

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:

CHAIR:

I move to amend HB3431 _____ Of the printed Bill
Page _____ Section _____ Lines _____

Of the Engrossed Bill

By deleting the content of the entire measure, and by inserting in lieu
thereof the following language:

AMEND TITLE TO CONFORM TO AMENDMENTS

Adopted: _____

Amendment submitted by: Jonathan Wilk _____

Reading Clerk

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 60th Legislature (2026)

3 PROPOSED POLICY
4 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
5 FOR
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 3431

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8 By: Wilk

9 PROPOSED POLICY COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

10 An Act relating to foreign government adversaries;
11 amending 60 O.S. 2021, Section 121, as last amended
12 by Section 1, Chapter 373, O.S.L. 2024 (60 O.S. Supp.
13 2025, Section 121), which relates to alien or foreign
14 government adversary ownership; modifying definition;
15 prohibiting a foreign government adversary from
16 owning any interest in critical minerals; and
17 providing an effective date.

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

19 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 60 O.S. 2021, Section 121, as last
20 amended by Section 1, Chapter 373, O.S.L. 2024 (60 O.S. Supp. 2025,
21 Section 121), is amended to read as follows:

22 Section 121. A. As used in Sections 121 through 127 of this
23 title:

24 1. "Deed" means any instrument in writing whereby land is
25 assigned, transferred, or otherwise conveyed to, or vested in, the
26 person coming into title or, at his or her direction, any other
27 person;

1 2. "Foreign government adversary" means a government other than
2 the federal government of the United States, the government of any
3 state, political subdivision of the state, tribe, territory, or
4 possession of the United States and designated as a foreign
5 government adversary by the United States ~~Secretary of State as~~
6 ~~hostile or a Country of Particular Concern (CPC) Department of~~
7 Energy;

8 3. "Foreign government enterprise" means a business entity,
9 sovereign wealth fund, or state-backed investment fund in which a
10 foreign government adversary holds a controlling interest;

11 4. "Foreign government entity" means a government other than
12 the federal government of the United States, the government of any
13 state, political subdivision of the state, tribe, territory, or
14 possession of the United States; and

15 5. "Land" means the same as defined in Section 6 of this title,
16 but shall not include oil, gas, other minerals, or any interest
17 therein.

18 B. No alien or any person who is not a citizen of the United
19 States or foreign government adversary shall acquire title to or own
20 land in this state either directly or indirectly through a business
21 entity, trust, or foreign government enterprise, except as
22 hereinafter provided, but they shall have and enjoy in this state
23 such rights as to personal property as are, or shall be, accorded a
24 citizen of the United States under the laws of the nation to which

1 such alien belongs, or by the treaties of such nation with the
2 United States, except as the same may be affected by the provisions
3 of Section 121 et seq. of this title or the Constitution of this
4 state. Provided, however, the requirements of this subsection shall
5 not apply to a business entity that is engaged in regulated
6 interstate commerce or has a national security agreement with the
7 Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS) in
8 accordance with federal law.

9 Furthermore, no foreign government adversary shall acquire any
10 ownership or leasehold interest in any critical minerals, as
11 determined by the United States Geological Survey (USGS), within the
12 state.

13 C. On or after November 1, 2023, any deed recorded with a
14 county clerk shall include as an exhibit to the deed an affidavit
15 executed by the person, the person's attorney-in-fact, a court-
16 appointed guardian or personal representative, an authorized officer
17 of the entity, or trustee of the trust coming into title attesting
18 that the person, business entity, or trust is obtaining the land in
19 compliance with the requirements of this section and that no funding
20 source is being used in the sale or transfer in violation of this
21 section or any other state or federal law. A county clerk shall not
22 accept and record any deed without an affidavit as required by this
23 section which is duly notarized pursuant to Title 49 of the Oklahoma
24 Statutes. The requirements of this subsection shall not apply to a:

- 1 1. Deed which, without additional consideration, confirms,
2 corrects, modifies, or supplements a deed previously recorded;
- 3 2. Deed made by a grantor to cure a defect in title or
4 effectuate a disclaimer of interest in real property;
- 5 3. Transfer-on-death deed made by a grantor designating a
6 grantee beneficiary pursuant to the Nontestamentary Transfer of
7 Property Act, Section 1251 et seq. of Title 58 of the Oklahoma
8 Statutes;
- 9 4. State or federal court order in an action to quiet title or
10 to cure a defect in title;
- 11 5. State or federal court order or decree in probate,
12 partition, quiet title, and divorce actions;
- 13 6. Deed which secures a debt or other obligation, or which
14 releases such property as security for a debt or other obligation;
- 15 7. Deed of dedication to the public; or
- 16 8. Deed in favor of the United States or any of its political
17 subdivisions, a state or any of its political subdivisions, or a
18 tribe.

19 The applicable exemption shall be shown on the face of the deed
20 prior to the recording of the deed and no affidavit shall be
21 required.

22 D. The Attorney General shall promulgate a separate affidavit
23 form for individuals and for business entities or trusts to comply
24 with the requirements of this section. The Attorney General may

1 establish additional exemptions which the Attorney General deems
2 necessary to substantially comply with the requirements of this
3 section. The county clerk may accept an affidavit in substantial
4 compliance with the affidavit form promulgated by the Attorney
5 General.

6 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2026.

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