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Floor Substitute (FS)

The FS for SB 1896 creates the Unmanned Aircraft Systems Development Act of 2020. The measure adds the terms manned and unmanned aircraft as well as model aircraft to the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission Act. The Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission is designated as the agency for the promotion, enhancement, and development of unmanned aircraft systems. Persons desiring to operate unmanned aircraft in the state must submit copies of their valid Federal Aviation Administration Part 107 Pilot Certificate to the Commission. The Commission must collect a \$5.00 administration fee for receiving the documents. Persons found to have violated the provisions of the measure shall be subject to a \$250.00 fine assessed for each day of noncompliance. The FS further prohibits any person or entity from conducting surveillance on a person in this state using unmanned aircraft. The measure does provide for law enforcement to use unmanned aircraft for lawful purposes.

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