



OFFICE OF

No. SB 1315

**THE GOVERNOR
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.,

June 4, 2014

TIME SIGNED: 3:25pm

TO THE HONORABLE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE
AND MEMBERS OF THE OKLAHOMA SENATE
SECOND SESSION OF THE
FIFTY FOURTH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE

ENROLLED SENATE BILL NO. 1315:

This is to advise you that on this date, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 11 of Article VI of the Oklahoma Constitution to approve or object to legislation presented to me, I have VETOED Senate Bill 1315.

Senate Bill 1315 relates to the procedures for initiative and referendum petitions. While the Bill clarifies the part of the procedures for initiative petitions, it removes the procedures relating to the filing of referendum petitions with the Secretary of State and the time allowed to obtain the appropriate amount of signatures. Removal of that language creates ambiguity and uncertainty around the referendum petition procedure, which is not in the best interests of the citizens of Oklahoma. Therefore, I have VETOED Senate Bill 1315.

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Mary Fallin

By B. McClure
Date/Time 6-4-14 3:41pm

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OKLAHOMA SECRETARY
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