

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to crimes and punishment; amending 21
8 O.S. 2011, Section 1268.1, as amended by Section 1,
9 Chapter 154, O.S.L. 2016 (21 O.S. Supp. 2020, Section
10 1268.1), which relates to definitions; modifying
11 certain definition; updating statutory reference; and
12 providing an effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2011, Section 1268.1, as
15 amended by Section 1, Chapter 154, O.S.L. 2016 (21 O.S. Supp. 2020,
16 Section 1268.1), is amended to read as follows:

17 Section 1268.1. As used in ~~this act~~ the Oklahoma Antiterrorism
18 Act:

19 1. "Biochemical assault" means the intentional delivery of any
20 substance or material to another person without lawful cause,
21 whether or not such substance or material is toxic, noxious or
22 lethal to humans, to:

- 23 a. cause intimidation, fear or anxiety and a reasonable
24 belief by the victim that death, disease, injury or
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1 illness will occur as a result of contamination by
2 such substance or material and, based upon that
3 belief, an emergency response is necessary, or

4 b. poison, injure, harm or cause disease or illness to
5 any person;

6 2. "Biochemical terrorism" means an act of terrorism involving
7 any biological organism, pathogen, bacterium, virus, chemical or its
8 toxins, isomers, salts or compounds, or any combination of
9 organisms, viruses or chemicals that is capable of and intended to
10 cause death, disease, injury, illness or harm to any human or animal
11 upon contact or ingestion, or harm to any food supply, plant, water
12 supply, drink, medicine or other product used for or consumed by
13 humans or animals;

14 3. "Conduct" includes initiating, concluding, or participating
15 in initiating or concluding a transaction;

16 4. "Financial institution" includes:

17 a. any financial institution, as defined in Section
18 5312(a)(2) of Title 31 of the United States Code, or
19 the regulations promulgated thereunder, and

20 b. any foreign bank, as defined in Section 3101 of Title
21 12 of the United States Code;

22 5. "Financial transaction" means:

23 a. a transaction which in any way or degree affects
24 state, interstate or foreign commerce;

1 (1) involving the movement of funds by wire or other
2 means,

3 (2) involving one or more monetary instruments, or

4 (3) involving the transfer of title to any real
5 property, vehicle, vessel, or aircraft, or

6 b. a transaction involving the use of a financial
7 institution which is engaged in, or the activities of
8 which affect, state, interstate or foreign commerce in
9 any way or degree;

10 6. "Monetary instrument" means:

11 a. coin or currency of the United States or of any other
12 country, travelers' checks, personal checks, bank
13 checks, and money orders, or

14 b. investment securities or negotiable instruments, in
15 bearer form or otherwise in such form that title
16 thereto passes upon delivery;

17 7. "Proceeds" means all monies, negotiable instruments, and
18 securities received, used, or intended to be used to facilitate any
19 violation of the Oklahoma Antiterrorism Act;

20 8. "Terrorism" means one or more kidnappings or other act of
21 violence, or a series of acts of violence, resulting in damage to
22 property, personal injury or death, or the threat of such act or
23 acts that appears to be intended:

24 a. to intimidate or coerce a civilian population,

- 1 b. to influence the policy or conduct of a government by
2 intimidation or coercion, or
3 c. in retaliation for the policy or conduct of a
4 government by intimidation or coercion.

5 Peaceful picketing or boycotts and other nonviolent action shall
6 not be considered terrorism.

7 As used in this subsection, "intimidate" shall include, but not
8 be limited to, the use of telecommunication or electronic
9 communication as defined in subsection B of Section 1172 of this
10 title to publicly disseminate a person's home address, telephone
11 number, social media profile or current employer;

12 9. "Terrorism hoax" means the willful conduct to simulate an
13 act of terrorism as a joke, hoax, prank or trick against a place,
14 population, business, agency or government by:

- 15 a. the intentional use of any substance to cause fear,
16 intimidation or anxiety and a reasonable belief by any
17 victim that such substance is used, placed, sent,
18 delivered or otherwise employed as an act of
19 biochemical terrorism requiring an emergency response
20 or the evacuation or quarantine of any person, place
21 or article, or
22 b. any act or threat of violence, sabotage, damage or
23 harm against a population, place or infrastructure
24 that causes fear, intimidation or anxiety and a

1 reasonable belief by any victim that such act or
2 threat is an act of terrorism to disrupt any place,
3 population, business, agency or government;

4 10. "Terrorist activity" means to plan, aid or abet an act of
5 terrorism or aid or abet any person who plans or commits an act of
6 terrorism; and

7 11. "Transaction" includes a purchase, sale, loan, pledge,
8 gift, transfer, delivery, or other disposition, and with respect to
9 a financial institution includes a deposit, withdrawal, transfer
10 between accounts, exchange of currency, loan, extension of credit,
11 purchase or sale of any stock, bond, certificate of deposit, or
12 other monetary instrument, use of a safe deposit box, or any other
13 payment, transfer, or delivery by, through, or to a financial
14 institution, by whatever means effected.

15 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2021.

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