An Act

ENROLLED HOUSE
BILL NO. 2753

By: Miller, Lawson, Wolfley, and Stark of the House

and

Weaver of the Senate

An Act relating to mental health; amending 43A O.S. 2021, Section 10-111.1, which relates to vulnerable adult abuse, neglect, and exploitation; requiring the Office of the Attorney General to establish and maintain a certain registry; requiring quarterly update of registry; specifying information to be included in registry; and providing an effective date.

SUBJECT: Mental health

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 43A O.S. 2021, Section 10-111.1, is amended to read as follows:

Section 10-111.1 A. On or before January 1, 2024, the Office of the Attorney General shall promulgate and establish and maintain the Vulnerable Adult Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation Report Registry, accessible to the public on the Internet in an electronic format that is easily and readily searchable and updated quarterly, to address:

1. A procedure for recording individuals on the registry who have been found guilty by a court of law or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to a charge of abuse, neglect, or exploitation of a vulnerable adult; and

2. Disclosure requirements for information that is accessible on the registry.
B. The report created in subsection A of this section shall be maintained by the Office of the Attorney General and shall include a list of defendants who have been prosecuted by the Office of the Attorney General and have been found guilty by a court of law for abuse, exploitation or neglect of elderly or vulnerable adults in the preceding twelve (12) months. The report shall be provided to the Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate on an annual basis beginning January 31, 2019. The report The Vulnerable Adult Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation Registry shall include, but not be limited to:

1. The full name of the defendant individual;

2. The crime for which the defendant was convicted Information necessary to identify the individual;

3. A description of the findings of abuse, neglect or exploitation by the Office of the Attorney General, including the circumstances surrounding the abuse; The disposition and other identifying case information regarding convictions or confessions of abuse, neglect, or exploitation in a court of law; and

4. The date of conviction or the date that a plea of guilty or nolo contendere was accepted by the court;

5. The relationship of the defendant to the victim; and

6. The county where the offense or offenses occurred the individual was convicted or pled guilty or nolo contendere.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2023.
Passed the House of Representatives the 9th day of May, 2023.

Presiding Officer of the House of Representatives

Passed the Senate the 19th day of April, 2023.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

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