An Act

ENROLLED HOUSE
BILL NO. 3510

By: O'Donnell, Turner and Ritze of the House

and

Bingman and Holt of the Senate

An Act relating to crimes and punishments; amending 21 O.S. 2011, Section 733, which relates to justifiable homicide; clarifying certain provision; defining term; and declaring an emergency.

SUBJECT: Justifiable homicide

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2011, Section 733, is amended to read as follows:

Section 733. A. Homicide is also justifiable when committed by any person in ~~either~~ any of the following cases:

1. When resisting any attempt to murder such person, or to commit any felony upon him, or upon or in any dwelling house in which such person is; ~~or,~~

2. When committed in the lawful defense of such person~~,~~ or of ~~his or her husband, wife, parent, child, master, mistress, or servant~~ another, when ~~there is a reasonable ground to apprehend a design to commit~~ the person using force reasonably believes such force is necessary to prevent death or great bodily harm to himself or herself or another or to terminate or prevent the commission of a forcible felony~~, or to do some great personal injury, and imminent danger of such design being accomplished~~; or~~,~~

3. When necessarily committed in attempting, by lawful ways and means, to apprehend any person for any felony committed; or in

lawfully suppressing any riot; or in lawfully keeping and preserving the peace.

B. As used in this section, "forcible felony" means any felony which involves the use or threat of physical force or violence against any person.

SECTION 2. 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 House of Representatives the 15th day of May, 2014.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

Passed the Senate the 23rd day of May, 2014.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Received by the Office of the Governor this 23rd

day of May, 20 14, at 3:40 o'clock P M.

By: Audrey Rockwell

Approved by the Governor of the State of Oklahoma this 3rd

day of June, 20 14, at 10:38 o'clock A M.

Governor of the State of Oklahoma

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Received by the Office of the Secretary of State this 3rd

day of June, 20 14, at 1:38 o'clock P. M.

By: Chi Benge