

# TU-001 BY SENATOR KORBIN SHAHAN

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## What the bill did:



*The front of the capitol and flag.*

## Proponency:

This bill basically gets rid of corporal punishment in K-12 schools in Oklahoma. However, there are a lot of nuances to it. The author carefully defined what he meant by what schools apply, for instance. He also provided a lot of other instances for a variety of different situations as well, including schools providing reports of what they choose to punish instead. He also chose a more gradual punishment approach rather than a ranged or stagnant approach.

Now this particular senator didn't have any voting powers, however she instead used her voice to communicate with other senators on the floor who did have a vote. She had argued in favor of the bill. She said she had agreed with the central message of this bill.

"I don't think corporal punishment should be in school." Says Senator Jael Finley.

She said she also didn't hear a lot of good reasons to be argued against the bill.

She believes if the bill would have gone into motion, that it would most definitely get rid of corporal punishment in the schools of Oklahoma.

Written by Senator Korbin Shahan

Interviewing Senator Jael Finley and Senator Madison Resendiz

**Opponency:**

The main issue she had a problem because she believes he took the bill from House bill 1023 and that essentially he is amending the bill to cover all schools. All schools decide whether to incorporate corporal punishment by district. So, if the district decides to include it, they can, but most don't use it.

"When we do more research, it shows that only 7 districts in Oklahoma even have corporal punishment." Says Senator Madison Resendiz. She further brings up even when they have it on paper, it very seldomly is used. You also must have parental approval.

Senators during caucus Resendiz noticed the idea itself was good and for instance, disabled students shouldn't be corporally punished. She just didn't believe that all students need the nonphysical approach based on the variety of different backgrounds.

Interviewing Senator  
Madison Resendiz

**Additional information**

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