1	STATE OF OKLAHOMA
2	2nd Session of the 56th Legislature (2018)
3	HOUSE BILL 2535 By: Walke
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6	AS INTRODUCED
7	An Act relating to state government; providing
8	requirements for the introduction of bills and joint resolutions by members of the Legislature; providing
9	for codification; and providing an effective date.
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11	BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:
12	SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
13	in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 452.16 of Title 74, unless there
14	is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:
15	In order to introduce a bill or joint resolution, the member of
16	the Legislature who intends to be the primary author of the bill or
17	joint resolution shall present to the applicable legislative staff a
18	signed statement disclosing the source of the language used in the
19	bill or joint resolution. If the language is derived from an
20	organization, state official or state agency, the name of the
21	organization, state official or state agency shall be disclosed in
22	the statement. If the source of the language is the primary author,
23	legislative staff or the law of another state that fact shall be
24	noted in the statement. At the time the bill or joint resolution is

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1	transmitted to the primary author for introduction, the applicable
2	legislative staff shall attach the statement to the bill or joint
3	resolution. If the bill or joint resolution is introduced, it shall
4	have attached thereto the disclosure statement required by this
5	section.
6	SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2018.
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