

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 2nd Session of the 59th Legislature (2024)

4 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
5 FOR
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 3217

By: West (Kevin) of the House

and

Bullard of the Senate

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11 An Act relating to state government; enacting the
12 Patriotism Not Pride Act; defining term; prohibiting
13 use of state funds for designated purposes;
14 prohibiting display of certain flags on state
15 property; providing for codification; providing for
16 noncodification; providing an effective date; and
17 declaring an emergency.

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

19 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law not to be
20 codified in the Oklahoma Statutes reads as follows:

21 This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Patriotism Not
22 Pride Act".

23 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
24 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 13001 of Title 74, unless there
is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

1 A. As used in this section "agency" means any agency, board,
2 commission, department or other state government entity created
3 pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Constitution or the
4 Oklahoma Statutes.

5 B. No funds may be used by any agency to develop, organize,
6 administer, engage in, promote, or endorse any activity, including
7 any event, initiative, official communication, social media post,
8 educational program, or public campaign, that aims to promote or
9 recognize Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer and Intersex
10 Pride Month or any event with a similar theme.

11 C. No flag that represents sexual orientation or gender
12 identity may be displayed by an agency on state property or grounds.

13 SECTION 3. This act shall become effective July 1, 2024.

14 SECTION 4. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
15 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
16 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
17 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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19 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON STATE POWERS, dated 02/07/2024 -
20 DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.

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