

Bill Summary
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Bill Analysis

HB 1024 prohibits any person who has been convicted of a violent crime or a crime that requires the person to register as a sex offender in this state or another state from applying for or obtaining a license to serve process. Currently licensed persons subject to this prohibition shall not have their license renewed. The measure strikes language which required a person applying to be a process server to publish notice of the hearing for a license. The measure requires notice of the application to be sent to the Administrative Office of the Courts. Any person who knowingly and willfully serves process in Oklahoma without a process server license or who holds himself or herself out to be a process server licensed by the State of Oklahoma when the person is not licensed shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. The measure provides that assault of a process server is a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for up to 1 year in the county jail, a fine of not more than \$1,000, or both such fine and imprisonment. The measure states that it is a crime to fail to control an animal at the time a legal process is being served.

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