## STATE OF OKLAHOMA

AS INTRODUCED

1st Extraordinary Session of the 56th Legislature (2017)

HOUSE BILL 1073 By: Bennett (John)

An Act relating to the Department of Human Resources; providing legislative intent; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Oklahoma Legislature that the Department of Human Services fully fund in its entirety the Advantage Home and Community-based Waiver Program, Money Follows the Person, Homeward Bound Waiver, In-home Supports, Advantage Waiver and Personal Care within the Department of Human Services in FY-2018 with all of the state, federal, and other existing financial resources available to the Department, including increasing state funds to make up for the loss of Federal FMAP funds so that total spending in FY-2018 is no less than FY-2017. It is further the Oklahoma Legislature's intent that services to clients and related provider rates within the Advantage Home and Community-based Waiver Program, Money Follows the Person, Homeward Bound Waiver, In-home Supports, Advantage Waiver and Personal Care not be cut in FY-2018.

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SECTION 2. It is the intent of the Oklahoma Legislature that the Department of Human Services fully fund in its entirety the Senior Nutrition Program within the Aging Services Division in FY-2018 with all of the state, federal and other existing financial resources available to the Department so that total spending in FY-2018 is no less than FY-2017.

SECTION 3. It is the intent of the Oklahoma Legislature that the Department of Human Services fully fund in its entirety the Developmental Disabilities Services programs and services within the Department of Human Services in FY-2018 with all of the state, federal and other existing financial resources available to the Department, including increasing state funds to make up for the loss of Federal FMAP funds so that total spending in FY-2018 is no less than FY-2017. It is further the Oklahoma Legislature's intent that services to current DDSD clients and related provider rates to such clients not be reduced in FY-2018.

SECTION 4. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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