

1 ENGROSSED SENATE  
2 BILL NO. 403

By: Stanley, Paxton and Weaver  
of the Senate

3 and

4 Manger and McDugle of the  
5 House

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7 An Act relating to crime and punishment; amending 21  
8 O.S. 2011, Section 280, which relates to the  
9 disturbance, interference or disruption of state  
business; modifying entity inclusions; and declaring  
an emergency.

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

13 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2011, Section 280, is  
14 amended to read as follows:

15 Section 280. A. It is unlawful for any person, alone or in  
16 concert with others and without authorization, to willfully disturb,  
17 interfere or disrupt state business or the business of any political  
18 subdivision, which includes publicly posted meetings, or any agency  
19 operations or any employee, agent, official or representative of the  
20 state or political subdivision.

21 B. It is unlawful for any person who is without authority or  
22 who is causing any disturbance, interference or disruption to  
23 willfully refuse to disperse or leave any property, building or  
24 structure owned, leased or occupied by state officials or any

1 political subdivision or its employees, agents or representatives  
2 or used in any manner to conduct state business or any political  
3 subdivision's business or operations after proper notice by a peace  
4 officer, sergeant-at-arms, or other security personnel.

5 C. Any violation of the provisions of this section shall be a  
6 misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment in the county jail for a term  
7 of not more than one (1) year, by a fine not exceeding One Thousand  
8 Dollars (\$1,000.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment.

9 D. For purposes of this section, "disturb, interfere or  
10 disrupt" means any conduct that is violent, threatening, abusive,  
11 obscene, or that jeopardizes the safety of self or others.

12 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation  
13 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby  
14 declared to exist, by reason whereof this resolution shall take  
15 effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

1 Passed the Senate the 2nd day of March, 2021.

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4 Presiding Officer of the Senate

5 Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
6 2021.

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