



Controlled Substance(s) Offender Registry Bill Status Update

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MISSOURI

H.B. 59

Status: Read Second Time (H). (1/04/07)

H.B. 59 is an act to create a Methamphetamine Offense Registry within the Missouri State Highway Patrol. Subject to appropriation, the Highway Patrol shall maintain a web page with a public offender search capability. Those who would be subject to the registry include persons who are residents of the State and who on or after August 28, 2007 are convicted of, found guilty of, plead guilty to or who are granted a suspended imposition of sentence for committing or attempting to commit one or more of the following offenses: (1) distribution, delivery, manufacture or production of a controlled substance, (2) unlawful distribution to a minor, (3) distribution of a controlled substance near schools, (4) distribution of a controlled substance near public housing, (5) trafficking drugs in the first or second degree(s), (6) unlawful provision of materials for the production of a controlled substance, and (7) distribution of a controlled substance, when such offense involves methamphetamine, its salts, isomers and salts of its isomers, or a methamphetamine precursor drug. The registry information shall include the person's name, date of birth, nature and date of offense(s), and other identifying information deemed necessary by the Highway Patrol. The name and other information of an offender would be removed from the registry seven (7) years from the date of the most recent judgment.

S.B. 167

Status: First Read (S). (1/03/07)

See summary of H.B. 59.

MONTANA

S.B. 156

Status: Fiscal Note Printed. (1/10/07).

Current law under Section 46-23-502 of the Montana Code Annotated defines a "violent offense" to include any violation of or attempt, solicitation, or conspiracy to commit a violation of Section 45-9-132: the unlawful operation of a clandestine laboratory. Under Section 46-23-504, violent offenders are required to immediately register with the chief of police of the municipality or the sheriff of the county if the offender resides in an area other than a municipality. **S.B. 156** would make numerous changes to applicable definitions, registration requirements, and information dissemination procedures.

OKLAHOMA

S.B. 165

Status: Scheduled for Introduction (S). (2/05/07)

S.B. 165 is an act to create a new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 579 of Title 57, entitled, “The Methamphetamine Offender Registry Act.” Per this legislation, the Department of Corrections (the Department) shall establish a registry of those persons convicted of certain enumerated controlled substance offenses. The registry shall be made available for public inquiry on the Internet and shall contain information such as: the name of the convicted individual; their date of birth; offense(s) for which the person is eligible for inclusion on the registry; conviction date; the county in which the individual was convicted; and any other identifying data that the Department determines is necessary to properly identify the person, but shall not include their social security number. The name and other identifying information of individuals included on the registry shall be removed seven (7) years after the date of the most recent judgment and sentence. **S.B. 165** also provides for the development, promotion and coordination of a public awareness program for the purpose of educating the public about the dangers of methamphetamine manufacture and abuse.