, Section 1181, is
11 amended to read as follows:

12 Section 1181. Any officer not subject to impeachment elected or
13 appointed to any state, county, township, city, town, or other
14 office under the laws of the state may, in the manner provided in
15 this article, be removed from office for any of the following
16 causes:

17 First. Habitual or willful neglect of duty, which, for a state
18 officer, shall include, but not be limited to, giving false
19 testimony to a committee of either house of the Legislature,
20 engaging in operations beyond the constitutional or statutory
21 authority delegated to the agency that the officer is employed by or
22 serves, or repeatedly refusing to provide information to a
23 committee, either house or a member of the Legislature in a timely
24 manner.

1 Second. Gross partiality in office.

2 Third. Oppression in office.

3 Fourth. Corruption in office.

4 Fifth. Extortion or willful overcharge of fees in office.

5 Sixth. Willful maladministration.

6 Seventh. Habitual drunkenness.

7 Eighth. Failure to produce and account for all public funds and
8 property in his or her hands, at any settlement or inspection
9 authorized or required by law.

10 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

11 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON RULES
12 February 27, 2019 - DO PASS AS AMENDED
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