

An Act

ENROLLED SENATE
BILL NO. 922

By: Simpson of the Senate

and

Roberts (Dustin) of the
House

An Act relating to the Adjutant General; amending 44 O.S. 2011, Section 26, which relates to duties of the Adjutant General; authorizing Adjutant General to delegate authority under certain circumstances; authorizing Adjutant General to promulgate rules; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

SUBJECT: Adjutant General

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 44 O.S. 2011, Section 26, is amended to read as follows:

Section 26. A. The Adjutant General shall be in control of the Military Department of the state, subordinate only to the Governor. Within the limitations and under the provisions of law, he or she shall supervise and direct the National Guard within the service of the state and when under state control in all of its organization, training and other activities; shall receive and give effect to the orders of the Governor; and shall perform such other military and defense duties, not otherwise assigned by law, as the Governor may prescribe.

B. The Adjutant General, when absent from the State, may delegate any authority vested under this code or any such duties as an agency appointing authority to an Assistant Adjutant General or

other state officer or employee within the Military Department. The Adjutant General is authorized to promulgate rules to provide for the delegation of any such authority.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2016.

SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Passed the Senate the 23rd day of February, 2016.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the 13th day of April, 2016.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Received by the Office of the Governor this _____

day of _____, 20_____, at _____ o'clock _____ M.

By: _____

Approved by the Governor of the State of Oklahoma this _____

day of _____, 20_____, at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Governor of the State of Oklahoma

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

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