

1 ENGROSSED SENATE  
BILL NO. 414

By: Paxton of the Senate

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3 and

4 Boles of the House

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6 An Act relating to manslaughter; amending 22 O.S.  
7 2011, Section 151, which relates to statute of  
8 limitations; increasing statute of limitations for  
9 certain crimes; defining term.

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

11 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 22 O.S. 2011, Section 151, is  
12 amended to read as follows:

13 Section 151. A. There is no limitation of the time within  
14 which a prosecution for murder must be commenced. It may be  
15 commenced at any time after the death of the person killed.

16 B. Prosecutions for the crimes of first degree manslaughter and  
17 second degree manslaughter shall be commenced within ten (10) years  
18 after the discovery of the crime. For purposes of this subsection,  
19 "discovery" means the date the crime is reported to a law  
20 enforcement agency.

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1 Passed the Senate the 12th day of February, 2020.

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5 Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
6 2020.

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