

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 March 4, 2026

3 SENATE BILL NO. 1491

By: Paxton of the Senate

4 and

5 Hilbert of the House

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8 An Act relating to Presidential Electors; amending 26
9 O.S. 2021, Section 10-108, which relates to
10 vacancies; updating statutory language; prescribing
oath for Electors filling vacancies; and providing an
effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 26 O.S. 2021, Section 10-108, is
15 amended to read as follows:

16 In the event any Presidential Elector fails to meet at the
17 Governor's office at the prescribed time or refuses or fails to vote
18 for the persons nominated for the offices of President and Vice
19 President by the political party ~~which~~ that nominated the
20 Presidential Elector, ~~it shall be the duty of~~ the Electors present
21 at the prescribed time and place ~~aforsaid to shall~~ appoint a person
22 to fill such vacancy. The person appointed to fill the vacancy
23 shall subscribe to an oath stating that the appointee will cast a
24 ballot for the persons nominated for the offices of President and

1 Vice President by the appointee's political party. The oath shall
2 be witnessed by the Governor or the Governor's designee and filed
3 with the Secretary of State.

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

5 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON RULES
6 March 4, 2026 - DO PASS
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