

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE BILL 3892

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to missing children; amending 74 O.S.
8 2011, Section 150.12A, which relates to missing or
9 runaway persons; requiring that law enforcement
gather biographical and contact information in
certain circumstances; 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 74 O.S. 2011, Section 150.12A, is
15 amended to read as follows:

16 Section 150.12A A. It shall be the duty of any sheriff, chief
17 of police, city marshal, constable, or any other law enforcement
18 officer, immediately upon receipt of any report of a missing or
19 runaway person, to send one copy of such report to the Oklahoma
20 State Bureau of Investigation and enter such information, when
21 applicable, to the National Crime Information Center. Within
22 seventy-two (72) hours of location or discovery of the missing or
23 runaway person, the sheriff, chief of police, city marshal,
24 constable, or any other law enforcement officer shall notify the

1 Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation and remove the entry from the
2 National Crime Information Center. Upon location or discovery of
3 the missing or runaway person, the sheriff, chief of police, city
4 marshal, constable or any other law enforcement officer shall
5 immediately make the appropriate entry to the National Crime
6 Information Center in accordance with NCIC standard operating
7 procedures.

8 B. The Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation and the Oklahoma
9 Law Enforcement Telecommunications System shall jointly establish
10 the procedures and guidelines necessary for enacting and maintaining
11 an electronic database for missing and runaway persons in the State
12 of Oklahoma which is compatible with the data collection entry
13 procedures of the National Crime Information Center. The Oklahoma
14 State Bureau of Investigation shall establish guidelines for law
15 enforcement officers concerning the collection and dissemination of
16 information concerning missing or runaway persons.

17 C. Whenever a missing or runaway person report regarding a
18 person born in the State of Oklahoma and under eighteen (18) years
19 of age is received by a sheriff, chief of police, city marshal,
20 constable or any other law enforcement officer, and there is reason
21 to believe that the person is the victim of a family abduction, the
22 reporting agency shall collect detailed biographical and contact
23 information for all involved parties, including the reporting party,
24 any alleged suspects and the alleged missing or involved child. The

1 reporting agency shall notify the Oklahoma State Bureau of
2 Investigation, ~~the~~. The Bureau shall immediately notify the State
3 Commissioner of Health that the person has been reported to be
4 missing. The Director of the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation
5 and the State Commissioner of Health shall jointly establish the
6 procedures and forms necessary for the transmittal of information
7 between the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation and the State
8 Department of Health required pursuant to the provisions of Section
9 150.1 et seq. of this title.

10 D. The Bureau shall establish a program to periodically
11 publicize the names and pictures of missing children along with a
12 missing children ~~hot-line~~ hotline number on OETA.

13 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2020.

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