1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA 2 1st Session of the 59th Legislature (2023) 3 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 11 By: Coleman 4 5 6 AS INTRODUCED 7 A Joint Resolution directing the Secretary of State to refer to the people for their approval or 8 rejection a proposed amendment to Section 15 of Article II of the Oklahoma Constitution; authorizing 9 Legislature to enact provisions related to certain offenders; specifying certain allowable requirements; 10 clarifying timing of required compliance; construing provisions; providing ballot title; and directing 11 filing. 12 13 14 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 15 1ST SESSION OF THE 59TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE: 16 SECTION 1. The Secretary of State shall refer to the people for 17 their approval or rejection, as and in the manner provided by law, 18 the following proposed amendment to Section 15 of Article II of the 19 Oklahoma Constitution to read as follows: 20 Section 15. A. No bill of attainder, ex post facto law, nor 21 any law impairing the obligation of contracts, shall ever be passed. 22 No conviction shall work a corruption of blood or forfeiture of 23 estate: Provided, that this provision shall not prohibit the

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imposition of pecuniary penalties.

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1	B. The Legislature may enact or amend by statute provisions
2	related to sex offenders if such provisions are rationally related
3	to protecting the public from sex-based crimes. Such provisions
4	include but are not limited to those related to sex offender
5	registration requirements, duration of registration requirements,
6	proximity to areas frequented by vulnerable populations such as
7	children, mentally disabled persons, and the elderly, and
8	disclosures to be made by the offender. Persons required by law to
9	be registered as a sex offender shall comply with any such
10	enactments or amendments after implemented. Subsequent changes
11	regulating residence of a person required by law to be registered as
12	a sex offender shall be applicable when the offender establishes a
13	new residence. A statute enacted by the Legislature in accordance
14	with the requirements of this subsection shall not be deemed a
15	violation of subsection A of this section.
16	SECTION 2. The Ballot Title for the proposed Constitutional
17	amendment as set forth in SECTION 1 of this resolution shall be in
18	the following form:
19	BALLOT TITLE
20	Legislative Referendum No State Question No
21	THE GIST OF THE PROPOSITION IS AS FOLLOWS:
22	This measure amends Section 15 of Article 2 of the Oklahoma
23	Constitution. This section establishes that the Legislature can
24	enact laws related to regulation of sex offenders. The measure

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1	states that new statutes will apply when an offender establishes
2	a new residence.
3	SHALL THE PROPOSAL BE APPROVED?
4	FOR THE PROPOSAL — YES
5	AGAINST THE PROPOSAL - NO
6	SECTION 3. The President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall,
7	immediately after the passage of this resolution, prepare and file
8	one copy thereof, including the Ballot Title set forth in SECTION 2
9	hereof, with the Secretary of State and one copy with the Attorney
10	General.
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