

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE  
2 BILL NO. 1216

By: Bennett (Forrest) of the  
House

3 and

4 Floyd of the Senate  
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7 An Act relating to Internet access; providing state  
8 and local government entities not prohibited from  
9 entering into certain agreements regarding Wi-Fi  
hotspots; providing for codification; and providing  
an effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1031 of Title 15, unless there  
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 No state governmental entity and no political subdivision,  
17 including but not limited to a common school district, shall be  
18 prohibited from entering into an agreement with the provider of  
19 Internet services or telecommunications services for the creation of  
20 a "Wi-Fi hotspot" within or in close proximity to a structure owned  
21 by the state governmental entity or political subdivision or which  
22 is under its control pursuant to a lease or license from another  
23 entity.

24 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2017.

1 Passed the House of Representatives the 21st day of March, 2017.

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4 Presiding Officer of the House  
of Representatives

5 Passed the Senate the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017.

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