

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR

5 SENATE BILL 720

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8 An Act relating to firearms; disallowing regulation  
9 for certain firearm suppressor; providing for  
10 qualifications; requiring certain descriptor;  
11 defining terms; providing for codification; and  
12 providing an effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1289.31 of Title 21, unless  
16 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 A. A firearm suppressor that is manufactured in this state and  
18 remains in this state shall not be subject to federal law or federal  
19 regulation including registration, under the authority of the United  
20 States Congress to regulate interstate commerce.

21 1. A basic material from which a firearm suppressor is  
22 manufactured in this state including unmachined steel, is not a  
23 firearm suppressor and is not subject to federal regulation under  
24 the authority of the United States Congress to regulate interstate  
commerce as if it were a firearm suppressor.

1           2. A firearm suppressor manufactured and sold in this state  
2 must have the words "Made in Oklahoma" clearly stamped, machined, or  
3 engraved on it.

4           B. For purposes of this section, a firearm suppressor is  
5 manufactured in this state if the item is manufactured:

6           1. In this state from basic materials; and

7           2. Without the inclusion of any part imported from another  
8 state other than a generic and insignificant part as defined in this  
9 section.

10          C. For purposes of this section, a firearm suppressor is  
11 manufactured in this state if it is manufactured without regard to  
12 whether a firearm imported into this state from another state is  
13 attached to or used in conjunction with the suppressor.

14          D. No agency, municipality, or other political subdivision  
15 shall adopt a rule, order, ordinance, or policy under which the  
16 entity enforces order, rule, or regulation that purports to regulate  
17 a firearm suppressor if the statute, order, rule, or regulation  
18 imposes a prohibition, restriction, or other regulation that does  
19 not exist under the laws of this state.

20          E. As used in this section:

21           1. "Firearm" shall have the same definition as provided in  
22 Section 1289.3 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

23           2. "Firearm suppressor" means any device designed, made, or  
24 adapted to muffle the report of a firearm;

1           3. "Generic and insignificant part" means an item that has  
2 manufacturing or consumer product applications other than inclusion  
3 in a firearm suppressor. The term includes but is not limited to a  
4 spring, screw, nut, or pin; and

5           4. "Manufacture" includes forging, casting, machining, or  
6 another process for working a material.

7           SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2023.

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