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ENROLLED HOUSE BILL NO. 3718

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An Act relating to multiple versions of statutes; amending, merging, consolidating and repealing multiple versions of statutes; amending 3 O.S. 2011, Section 85, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 103, O.S.L. 2017 (3 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 85); repealing 3 O.S. 2011, Section 85, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 138, O.S.L. 2017 (3 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 85); repealing 10 O.S. 2011, Section 404.1, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 253, O.S.L. 2017 (10 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 404.1); amending Section 26, Chapter 150, O.S.L. 2012, as last amended by Section 8, Chapter 10, O.S.L. 2017 (15 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 141.26); repealing Section 26, Chapter 150, O.S.L. 2012, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 72, O.S.L. 2016 (15 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 141.26); amending 20 O.S. 2011, Section 1313.2, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 343, O.S.L. 2017 (20 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1313.2); repealing 20 O.S. 2011, Section 1313.2, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 194, O.S.L. 2017 (20 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1313.2); amending 21 O.S. 2011, Section 1277, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 165, O.S.L. 2017 (21 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1277); repealing 21 O.S. 2011, Section 1277, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 135, O.S.L. 2017 (21 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1277); amending 22 O.S. 2011, Section 991a, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 313, O.S.L. 2017 (22 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 991a); repealing 22 O.S. 2011, Section 991a, as last amended by Section 2, Chapter 194, O.S.L. 2017 (22 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 991a); repealing 29 O.S. 2011, Section 4-112, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 300, O.S.L. 2017 (29 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 4-112); amending Section 3, Chapter 366, O.S.L. 2016, as amended by Section 5, Chapter 381, O.S.L. 2017 (37A

O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1-103); repealing Section 3, Chapter 366, O.S.L. 2016, as amended by Section 8, Chapter 364, O.S.L. 2017 (37A O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1-103); amending 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1135.5, as last amended by Section 3, Chapter 331, O.S.L. 2017 (47 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1135.5); repealing 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1135.5, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 339, O.S.L. 2017 (47 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1135.5); amending 51 O.S. 2011, Section 6, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 75, O.S.L. 2017 (51 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 6); repealing 51 O.S. 2011, Section 6, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 114, O.S.L. 2017 (51 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 6); amending 70 O.S. 2011, Section 17-105, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 270, O.S.L. 2017 (70 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 17-105); repealing 70 O.S. 2011, Section 17-105, as last amended by Section 2, Chapter 48, O.S.L. 2017 (70 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 17-105); repealing 70 O.S. 2011, Section 1210.508C, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 210, O.S.L. 2017 (70 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1210.508C); amending 74 O.S. 2011, Section 166.7, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 126, O.S.L. 2017 (74 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 166.7); repealing 74 O.S. 2011, Section 166.7, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 321, O.S.L. 2017 (74 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 166.7); providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

SUBJECT: Multiple versions of statutes

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 3 O.S. 2011, Section 85, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 103, O.S.L. 2017 (3 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 85), is amended to read as follows:

Section 85. A. The Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission and its Director acting under its authority is empowered and directed to encourage, foster, and assist in the development of aeronautics in this state and to encourage the establishment of airports and air navigation facilities. It shall cooperate with and assist the federal government, the municipalities of this state, and other persons in the development of aeronautics, and shall seek to

coordinate the aeronautical activities of these bodies and persons. Municipalities are authorized to cooperate with the Commission in the development of aeronautics and aeronautical facilities in this state.

- B. The Commission may organize and administer a voluntary program of air-age education in cooperation with the schools, colleges, and for the general public, and may prepare and conduct voluntary flight clinics for airmen and issue such bulletins and publications as may be required.
- C. The Commission shall assist in all aeronautical matters related to emergency management actions in conformance with federal directions and with the Emergency Operations Plan of the state.
- D. The Commission may establish air markers throughout the state.
- E. The Commission may purchase and install roadside signs directing highway traffic to airports, subject to approval of the State Transportation Commission.
 - F. The Commission shall:
- 1. Draft and recommend necessary legislation to advance the interests of the state in aeronautics;
- 2. Represent the state in aeronautical matters before federal agencies and other state agencies; and
- 3. Participate as party plaintiff or defendant or as intervener on behalf of the state or any municipality or citizen thereof in any proceeding which involves the interest of the state in aeronautics.
- G. 1. The Commission may, insofar as is reasonably possible, make available its engineering and other technical services to any municipality or person desiring them in connection with the planning, acquisition, construction, improvement, maintenance, or operation of airports or navigation facilities.
- 2. The Commission may render financial assistance by grant or loan or both to any municipality or municipalities acting jointly in the planning, acquisition, construction, improvement, maintenance, or operation of an airport owned or controlled, or to be owned or controlled, by such municipality or municipalities, out of

appropriations or other monies made available by the Legislature for such purposes. Such financial assistance may be furnished in connection with federal or other financial aid for the same purposes.

- The Commission shall be designated as the agent of this state or political subdivision of this state for the purpose of applying for, receiving, administering and disbursing federal funds and other public monies for the benefit of general aviation airports, except reliever airports, as may be available under applicable federal law or other laws. If requested by a political subdivision, the Commission may act as its or their agent in contracting for and supervising such planning, acquisition, construction, improvement, maintenance, or operation; and all political subdivisions are authorized to designate the Commission as their agent for the foregoing purposes. The Commission, as principal on behalf of the state, may enter into any contracts with the United States or with any person, which may be required in connection with a grant or loan of federal monies for municipal airport or air navigation facility purposes. All federal monies accepted under this section shall be accepted and transferred or expended by the Commission upon such terms and conditions as are prescribed by the United States. All monies received by the Commission pursuant to this section shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission Fund in the State Treasury and shall be paid out by the Commission in accordance with the terms and conditions of any agreement entered into under the provisions of this section.
- The Commission is authorized on behalf of and in the name of the state, out of appropriations and other monies made available for such purposes, to plan, zone, establish, construct, enlarge, improve, maintain, equip, operate, regulate, protect, and police airports and air navigation facilities, either within or without the state, including the construction, installation, equipping, maintenance, and operation at such airports of buildings and other facilities for the servicing of aircraft or for the comfort and accommodation of air travelers. However, the regulatory authority shall not extend to any airman employed by, nor to any aeronautics facility or aircraft under the exclusive possession, operation, or control of, a person holding a certificate of public convenience and necessity issued by any agency of the United States to operate as a common carrier by air of persons and/or property in interstate commerce. For such purposes the Commission may, by purchase, gift, devise, or lease, acquire property, real or

personal, or any interest therein including easements in aeronautical hazards or land outside the boundaries of an airport or airport site, as are necessary to permit safe and efficient operation of the state airports or to permit the removal, elimination, obstruction-marking or obstruction-lighting of airport hazards, or to prevent the establishment of airport hazards. like manner the Commission may acquire existing airports and air navigation facilities. However, the Commission shall not acquire or take over any airport or air navigation facility owned or controlled by a municipality of this or any other state without the consent of such municipality. The Commission may, by sale, lease, or otherwise, dispose of any such property, airport, air navigation facility, or portion thereof or interest therein. The disposal, by sale, lease, or otherwise, shall be in accordance with the laws of this state governing the disposition of other property of the state, except that, in the case of disposals to any municipality or state government or the United States for aeronautical purposes incident thereto, the sale, lease, or other disposal may be effected in such manner and upon such terms as the Commission may deem in the best interest of the state.

- 2. All airports owned by the state shall be within the primary jurisdiction of the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission for purposes of design, development, and operation; provided, that airports owned and operated by the Oklahoma Space Industry Development Authority shall be exempt from such provisions, and during the time of a national emergency, the Air National Guard shall be exempt from such provisions, and provided further, that any airport owned by the state may be leased by the Commission to a public or private agency, as it may deem fit.
- 3. Nothing contained in the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission Act shall be construed to limit any right, power, or authority of the state or a municipality to regulate airport hazards by zoning.
- 4. The Commission may exercise any powers granted by this section jointly with any municipalities or with the United States.
 - 5. a. In operating an airport or air navigation facility owned or controlled by the state, the Commission may enter into contracts, leases, and other arrangements for a term not exceeding twenty-five (25) years with any persons granting the privilege of using or improving such airport or air navigation facility or any portion or facility thereof or space therein for

commercial purposes; conferring the privilege of supplying goods, commodities, things, services, or facilities at such airport or air navigation facility; or making available services to be furnished by the Commission or its agents at such airport or air navigation facility.

In each such case the Commission may establish the terms and conditions and fix the charges, rentals, or fees for the privileges or services, which shall be reasonable and uniform for the same class of privileges or services and shall be established with due regard to the property and improvements used and the expenses of operation to the state; provided, that in no case shall the public be deprived of its rightful, equal, and uniform use of the airport, air navigation facility or portion or facility thereof.

- b. The Commission may by contract, lease, or other arrangement, upon a consideration fixed by it, grant to any qualified person for a term not to exceed twenty-five (25) years the privilege of operating, as agent of the state or otherwise, any airport owned or controlled by the state; provided, that no such person shall be granted any authority to operate the airport other than as a public airport or to enter into any contracts, leases, or other arrangements in connection with the operation of the airport which the Commission might not have undertaken under subparagraph a of this paragraph.
- c. To enforce the payment of any charges for repairs to, or improvements, storage, or care of, any personal property made or furnished by the Commission or its agents in connection with the operation of an airport or air navigation facility owned or operated by the state, the state shall have liens on such property, which shall be enforceable by the Commission as provided by law.
- 6. In accepting federal monies under this section, the Commission shall have the same authority to enter into contracts on behalf of the state as is granted to the Commission under <u>paragraph</u> 3 of subsection G of this section with respect to federal monies accepted on behalf of municipalities. All monies received by the

Commission pursuant to this section shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission Fund in the State Treasury and shall be paid out of the Commission Fund in accordance with the terms and conditions of any agreement entered into under the provisions of this section.

- 7. The Commission shall grant no exclusive right for the use of any airport or air navigation facility under its jurisdiction. This shall not be construed to prevent the making of contracts, leases, and other arrangements pursuant to paragraph 5 of this subsection.
- I. The Commission may enter into any contracts necessary to the execution of the powers granted it by the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission Act. All contracts made by the Commission, either as the agent of the state or as the agent of any municipality, shall be made pursuant to the laws of the state governing the making of like contracts. When the planning, acquisition, construction, improvement, maintenance, or operation of any airport or air navigation facility is financed wholly or partially with federal monies, the Commission as agent of the state or of any municipality may let contracts in the manner prescribed by the federal authorities acting under the laws of the United States and any rules or regulations made thereunder.
- The Commission, the Director, or any officer or employee of the Commission designated by it shall have the power to hold investigations, inquiries, and hearings concerning matters covered by the provisions of the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission Act and the rules, regulations, and orders of the Commission. Hearings shall be open to the public and shall be held upon such call or notice as the Commission shall deem advisable. Each member of the Commission, the Director, and every officer or employee of the Commission designated by it to hold any inquiry, investigation, or hearing shall have the power to administer oaths and affirmations, certify to all official acts, issue subpoenas, and order the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of papers, books, and documents. case of the failure of any person to comply with any subpoena or order issued under the authority of this subsection, or on the refusal of any witness to testify to any matters regarding which he may be lawfully interrogated, it shall be the duty of the district court of any county or of the judge thereof, on application of the Commission or its authorized representative, to compel obedience by proceedings for contempt, as in the case of disobedience of the requirements of a subpoena issued from such court or a refusal to testify therein.

- In order to facilitate the making of investigations by the Commission in the interest of public safety and promotion of aeronautics the public interest requires, and it is therefore provided, that the reports of investigations or hearings, or any part thereof, shall not be admitted in evidence or used for any purpose in any suit, action, or proceeding growing out of any matter referred to in the investigation, hearing, or report thereof, except in case of any suit, action, or proceeding, civil or criminal, instituted by or in behalf of the Commission or in the name of the state under the provisions of the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission Act or other laws of the state relating to aeronautics; nor shall any member of the Commission, or the Director, or any officer or employee of the Commission be required to testify to any facts ascertained in, or information gained by reason of, such person's official capacity, or be required to testify as an expert witness in any suit, action, or proceeding involving any aircraft. Subject to the foregoing provisions, the Commission may in its discretion make available to appropriate federal, state and municipal agencies information and material developed in the course of its investigations and hearings.
- K. 1. The Commission is authorized to confer with or to hold joint hearings with any agency of the United States in connection with any matter arising under the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission Act or relating to the sound development of aeronautics.
- 2. The Commission is authorized to avail itself of the cooperation, services, records, and facilities of the agencies of the United States as fully as may be practicable in the administration and enforcement of the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission Act. The Commission shall furnish to the agencies of the United States its cooperation, services, records, and facilities, insofar as may be practicable.
- 3. The Commission shall report to the appropriate agency of the United States all accidents in aeronautics in this state of which it is informed and shall, insofar as is practicable, preserve, protect, and prevent the removal of the component parts of any aircraft involved in an accident being investigated by it until the federal agency institutes an investigation.
- L. The Commission may organize and administer an aerospace education program in cooperation with universities, colleges and schools for the general public. The Commission may also plan and

act jointly in a cooperative aviation research or high technology program. As part of these programs, the Commission may issue aviation communication films and publications.

- M. The Commission shall administer an airport inspection program for all public-use airports within the State of Oklahoma. The inspection program shall occur on a three-year cycle and shall be administered by the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission. Airport owners, including individuals and municipalities, shall provide access to airport facilities for conducting the inspections. The Commission shall provide a written report to each public-use airport detailing the findings of such inspections.
- SECTION 2. REPEALER 3 O.S. 2011, Section 85, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 138, O.S.L. 2017 (3 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 85), is hereby repealed.
- SECTION 3. REPEALER 10 O.S. 2011, Section 404.1, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 253, O.S.L. 2017 (10 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 404.1), is hereby repealed.
- SECTION 4. AMENDATORY Section 26, Chapter 150, O.S.L. 2012, as last amended by Section 8, Chapter 10, O.S.L. 2017 (15 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 141.26), is amended to read as follows:

Section 141.26 For purposes of the Service Warranty Act, the following methods, acts, or practices are defined as unfair methods of competition and unfair or deceptive acts or practices:

- 1. MISREPRESENTATION AND FALSE ADVERTISING OF SERVICE WARRANTIES Knowingly making, issuing, circulating, or causing to be made, issued, or circulated, any estimate, illustration, circular, statement, sales presentation, omission, or comparison which:
 - misrepresents the benefits, advantages, conditions, or terms of any service warranty contract,
 - b. is misleading or is a misrepresentation as to the financial condition of any person,
 - c. uses any name or title of any contract misrepresenting the true nature thereof,

- d. is a misrepresentation for the purpose of inducing, or tending to induce, the lapse, forfeiture, exchange, conversion, or surrender of any service warranty contract, or
- e. is false, deceptive or misleading with respect to:
 - (1) the service warranty association's affiliation with a motor vehicle manufacturer,
 - (2) the service warranty association's possession of information regarding a motor vehicle owner's current motor vehicle manufacturer's original equipment warranty,
 - (3) the expiration of a motor vehicle owner's current motor vehicle manufacturer's original equipment warranty, or
 - (4) a requirement that a motor vehicle owner register for a new service warranty with such provider in order to maintain coverage under the motor vehicle owner's current service warranty or manufacturer's original equipment warranty;
- 2. FALSE INFORMATION AND ADVERTISING GENERALLY Knowingly making, publishing, disseminating, circulating, or placing before the public, or causing, directly or indirectly, to be made, published, disseminated, circulated, or placed before the public:
 - a. in a newspaper, magazine, or other publication,
 - b. in the form of a notice, circular, pamphlet, letter, or poster,
 - c. over any radio or television station, or
 - d. in any other way,

an advertisement, announcement, or statement containing any assertion, representation, or statement with respect to the business of service warranty, which assertion, representation, or statement is untrue, deceptive, or misleading;

- 3. DEFAMATION Knowingly making, publishing, disseminating, or circulating, directly or indirectly, or aiding, abetting, or encouraging the making, publishing, disseminating, or circulating of, any oral or written statement, or any pamphlet, circular, article, or literature, which is false or maliciously critical of, or derogatory to, any person and which is calculated to injure such person;
 - 4. FALSE STATEMENTS AND ENTRIES Knowingly:
 - a. filing with any supervisory or other public official,
 - b. making, publishing, disseminating, or circulating,
 - c. delivering to any person,
 - d. placing before the public, or
 - e. causing, directly or indirectly, to be made, published, disseminated, circulated, delivered to any person, or placed before the public, any false statement, or
 - f. making any false entry of a material fact in any book, report, or statement of any person;

5. UNFAIR CLAIM SETTLEMENT PRACTICES -

- a. attempting to settle claims on the basis of an application or any other material document which was altered without notice to, or knowledge or consent of, the warranty holder,
- b. making a material misrepresentation to the warranty holder for the purpose and with the intent of effecting settlement of such claims, loss, or damage under such contract on less favorable terms than those provided in, and contemplated by, such contract, or
- c. committing or performing with such frequency as to indicate a general business practice any of the following practices:
 - (1) failure properly to investigate claims,

- (2) misrepresentation of pertinent facts or contract provisions relating to coverages at issue,
- (3) failure to acknowledge and act promptly upon communications with respect to claims,
- (4) denial of claims without conducting reasonable investigations based upon available information,
- (5) failure to affirm or deny coverage of claims upon written request of the warranty holder within a reasonable time after proof-of-loss statements have been completed, or
- (6) failure to promptly provide a reasonable explanation to the warranty holder of the basis in the contract in relation to the facts or applicable law for denial of a claim or for the offer of a compromise settlement;
- 6. FAILURE TO MAINTAIN PROCEDURES FOR HANDLING COMPLAINTS Failing to maintain a record of each complaint received for a three-year period after the date of the receipt of the written complaint;
- 7. DISCRIMINATORY REFUSAL TO ISSUE A CONTRACT Refusing to issue a contract solely because of an individual's race, color, creed, marital status, sex, or national origin; and
- 8. FAILURE TO PROVIDE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRIOR TO SALE Failing to provide a consumer with a complete sample copy of the terms and conditions of the service warranty prior to before the time of sale upon a request for the same by the consumer. A service warranty association may comply with the provisions of this paragraph by providing the consumer with a sample copy of the terms and conditions of the warranty contract or by directing the consumer to a website that displays a complete sample of the terms and conditions of the contract.
- SECTION 5. REPEALER Section 26, Chapter 150, O.S.L. 2012, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 72, O.S.L. 2016 (15 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 141.26), is hereby repealed.
- SECTION 6. AMENDATORY 20 O.S. 2011, Section 1313.2, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 343, O.S.L. 2017 (20 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1313.2), is amended to read as follows:

Section 1313.2 A. As used in this section:

- 1. "Arrested" means taking custody of another for the purpose of holding or detaining him or her to answer a criminal charge;
- 2. "Convicted" means any final adjudication of guilt, whether pursuant to a plea of guilty or nolo contendere or otherwise, and any deferred or suspended sentence or judgment;
- 3. "Court" means any state or municipal court having jurisdiction to impose a criminal fine or penalty; and
 - 4. "DNA" means Deoxyribonucleic acid.
- B. Any person convicted of an offense, including traffic offenses but excluding parking and standing violations, punishable by a fine of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) or more or by incarceration or any person forfeiting bond when charged with such an offense, shall be ordered by the court to pay Ten Dollars (\$10.00) as a separate fee, which fee shall be in addition to and not in substitution for any and all fines and penalties otherwise provided for by law for such offense.
- C. 1. Any person convicted of any misdemeanor or felony offense shall pay a Laboratory Analysis Fee in the amount of One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) for each offense if forensic science or laboratory services are rendered or administered by the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation (OSBI), by the Toxicology Laboratory of the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner or by any municipality or county in connection with the case. This fee shall be in addition to and not a substitution for any and all fines and penalties otherwise provided for by law for this offense.
- 2. The court clerk shall cause to be deposited the amount of One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) as collected, for every conviction as described in this subsection. The court clerk shall remit the monies in the fund on a monthly basis directly either to:
 - a. the OSBI who shall deposit the monies into the OSBI Revolving Fund provided for in Section 150.19a of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes for services rendered or administered by the OSBI,

- b. the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner who shall deposit the monies into the Chief Medical Examiner Revolving Fund provided for in Section 954 948 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes for services rendered or administered by the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, or
- c. the appropriate municipality or county for services rendered or administered by a municipality or county.
- 3. The monies from the Laboratory Analysis Fee Fund deposited into the OSBI Revolving Fund shall be used for the following:
 - a. providing criminalistic laboratory services,
 - b. the purchase and maintenance of equipment for use by the laboratory in performing analysis,
 - c. education, training, and scientific development of OSBI personnel, and
 - d. the destruction of seized property and chemicals as prescribed in Sections 2-505 and 2-508 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes.
- D. Upon conviction or bond forfeiture, the court shall collect the fee provided for in subsection B of this section and deposit it in an account created for that purpose. Except as otherwise provided in subsection E of this section, monies shall be forwarded monthly by the court clerk to the Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training (CLEET). Beginning July 1, 2003, deposits shall be due on the fifteenth day of each month for the preceding calendar month. There shall be a late fee imposed for failure to make timely deposits; provided, CLEET, in its discretion, may waive all or part of the late fee. Such late fee shall be one percent (1%) of the principal amount due per day beginning from the tenth day after payment is due and accumulating until the late fee reaches one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount due. Beginning on July 1, 1987, ninety percent (90%) of the monies received by CLEET from the court clerks pursuant to this section shall be deposited in the CLEET Fund, and ten percent (10%) shall be deposited in the General Revenue Fund. Beginning January 1, 2001, sixty and fifty-three one-hundredths percent (60.53%) of the monies received by CLEET from the court clerks pursuant to this section shall be deposited in the CLEET Fund created pursuant to subsection

G of this section, five and eighty-three one-hundredths percent (5.83%) shall be deposited in the General Revenue Fund and thirty-three and sixty-four one-hundredths percent (33.64%) shall be deposited in the CLEET Training Center Revolving Fund created pursuant to Section 3311.6 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes. Along with the deposits required by this subsection, each court shall also submit a report stating the total amount of funds collected and the total number of fees imposed during the preceding quarter. The report may be made on computerized or manual disposition reports.

- E. Any municipality or county having a basic law enforcement academy approved by CLEET pursuant to the criteria developed by CLEET for training law enforcement officers shall retain from monies collected pursuant to subsections A through D of this section, Two Dollars (\$2.00) from each fee. These monies shall be deposited into an account for the sole use of the municipality or county in implementing its law enforcement training functions. Not more than seven percent (7%) of the monies shall be used for court and prosecution training. The court clerk of any such municipality or county shall furnish to CLEET the report required by subsection D of this section.
- F. 1. Any person entering a plea of guilty or nolo contendere or is found guilty of the crime of misdemeanor possession of marijuana or drug paraphernalia shall be ordered by the court to pay a five-dollar fee, which shall be in addition to and not in substitution for any and all fines and penalties otherwise provided for by law for such offense.
- 2. The court clerk shall cause to be deposited the amount of Five Dollars (\$5.00) as collected, for every adjudicated or otherwise convicted person as described in this subsection. The court clerk shall remit the monies in the fund on a monthly basis directly to the Bureau of Narcotics Drug Education Revolving Fund.
- G. There is hereby created in the State Treasury a fund for the Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training to be designated the "CLEET Fund". The fund shall be subject to legislative appropriation and shall consist of any monies received from fees and receipts collected pursuant to the Oklahoma Open Records Act, reimbursements for parts used in the repair of weapons of law enforcement officers attending the basic academies, gifts, bequests, contributions, tuition, fees, devises, and the assessments levied pursuant to the fund pursuant to law.

- H. 1. Any person arrested or convicted of a felony offense or convicted of a misdemeanor offense of assault and battery, domestic abuse, stalking, possession of a controlled substance prohibited under Schedule IV of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Act, outraging public decency, resisting arrest, escaping or attempting to escape, eluding a police officer, Peeping Tom, pointing a firearm, threatening an act of violence, breaking and entering a dwelling place, destruction of property, negligent homicide or causing a personal injury accident while driving under the influence of any intoxicating substance shall pay a DNA fee of One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00). This fee shall not be collected if the person has a valid DNA sample in the OSBI DNA Offender Database at the time of sentencing.
- The court clerk shall cause to be deposited the amount of One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) as collected for every felony arrest, felony conviction or every conviction for a misdemeanor offense of assault and battery, domestic abuse, stalking, possession of a controlled substance prohibited under Schedule IV of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Act, outraging public decency, resisting arrest, escaping or attempting to escape, eluding a police officer, Peeping Tom, pointing a firearm, threatening an act of violence, breaking and entering a dwelling place, destruction of property, negligent homicide or causing a personal injury accident while driving under the influence of any intoxicating substance as described in this subsection. The court clerk shall remit the monies in said fund on a monthly basis directly to the OSBI who shall deposit the monies into the OSBI Revolving Fund provided for in Section 150.19a of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes for services rendered or administered by the OSBI.
- 3. The monies from the DNA sample fee deposited into the OSBI Revolving Fund shall be used for creating, staffing, and maintaining the OSBI DNA Laboratory and OSBI Combined DNA Index System (CODIS) Database.
- I. It shall be the responsibility of the court clerk to account for and ensure the correctness and accuracy of payments made to the state agencies identified in Sections 1313.2 through 1313.4 of this title. Payments made directly to an agency by the court clerk as a result of different types of assessments and fees pursuant to Sections 1313.2 through 1313.4 of this title shall be made monthly to each state agency.

- SECTION 7. REPEALER 20 O.S. 2011, Section 1313.2, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 194, O.S.L. 2017 (20 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1313.2), is hereby repealed.
- SECTION 8. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2011, Section 1277, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 165, O.S.L. 2017 (21 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1277), is amended to read as follows:

Section 1277.

UNLAWFUL CARRY IN CERTAIN PLACES

- A. It shall be unlawful for any person in possession of a valid handgun license issued pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act to carry any concealed or unconcealed handgun into any of the following places:
- 1. Any structure, building, or office space which is owned or leased by a city, town, county, state or federal governmental authority for the purpose of conducting business with the public;
- 2. Any courthouse, courtroom, prison, jail, detention facility or any facility used to process, hold or house arrested persons, prisoners or persons alleged delinquent or adjudicated delinquent, except as provided in Section 21 of Title 57 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 3. Any public or private elementary or public or private secondary school, except as provided in subsections C and D of this section;
- 4. Any publicly owned or operated sports arena or venue during a professional sporting event, unless allowed by the event holder;
- 5. Any place where gambling is authorized by law, unless allowed by the property owner; and
 - 6. Any other place specifically prohibited by law.
- B. For purposes of subsection A of this section, the prohibited place does not include and specifically excludes the following property:

- 1. Any property set aside for the use or parking of any vehicle, whether attended or unattended, by a city, town, county, state or federal governmental authority;
- 2. Any property set aside for the use or parking of any vehicle, whether attended or unattended, which is open to the public, or by any entity engaged in gambling authorized by law;
- 3. Any property adjacent to a structure, building or office space in which concealed or unconcealed weapons are prohibited by the provisions of this section;
- 4. Any property designated by a city, town, county or state governmental authority as a park, recreational area, or fairgrounds; provided, nothing in this paragraph shall be construed to authorize any entry by a person in possession of a concealed or unconcealed handgun into any structure, building or office space which is specifically prohibited by the provisions of subsection A of this section; and
- 5. Any property set aside by a public or private elementary or secondary school for the use or parking of any vehicle, whether attended or unattended; provided, however, said handgun shall be stored and hidden from view in a locked motor vehicle when the motor vehicle is left unattended on school property.

Nothing contained in any provision of this subsection or subsection C of this section shall be construed to authorize or allow any person in control of any place described in subsection A of this section to establish any policy or rule that has the effect of prohibiting any person in lawful possession of a handgun license from possession of a handgun allowable under such license in places described in this subsection.

C. A concealed or unconcealed weapon may be carried onto private school property or in any school bus or vehicle used by any private school for transportation of students or teachers by a person who is licensed pursuant to the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act, provided a policy has been adopted by the governing entity of the private school that authorizes the carrying and possession of a weapon on private school property or in any school bus or vehicle used by a private school. Except for acts of gross negligence or willful or wanton misconduct, a governing entity of a private school that adopts a policy which authorizes the possession of a weapon on private school property, a school bus or vehicle used by the private

school shall be immune from liability for any injuries arising from the adoption of the policy. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to claims pursuant to the Administrative Workers' Compensation Act.

- D. Notwithstanding paragraph 3 of subsection A of this section, a board of education of a school district may adopt a policy pursuant to Section 5-149.2 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes to authorize the carrying of a handgun onto school property by school personnel specifically designated by the board of education, provided such personnel either:
- 1. Possess a valid armed security guard license as provided for in Section 1750.1 et seq. of Title 59 of the Oklahoma Statutes; or
- 2. Hold a valid reserve peace officer certification as provided for in Section 3311 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

Nothing in this subsection shall be construed to restrict authority granted elsewhere in law to carry firearms.

- E. Any person violating the provisions of paragraph 2 or 3 of subsection A of this section shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00). A person violating any other provision of subsection A of this section may be denied entrance onto the property or removed from the property. If the person refuses to leave the property and a peace officer is summoned, the person may be issued a citation for an amount not to exceed Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00).
- F. No person in possession of a valid handgun license issued pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act shall be authorized to carry the handgun into or upon any college, university or technology center school property, except as provided in this subsection. For purposes of this subsection, the following property shall not be construed as prohibited for persons having a valid handgun license:
- 1. Any property set aside for the use or parking of any <u>motor</u> vehicle, whether attended or unattended, provided the handgun is carried or stored as required by law and the handgun is not removed from the <u>motor</u> vehicle without the prior consent of the college or university president or technology center school administrator while

the vehicle is on any college, university or technology center school property;

- 2. Any property authorized for possession or use of handguns by college, university or technology center school policy; and
- 3. Any property authorized by the written consent of the college or university president or technology center school administrator, provided the written consent is carried with the handgun and the valid handgun license while on college, university or technology center school property.

The college, university or technology center school may notify the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation within ten (10) days of a violation of any provision of this subsection by a licensee. Upon receipt of a written notification of violation, the Bureau shall give a reasonable notice to the licensee and hold a hearing. At the hearing, upon a determination that the licensee has violated any provision of this subsection, the licensee may be subject to an administrative fine of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) and may have the handgun license suspended for three (3) months.

Nothing contained in any provision of this subsection shall be construed to authorize or allow any college, university or technology center school to establish any policy or rule that has the effect of prohibiting any person in lawful possession of a handgun license from possession of a handgun allowable under such license in places described in paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 of this subsection. Nothing contained in any provision of this subsection shall be construed to limit the authority of any college, university or technology center school in this state from taking administrative action against any student for any violation of any provision of this subsection.

- G. The provisions of this section shall not apply to the following:
- 1. Any peace officer or any person authorized by law to carry a pistol in the course of employment;
- 2. District judges, associate district judges and special district judges, who are in possession of a valid handgun license issued pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act and whose names appear on a list maintained by the Administrative

Director of the Courts, when acting in the course and scope of employment within the courthouses of this state;

- 3. Private investigators with a firearms authorization when acting in the course and scope of employment; and
- 4. Elected officials of a county, who are in possession of a valid handgun license issued pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Self-Defense Act, may carry a concealed handgun when acting in the performance of their duties within the courthouses of the county in which he or she was elected. The provisions of this paragraph shall not allow the elected county official to carry the handgun into a courtroom.
- H. For the purposes of this section, "motor vehicle" means any automobile, truck, minivan or, sports utility vehicle or motorcycle as such term is defined in Section 1-135 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes, equipped with a locked accessory container within or affixed to the motorcycle.
- SECTION 9. REPEALER 21 O.S. 2011, Section 1277, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 135, O.S.L. 2017 (21 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1277), is hereby repealed.
- SECTION 10. AMENDATORY 22 O.S. 2011, Section 991a, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 313, O.S.L. 2017 (22 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 991a), is amended to read as follows:

Section 991a. A. Except as otherwise provided in the Elderly and Incapacitated Victim's Protection Program, when a defendant is convicted of a crime and no death sentence is imposed, the court shall either:

- 1. Suspend the execution of sentence in whole or in part, with or without probation. The court, in addition, may order the convicted defendant at the time of sentencing or at any time during the suspended sentence to do one or more of the following:
 - a. to provide restitution to the victim as provided by Section 991f et seq. of this title or according to a schedule of payments established by the sentencing court, together with interest upon any pecuniary sum at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, if the defendant agrees to pay such restitution or, in the opinion of the court, if the defendant is able to pay

such restitution without imposing manifest hardship on the defendant or the immediate family and if the extent of the damage to the victim is determinable with reasonable certainty,

- b. to reimburse any state agency for amounts paid by the state agency for hospital and medical expenses incurred by the victim or victims, as a result of the criminal act for which such person was convicted, which reimbursement shall be made directly to the state agency, with interest accruing thereon at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum,
- c. to engage in a term of community service without compensation, according to a schedule consistent with the employment and family responsibilities of the person convicted,
- d. to pay a reasonable sum into any trust fund, established pursuant to the provisions of Sections 176 through 180.4 of Title 60 of the Oklahoma Statutes, and which provides restitution payments by convicted defendants to victims of crimes committed within this state wherein such victim has incurred a financial loss.
- e. to confinement in the county jail for a period not to exceed six (6) months,
- f. to confinement as provided by law together with a term of post-imprisonment community supervision for not less than three (3) years of the total term allowed by law for imprisonment, with or without restitution; provided, however, the authority of this provision is limited to Section 843.5 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes when the offense involved sexual abuse or sexual exploitation; Sections 681, 741 and 843.1 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes when the offense involved sexual abuse or sexual exploitation; and Sections 865 et seq., 885, 886, 888, 891, 1021, 1021.2, 1021.3, 1040.13a, 1087, 1088, 1111.1, 1115 and 1123 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes,
- g. to repay the reward or part of the reward paid by a local certified crime stoppers program and the

Oklahoma Reward System. In determining whether the defendant shall repay the reward or part of the reward, the court shall consider the ability of the defendant to make the payment, the financial hardship on the defendant to make the required payment, and the importance of the information to the prosecution of the defendant as provided by the arresting officer or the district attorney with due regard for the confidentiality of the records of the local certified crime stoppers program and the Oklahoma Reward System. The court shall assess this repayment against the defendant as a cost of prosecution. "certified" means crime stoppers organizations that annually meet the certification standards for crime stoppers programs established by the Oklahoma Crime Stoppers Association to the extent those standards do not conflict with state statutes. The term "court" refers to all municipal and district courts within this state. The "Oklahoma Reward System" means the reward program established by Section 150.18 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes,

- h. to reimburse the Oklahoma State Bureau of
 Investigation for costs incurred by that agency during
 its investigation of the crime for which the defendant
 pleaded guilty, nolo contendere or was convicted,
 including compensation for laboratory, technical, or
 investigation services performed by the Bureau if, in
 the opinion of the court, the defendant is able to pay
 without imposing manifest hardship on the defendant,
 and if the costs incurred by the Bureau during the
 investigation of the defendant's case may be
 determined with reasonable certainty,
- i. to reimburse the Oklahoma State Bureau of
 Investigation and any authorized law enforcement
 agency for all costs incurred by that agency for
 cleaning up an illegal drug laboratory site for which
 the defendant pleaded guilty, nolo contendere or was
 convicted. The court clerk shall collect the amount
 and may retain five percent (5%) of such monies to be
 deposited in the Court Clerk Revolving Fund to cover
 administrative costs and shall remit the remainder to
 the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation to be
 deposited in the OSBI Revolving Fund established by

- Section 150.19a of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes or to the general fund wherein the other law enforcement agency is located,
- j. to pay a reasonable sum to the Crime Victims Compensation Board, created by Section 142.2 et seq. of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes, for the benefit of crime victims,
- k. to reimburse the court fund for amounts paid to courtappointed attorneys for representing the defendant in the case in which the person is being sentenced,
- 1. to participate in an assessment and evaluation by an assessment agency or assessment personnel certified by the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services pursuant to Section 3-460 of Title 43A of the Oklahoma Statutes and, as determined by the assessment, participate in an alcohol and drug substance abuse course or treatment program or both, pursuant to Sections 3-452 and 3-453 of Title 43A of the Oklahoma Statutes, or as ordered by the court,
- m. to be placed in a victims impact panel program, as defined in subsection H of this section, or victim/offender reconciliation program and payment of a fee to the program of not less than Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) nor more than Sixty Dollars (\$60.00) as set by the governing authority of the program to offset the cost of participation by the defendant. Provided, each victim/offender reconciliation program shall be required to obtain a written consent form voluntarily signed by the victim and defendant that specifies the methods to be used to resolve the issues, the obligations and rights of each person, and the confidentiality of the proceedings. Volunteer mediators and employees of a victim/offender reconciliation program shall be immune from liability and have rights of confidentiality as provided in Section 1805 of Title 12 of the Oklahoma Statutes,
- n. to install, at the expense of the defendant, an ignition interlock device approved by the Board of Tests for Alcohol and Drug Influence. The device shall be installed upon every motor vehicle operated

by the defendant, and the court shall require that a notation of this restriction be affixed to the defendant's driver license. The restriction shall remain on the driver license not exceeding two (2) years to be determined by the court. The restriction may be modified or removed only by order of the court and notice of any modification order shall be given to the Department of Public Safety. Upon the expiration of the period for the restriction, the Department of Public Safety shall remove the restriction without further court order. Failure to comply with the order to install an ignition interlock device or operating any vehicle without a device during the period of restriction shall be a violation of the sentence and may be punished as deemed proper by the sentencing court. As used in this paragraph, "ignition interlock device" means a device that, without tampering or intervention by another person, would prevent the defendant from operating a motor vehicle if the defendant has a blood or breath alcohol concentration of two-hundredths (0.02) or greater,

- to be confined by electronic monitoring administered and supervised by the Department of Corrections or a community sentence provider, and payment of a monitoring fee to the supervising authority, not to exceed Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) per month. Any fees collected pursuant to this paragraph shall be deposited with the appropriate supervising authority. Any willful violation of an order of the court for the payment of the monitoring fee shall be a violation of the sentence and may be punished as deemed proper by the sentencing court. As used in this paragraph, "electronic monitoring" means confinement of the defendant within a specified location or locations with supervision by means of an electronic device approved by the Department of Corrections which is designed to detect if the defendant is in the courtordered location at the required times and which records violations for investigation by a qualified supervisory agency or person,
- p. to perform one or more courses of treatment, education or rehabilitation for any conditions, behaviors, deficiencies or disorders which may contribute to

criminal conduct, including but not limited to alcohol and substance abuse, mental health, emotional health, physical health, propensity for violence, antisocial behavior, personality or attitudes, deviant sexual behavior, child development, parenting assistance, job skills, vocational-technical skills, domestic relations, literacy, education, or any other identifiable deficiency which may be treated appropriately in the community and for which a certified provider or a program recognized by the court as having significant positive impact exists in the community. Any treatment, education or rehabilitation provider required to be certified pursuant to law or rule shall be certified by the appropriate state agency or a national organization,

- q. to submit to periodic testing for alcohol, intoxicating substance, or controlled dangerous substances by a qualified laboratory,
- r. to pay a fee, costs for treatment, education, supervision, participation in a program, or any combination thereof as determined by the court, based upon the defendant's ability to pay the fees or costs,
- s. to be supervised by a Department of Corrections employee, a private supervision provider, or other person designated by the court,
- t. to obtain positive behavior modeling by a trained mentor,
- u. to serve a term of confinement in a restrictive housing facility available in the community,
- v. to serve a term of confinement in the county jail at night or during weekends pursuant to Section 991a-2 of this title or for work release,
- w. to obtain employment or participate in employmentrelated activities,
- x. to participate in mandatory day reporting to facilities or persons for services, payments, duties

- or person-to-person contacts as specified by the court,
- y. to pay day fines not to exceed fifty percent (50%) of the net wages earned. For purposes of this paragraph, "day fine" means the offender is ordered to pay an amount calculated as a percentage of net daily wages earned. The day fine shall be paid to the local community sentencing system as reparation to the community. Day fines shall be used to support the local system,
- z. to submit to blood or saliva testing as required by subsection I of this section,
- aa. to repair or restore property damaged by the defendant's conduct, if the court determines the defendant possesses sufficient skill to repair or restore the property and the victim consents to the repairing or restoring of the property,
- bb. to restore damaged property in kind or payment of outof-pocket expenses to the victim, if the court is able to determine the actual out-of-pocket expenses suffered by the victim,
- cc. to attend a victim-offender reconciliation program if the victim agrees to participate and the offender is deemed appropriate for participation,
- dd. in the case of a person convicted of prostitution pursuant to Section 1029 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes, require such person to receive counseling for the behavior which may have caused such person to engage in prostitution activities. Such person may be required to receive counseling in areas including but not limited to alcohol and substance abuse, sexual behavior problems, or domestic abuse or child abuse problems,
- ee. in the case of a sex offender sentenced after November 1, 1989, and required by law to register pursuant to the Sex Offender Registration Act, the court shall require the person to comply with sex offender specific rules and conditions of supervision

established by the Department of Corrections and require the person to participate in a treatment program designed for the treatment of sex offenders during the period of time while the offender is subject to supervision by the Department of Corrections. The treatment program shall include polygraph examinations specifically designed for use with sex offenders for purposes of supervision and treatment compliance, and shall be administered not less than each six (6) months during the period of supervision. The examination shall be administered by a certified licensed polygraph examiner. treatment program must be approved by the Department of Corrections or the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services. Such treatment shall be at the expense of the defendant based on the defendant's ability to pay,

- ff. in addition to other sentencing powers of the court, the court in the case of a defendant being sentenced for a felony conviction for a violation of Section 2-402 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes which involves marijuana may require the person to participate in a drug court program, if available. If a drug court program is not available, the defendant may be required to participate in a community sanctions program, if available,
- in the case of a person convicted of any false or gg. bogus check violation, as defined in Section 1541.4 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes, impose a fee of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) to the victim for each check, and impose a bogus check fee to be paid to the district attorney. The bogus check fee paid to the district attorney shall be equal to the amount assessed as court costs plus Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) for each check upon filing of the case in district court. This money shall be deposited in the Bogus Check Restitution Program Fund as established in subsection B of Section 114 of this title. Additionally, the court may require the offender to pay restitution and bogus check fees on any other bogus check or checks that have been submitted to the District Attorney Bogus Check Restitution Program, and

hh. any other provision specifically ordered by the court.

However, any such order for restitution, community service, payment to a local certified crime stoppers program, payment to the Oklahoma Reward System, or confinement in the county jail, or a combination thereof, shall be made in conjunction with probation and shall be made a condition of the suspended sentence.

However, unless under the supervision of the district attorney, the offender shall be required to pay Forty Dollars (\$40.00) per month to the district attorney during the first two (2) years of probation to compensate the district attorney for the costs incurred during the prosecution of the offender and for the additional work of verifying the compliance of the offender with the rules and conditions of his or her probation. The district attorney may waive any part of this requirement in the best interests of justice. The court shall not waive, suspend, defer or dismiss the costs of prosecution in its entirety. However, if the court determines that a reduction in the fine, costs and costs of prosecution is warranted, the court shall equally apply the same percentage reduction to the fine, costs and costs of prosecution owed by the offender;

- 2. Impose a fine prescribed by law for the offense, with or without probation or commitment and with or without restitution or service as provided for in this section, Section 991a-4.1 of this title or Section 227 of Title 57 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 3. Commit such person for confinement provided for by law with or without restitution as provided for in this section;
- 4. Order the defendant to reimburse the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation for costs incurred by that agency during its investigation of the crime for which the defendant pleaded guilty, nolo contendere or was convicted, including compensation for laboratory, technical, or investigation services performed by the Bureau if, in the opinion of the court, the defendant is able to pay without imposing manifest hardship on the defendant, and if the costs incurred by the Bureau during the investigation of the defendant's case may be determined with reasonable certainty;
- 5. Order the defendant to reimburse the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation for all costs incurred by that agency for cleaning up an illegal drug laboratory site for which the defendant pleaded guilty, nolo contendere or was convicted. The court clerk shall

collect the amount and may retain five percent (5%) of such monies to be deposited in the Court Clerk Revolving Fund to cover administrative costs and shall remit the remainder to the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation to be deposited in the OSBI Revolving Fund established by Section 150.19a of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

- 6. In the case of nonviolent felony offenses, sentence such person to the Community Service Sentencing Program;
- 7. In addition to the other sentencing powers of the court, in the case of a person convicted of operating or being in control of a motor vehicle while the person was under the influence of alcohol, other intoxicating substance, or a combination of alcohol or another intoxicating substance, or convicted of operating a motor vehicle while the ability of the person to operate such vehicle was impaired due to the consumption of alcohol, require such person:
 - a. to participate in an alcohol and drug assessment and evaluation by an assessment agency or assessment personnel certified by the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services pursuant to Section 3-460 of Title 43A of the Oklahoma Statutes and, as determined by the assessment, participate in an alcohol and drug substance abuse course or treatment program or both, pursuant to Sections 3-452 and 3-453 of Title 43A of the Oklahoma Statutes,
 - b. to attend a victims impact panel program, as defined in subsection H of this section, and to pay a fee of not more than Sixty Dollars (\$60.00) as set by the governing authority of the program and approved by the court, to the program to offset the cost of participation by the defendant, if in the opinion of the court the defendant has the ability to pay such fee,
 - c. to both participate in the alcohol and drug substance abuse course or treatment program, pursuant to subparagraph a of this paragraph and attend a victims impact panel program, pursuant to subparagraph b of this paragraph,
 - d. to install, at the expense of the person, an ignition interlock device approved by the Board of Tests for

Alcohol and Drug Influence, upon every motor vehicle operated by such person and to require that a notation of this restriction be affixed to the person's driver license at the time of reinstatement of the license. The restriction shall remain on the driver license for such period as the court shall determine. restriction may be modified or removed by order of the court and notice of the order shall be given to the Department of Public Safety. Upon the expiration of the period for the restriction, the Department of Public Safety shall remove the restriction without further court order. Failure to comply with the order to install an ignition interlock device or operating any vehicle without such device during the period of restriction shall be a violation of the sentence and may be punished as deemed proper by the sentencing court, or

- e. beginning January 1, 1993, to submit to electronically monitored home detention administered and supervised by the Department of Corrections, and to pay to the Department a monitoring fee, not to exceed Seventy-five Dollars (\$75.00) a month, to the Department of Corrections, if in the opinion of the court the defendant has the ability to pay such fee. Any fees collected pursuant to this subparagraph shall be deposited in the Department of Corrections Revolving Fund. Any order by the court for the payment of the monitoring fee, if willfully disobeyed, may be enforced as an indirect contempt of court;
- 8. In addition to the other sentencing powers of the court, in the case of a person convicted of prostitution pursuant to Section 1029 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes, require such person to receive counseling for the behavior which may have caused such person to engage in prostitution activities. Such person may be required to receive counseling in areas including but not limited to alcohol and substance abuse, sexual behavior problems, or domestic abuse or child abuse problems;
- 9. In addition to the other sentencing powers of the court, in the case of a person convicted of any crime related to domestic abuse, as defined in Section 60.1 of this title, the court may require the defendant to undergo the treatment or participate in the counseling services necessary to bring about the cessation of

domestic abuse against the victim. The defendant may be required to pay all or part of the cost of the treatment or counseling services;

- 10. In addition to the other sentencing powers of the court, the court, in the case of a sex offender sentenced after November 1, 1989, and required by law to register pursuant to the Sex Offenders Registration Act, shall require the person to participate in a treatment program designed specifically for the treatment of sex offenders, if available. The treatment program will include polygraph examinations specifically designed for use with sex offenders for the purpose of supervision and treatment compliance, provided the examination is administered by a certified licensed polygraph examiner. The treatment program must be approved by the Department of Corrections or the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services. Such treatment shall be at the expense of the defendant based on the defendant's ability to pay;
- 11. In addition to the other sentencing powers of the court, the court, in the case of a person convicted of child abuse or neglect, as defined in Section 1-1-105 of Title 10A of the Oklahoma Statutes, may require the person to undergo treatment or to participate in counseling services. The defendant may be required to pay all or part of the cost of the treatment or counseling services;
- 12. In addition to the other sentencing powers of the court, the court, in the case of a person convicted of cruelty to animals pursuant to Section 1685 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes, may require the person to pay restitution to animal facilities for medical care and any boarding costs of victimized animals;
- 13. In addition to the other sentencing powers of the court, a sex offender who is habitual or aggravated as defined by Section 584 of Title 57 of the Oklahoma Statutes and who is required to register as a sex offender pursuant to the Oklahoma Sex Offenders Registration Act shall be supervised by the Department of Corrections for the duration of the registration period and shall be assigned to a global position monitoring device by the Department of Corrections for the duration of the registration period. The cost of such monitoring device shall be reimbursed by the offender;
- 14. In addition to the other sentencing powers of the court, in the case of a sex offender who is required by law to register pursuant to the Sex Offenders Registration Act, the court may prohibit the person from accessing or using any Internet social

networking web site that has the potential or likelihood of allowing the sex offender to have contact with any child who is under the age of eighteen (18) years; or

- 15. In addition to the other sentencing powers of the court, in the case of a sex offender who is required by law to register pursuant to the Sex Offenders Registration Act, the court shall require the person to register any electronic mail address information, instant message, chat or other Internet communication name or identity information that the person uses or intends to use while accessing the Internet or used for other purposes of social networking or other similar Internet communication.
- Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any person who is found quilty of a violation of any provision of Section 761 or 11-902 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes or any person pleading quilty or nolo contendere for a violation of any provision of such sections shall be ordered to participate in, prior to sentencing, an alcohol and drug assessment and evaluation by an assessment agency or assessment personnel certified by the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services for the purpose of evaluating the receptivity to treatment and prognosis of the person. The court shall order the person to reimburse the agency or assessor for the The fee shall be the amount provided in subsection C of Section 3-460 of Title 43A of the Oklahoma Statutes. The evaluation shall be conducted at a certified assessment agency, the office of a certified assessor or at another location as ordered by the court. The agency or assessor shall, within seventy-two (72) hours from the time the person is assessed, submit a written report to the court for the purpose of assisting the court in its final sentencing determination. No person, agency or facility operating an alcohol and drug substance abuse evaluation program certified by the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services shall solicit or refer any person evaluated pursuant to this subsection for any treatment program or alcohol and drug substance abuse service in which such person, agency or facility has a vested interest; however, this provision shall not be construed to prohibit the court from ordering participation in or any person from voluntarily utilizing a treatment program or alcohol and drug substance abuse service offered by such person, agency or facility. If a person is sentenced to the custody of the Department of Corrections and the court has received a written evaluation report pursuant to this subsection, the report shall be furnished to the Department of Corrections with the judgment and sentence. evaluation report submitted to the court pursuant to this subsection

shall be handled in a manner which will keep such report confidential from the general public's review. Nothing contained in this subsection shall be construed to prohibit the court from ordering judgment and sentence in the event the defendant fails or refuses to comply with an order of the court to obtain the evaluation required by this subsection.

- When sentencing a person convicted of a crime, the court shall first consider a program of restitution for the victim, as well as imposition of a fine or incarceration of the offender. provisions of paragraph 1 of subsection A of this section shall not apply to defendants being sentenced upon their third or subsequent to their third conviction of a felony or, beginning January 1, 1993, to defendants being sentenced for their second or subsequent felony conviction for violation of Section 11-902 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes, except as otherwise provided in this subsection. In the case of a person being sentenced for their second or subsequent felony conviction for violation of Section 11-902 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes, the court may sentence the person pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 1 of subsection A of this section if the court orders the person to submit to electronically monitored home detention administered and supervised by the Department of Corrections pursuant to subparagraph e of paragraph 7 of subsection A of this section. Provided, the court may waive these prohibitions upon written application of the district attorney. Both the application and the waiver shall be made part of the record of the case.
- D. When sentencing a person convicted of a crime, the judge shall consider any victims impact statements if submitted to the jury, or the judge in the event a jury is waived.
- E. Probation, for purposes of subsection A of this section, is a procedure by which a defendant found guilty of a crime, whether upon a verdict or plea of guilty or upon a plea of nolo contendere, is released by the court subject to conditions imposed by the court and subject to supervision by the Department of Corrections, a private supervision provider or other person designated by the court. Such supervision shall be initiated upon an order of probation from the court, and shall not exceed two (2) years, unless a petition alleging a violation of any condition of deferred judgment or seeking revocation of the suspended sentence is filed during the supervision, or as otherwise provided by law. In the case of a person convicted of a sex offense, supervision shall begin immediately upon release from incarceration or if parole is granted

and shall not be limited to two (2) years. Provided further, any supervision provided for in this section may be extended for a period not to exceed the expiration of the maximum term or terms of the sentence upon a determination by the court or the Division of Probation and Parole of the Department of Corrections that the best interests of the public and the release will be served by an extended period of supervision.

- F. The Department of Corrections, or such other agency as the court may designate, shall be responsible for the monitoring and administration of the restitution and service programs provided for by subparagraphs a, c, and d of paragraph 1 of subsection A of this section, and shall ensure that restitution payments are forwarded to the victim and that service assignments are properly performed.
- G. 1. The Department of Corrections is hereby authorized, subject to funds available through appropriation by the Legislature, to contract with counties for the administration of county Community Service Sentencing Programs.
- 2. Any offender eligible to participate in the Program pursuant to this section shall be eligible to participate in a county Program; provided, participation in county-funded Programs shall not be limited to offenders who would otherwise be sentenced to confinement with the Department of Corrections.
- 3. The Department shall establish criteria and specifications for contracts with counties for such Programs. A county may apply to the Department for a contract for a county-funded Program for a specific period of time. The Department shall be responsible for ensuring that any contracting county complies in full with specifications and requirements of the contract. The contract shall set appropriate compensation to the county for services to the Department.
- 4. The Department is hereby authorized to provide technical assistance to any county in establishing a Program, regardless of whether the county enters into a contract pursuant to this subsection. Technical assistance shall include appropriate staffing, development of community resources, sponsorship, supervision and any other requirements.
- 5. The Department shall annually make a report to the Governor, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House on the number of such Programs, the number of participating

offenders, the success rates of each Program according to criteria established by the Department and the costs of each Program.

H. As used in this section:

- 1. "Ignition interlock device" means a device that, without tampering or intervention by another person, would prevent the defendant from operating a motor vehicle if the defendant has a blood or breath alcohol concentration of two-hundredths (0.02) or greater;
- 2. "Electronically monitored home detention" means incarceration of the defendant within a specified location or locations with monitoring by means of a device approved by the Department of Corrections that detects if the person leaves the confines of any specified location; and
- "Victims impact panel program" means a program conducted by a corporation registered with the Secretary of State in Oklahoma for the purpose of operating a victims impact panel program. program shall include live presentations from presenters who will share personal stories with participants about how alcohol, drug abuse, the operation of a motor vehicle while using an electronic communication device or the illegal conduct of others has personally impacted the lives of the presenters. A victims impact panel program shall be attended by persons who have committed the offense of driving, operating or being in actual physical control of a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol or other intoxicating substance, operating a motor vehicle while the ability of the person to operate such vehicle was impaired due to the consumption of alcohol or any other substance or operating a motor vehicle while using an electronic device. Persons attending a victims impact panel program shall be required to pay a fee of not more than Sixty Dollars (\$60.00) to the provider of the program. A certificate of completion shall be issued to the person upon satisfying the attendance and fee requirements of the victims impact panel program. The certificate of completion shall contain the business identification number of the program provider. A victims impact panel program shall not be provided by any certified assessment agency or certified assessor unless the assessment agency or certified assessor has been granted an exemption by the Commissioner of the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services. The provider of the victims impact panel program shall carry general liability insurance and maintain an accurate accounting of all business transactions and funds received in relation to the victims

impact panel program. The provider of the victims impact panel program shall annually provide to the Administrative Office of the Courts the following:

- a. proof of registration with the Oklahoma Secretary of State,
- b. proof of general liability insurance,
- c. end-of-year financial statements prepared by a certified public accountant, and
- d. a copy of federal income tax returns filed with the Internal Revenue Service.
- A person convicted of a felony offense or receiving any form of probation for an offense in which registration is required pursuant to the Sex Offenders Registration Act, shall submit to deoxyribonucleic acid DNA testing for law enforcement identification purposes in accordance with Section 150.27 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes and the rules promulgated by the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation for the OSBI Combined DNA Index System (CODIS) Database. Subject to the availability of funds, any person convicted of a misdemeanor offense of assault and battery, domestic abuse, stalking, possession of a controlled substance prohibited under Schedule IV of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Act, outraging public decency, resisting arrest, escape or attempting to escape, eluding a police officer, peeping tom Peeping Tom, pointing a firearm, unlawful carry of a firearm, illegal transport of a firearm, discharging of a firearm, threatening an act of violence, breaking and entering a dwelling place, destruction of property, negligent homicide, or causing a personal injury accident while driving under the influence of any intoxicating substance, or any alien unlawfully present under federal immigration law, upon arrest, shall submit to deoxyribonucleic acid DNA testing for law enforcement identification purposes in accordance with Section 150.27 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes and the rules promulgated by the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation for the OSBI Combined DNA Index System (CODIS) Database. Any defendant sentenced to probation shall be required to submit to testing within thirty (30) days of sentencing either to the Department of Corrections or to the county sheriff or other peace officer as directed by the court. Defendants who are sentenced to a term of incarceration shall submit to testing in accordance with Section 530.1 of Title 57 of the Oklahoma Statutes, for those defendants who

enter the custody of the Department of Corrections or to the county sheriff, for those defendants sentenced to incarceration in a county jail. Convicted individuals who have previously submitted to DNA testing under this section and for whom a valid sample is on file in the OSBI Combined DNA Index System (CODIS) Database at the time of sentencing shall not be required to submit to additional testing. Except as required by the Sex Offenders Registration Act, a deferred judgment does not require submission to deoxyribonucleic acid testing.

Any person who is incarcerated in the custody of the Department of Corrections after July 1, 1996, and who has not been released before January 1, 2006, shall provide a blood or saliva sample prior to release. Every person subject to DNA testing after January 1, 2006, whose sentence does not include a term of confinement with the Department of Corrections shall submit a blood or saliva sample. Every person subject to DNA testing who is sentenced to unsupervised probation or otherwise not supervised by the Department of Corrections shall submit for blood or saliva testing to the sheriff of the sentencing county.

- Samples of blood or saliva for DNA testing required by subsection I of this section shall be taken by employees or contractors of the Department of Corrections, peace officers, or the county sheriff or employees or contractors of the sheriff's office. The individuals shall be properly trained to collect blood or saliva samples. Persons collecting blood or saliva for DNA testing pursuant to this section shall be immune from civil liabilities arising from this activity. All collectors of DNA samples shall ensure the collection of samples are mailed to the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation within ten (10) days of the time the subject appears for testing or within ten (10) days of the date the subject comes into physical custody to serve a term of incarceration. All collectors of DNA samples shall use sample kits provided by the OSBI and procedures promulgated by the OSBI. Persons subject to DNA testing who are not received at the Lexington Assessment and Reception Center shall be required to pay a fee of Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) to the agency collecting the sample for submission to the OSBI Combined DNA Index System (CODIS) Database. Any fees collected pursuant to this subsection shall be deposited in the revolving account or the service fee account of the collection agency or department.
- K. When sentencing a person who has been convicted of a crime that would subject that person to the provisions of the Sex

Offenders Registration Act, neither the court nor the district attorney shall be allowed to waive or exempt such person from the registration requirements of the Sex Offenders Registration Act.

- SECTION 11. REPEALER 22 O.S. 2011, Section 991a, as last amended by Section 2, Chapter 194, O.S.L. 2017 (22 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 991a), is hereby repealed.
- SECTION 12. REPEALER 29 O.S. 2011, Section 4-112, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 300, O.S.L. 2017 (29 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 4-112), is hereby repealed.
- SECTION 13. AMENDATORY Section 3, Chapter 366, O.S.L. 2016, as amended by Section 5, Chapter 381, O.S.L. 2017 (37A O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1-103), is amended to read as follows:

Section 1-103. As used in the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act:

- 1. "ABLE Commission" or "Commission" means the Alcoholic Beverage Laws Enforcement Commission;
- 2. "Alcohol" means and includes hydrated oxide of ethyl, ethyl alcohol, ethanol or spirits of wine, from whatever source or by whatever process produced. It does not include wood alcohol or alcohol which has been denatured or produced as denatured in accordance with Acts of Congress and regulations promulgated thereunder;
- 3. "Alcoholic beverage" means alcohol, spirits, beer and wine as those terms are defined herein and also includes every liquid or solid, patented or not, containing alcohol, spirits, wine or beer and capable of being consumed as a beverage by human beings;
- 4. "Applicant" means any individual, legal or commercial business entity, or any individual involved in any legal or commercial business entity allowed to hold any license issued in accordance with the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act;
- 5. "Beer" means any beverage of alcohol by volume and obtained by the alcoholic fermentation of an infusion or decoction of barley, or other grain, malt or similar products. "Beer" may or may not contain hops or other vegetable products. "Beer" includes, among other things, beer, ale, stout, lager beer, porter and other malt or

brewed liquors, but does not include sake, known as Japanese rice wine;

- 6. "Beer keg" means any manufacturer-sealed, single container that contains not less than four (4) gallons of beer;
- 7. "Beer distributor" means and includes any person licensed to distribute beer for retail sale in the state, but does not include a holder of a small brewer self-distribution license or brewpub self-distribution license. The term "distributor", as used in this act, shall be construed to refer to a beer distributor;
- 8. "Bottle club" means any establishment in a county which has not authorized the retail sale of alcoholic beverages by the individual drink, which is required to be licensed to keep, mix and serve alcoholic beverages belonging to club members on club premises;
- 9. "Brand" means any word, name, group of letters, symbol or combination thereof, that is adopted and used by a licensed manufacturer to identify a specific beer and to distinguish that product from another beer;
 - 10. "Brand extension" means:
 - a. after the effective date of this act, any brand of beer <u>or cider</u> introduced by a manufacturer in this state which either:
 - incorporates all or a substantial part of the unique features of a preexisting brand of the same licensed manufacturer, or
 - (2) relies to a significant extent on the goodwill associated with the preexisting brand, or
 - b. any brand of beer that a manufacturer, the majority of whose total volume of all brands of beer distributed in this state by such manufacturer on January 1, 2016, was distributed as low-point beer, desires to sell, introduces, begins selling or theretofore has sold and desires to continue selling a strong beer in this state which either:

- (1) incorporates or incorporated all or a substantial part of the unique features of a preexisting lowpoint beer brand of the same licensed manufacturer, or
- (2) relies or relied to a significant extent on the goodwill associated with a preexisting low-point beer brand;
- 11. "Brewer" means and includes any person who manufactures for human consumption by the use of raw materials or other ingredients any beer upon which a license fee and a tax are imposed by any law of this state;
- 12. "Brewpub" means a licensed establishment operated on the premises of, or on premises located contiguous to, a small brewer, that prepares and serves food and beverages, including alcoholic beverages, for on-premises consumption;
- 13. "Cider" means any alcoholic beverage obtained by the alcoholic fermentation of fruit juice, including but not limited to flavored, sparkling or carbonated cider. For the purposes of the distribution of this product, cider may be distributed by either wine and spirits wholesalers or beer distributors;
- 14. "Convenience store" means any person primarily engaged in retailing a limited range of general household items and groceries, with extended hours of operation, whether or not engaged in retail sales of automotive fuels in combination with such sales;
- 15. "Convicted" and "conviction" mean and include a finding of guilt resulting from a plea of guilty or nolo contendere, the decision of a court or magistrate or the verdict of a jury, irrespective of the pronouncement of judgment or the suspension thereof;
 - 16. "Director" means the Director of the ABLE Commission;
- 17. "Distiller" means any person who produces spirits from any source or substance, or any person who brews or makes mash, wort or wash, fit for distillation or for the production of spirits (except a person making or using such material in the authorized production of wine or beer, or the production of vinegar by fermentation), or any person who by any process separates alcoholic spirits from any

fermented substance, or any person who, making or keeping mash, wort or wash, has also in his or her possession or use a still;

- 18. "Distributor agreement" means the written agreement between the distributor and manufacturer as set forth in Section 3-108 of this title:
- 19. "Drug store" means a person primarily engaged in retailing prescription and nonprescription drugs and medicines;
- 20. "Dual-strength beer" means a brand of beer that, immediately prior to the effective date of this act April 15, 2017, was being sold and distributed in this state:
 - a. as a low-point beer pursuant to the Low-Point Beer Distribution Act in effect immediately prior to the effective date of this act, and
 - b. as strong beer pursuant to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act in effect immediately prior to the effective date of this act,

and continues to be sold and distributed as such on October 1, 2018. Dual-strength beer does not include a brand of beer that arose as a result of a brand extension as defined in this section;

21. "Fair market value" means the value in the subject territory covered by the written agreement with the distributor or wholesaler that would be determined in an arm's length transaction entered into without duress or threat of termination of the distributor's or wholesaler's rights and shall include all elements of value, including goodwill and going-concern value;

22. "Good cause" means:

- a. failure by the distributor to comply with the material and reasonable provisions of a written agreement or understanding with the manufacturer, or
- b. failure by the distributor to comply with the duty of good faith;
- 23. "Good faith" means the duty of each party to any distributor agreement and all officers, employees or agents thereof

to act with honesty in fact and within reasonable standards of fair dealing in the trade;

- 24. "Grocery store" means a person primarily engaged in retailing a general line of food, such as canned or frozen foods, fresh fruits and vegetables, and fresh and prepared meats, fish and poultry;
- 25. "Hotel" or "motel" means an establishment which is licensed to sell alcoholic beverages by the individual drink and which contains guestroom accommodations with respect to which the predominant relationship existing between the occupants thereof and the owner or operator of the establishment is that of innkeeper and guest. For purposes of this section, the existence of other legal relationships as between some occupants and the owner or operator thereof shall be immaterial;
- 26. "Legal newspaper" means a newspaper meeting the requisites of a newspaper for publication of legal notices as prescribed in Sections 101 through 114 of Title 25 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 27. "Licensee" means any person holding a license under the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, and any agent, servant or employee of such licensee while in the performance of any act or duty in connection with the licensed business or on the licensed premises;
- 28. "Low-point beer" shall mean any beverages containing more than one-half of one percent (1/2 of 1%) alcohol by volume, and not more than three and two-tenths percent (3.2%) alcohol by weight, including but not limited to, beer or cereal malt beverages obtained by the alcoholic fermentation of an infusion by barley or other grain, malt or similar products;
- 29. "Manufacturer" means a brewer, distiller, winemaker, rectifier or bottler of any alcoholic beverage and its subsidiaries, affiliates and parent companies;
- 30. "Manufacturer's agent" means a salaried or commissioned salesperson who is the agent authorized to act on behalf of the manufacturer or nonresident seller in the state;
- 31. "Meals" means foods commonly ordered at lunch or dinner and at least part of which is cooked on the licensed premises and requires the use of dining implements for consumption. Provided,

that the service of only food such as appetizers, sandwiches, salads or desserts shall not be considered "meals";

- 32. "Mini-bar" means a closed container, either refrigerated in whole or in part, or nonrefrigerated, and access to the interior of which is:
 - a. restricted by means of a locking device which requires the use of a key, magnetic card or similar device, or
 - b. controlled at all times by the licensee;
- 33. "Mixed beverage cooler" means any beverage, by whatever name designated, consisting of an alcoholic beverage and fruit or vegetable juice, fruit or vegetable flavorings, dairy products or carbonated water containing more than one-half of one percent (1/2 of 1%) of alcohol measured by volume but not more than seven percent (7%) alcohol by volume at sixty (60) degrees Fahrenheit and which is packaged in a container not larger than three hundred seventy-five (375) milliliters. Such term shall include but not be limited to the beverage popularly known as a "wine cooler";
- 34. "Mixed beverages" means one or more servings of a beverage composed in whole or part of an alcoholic beverage in a sealed or unsealed container of any legal size for consumption on the premises where served or sold by the holder of a mixed beverage, beer and wine, caterer, public event, charitable event or special event license;
- 35. "Motion picture theater" means an establishment which is licensed by Section 2-110 of this title to sell alcoholic beverages by the individual drink and where motion pictures are exhibited, and to which the general public is admitted;
- 36. "Nonresident seller" means any person licensed pursuant to Section 2-135 of this title;
- 37. "Retail salesperson" means a salesperson soliciting orders from and calling upon retail alcoholic beverage stores with regard to his or her product;
- 38. "Occupation" as used in connection with "occupation tax" means the sites occupied as the places of business of the manufacturers, wholesalers, beer distributors, retailers, mixed

beverage licensees, on-premises beer and wine licensees, bottle clubs, caterers, public event and special event licensees;

- 39. "Original package" means any container of alcoholic beverage filled and stamped or sealed by the manufacturer;
- 40. "Package store" means any sole proprietor or partnership that qualifies to sell wine, beer and/or spirits for off-premise consumption and that is not a grocery store, convenience store or drug store, or other retail outlet that is not permitted to sell wine or beer for off-premise consumption;
- 41. "Patron" means any person, customer or visitor who is not employed by a licensee or who is not a licensee;
- 42. "Person" means an individual, any type of partnership, corporation, association, limited liability company or any individual involved in the legal structure of any such business entity;
- 43. "Premises" means the grounds and all buildings and appurtenances pertaining to the grounds including any adjacent premises if under the direct or indirect control of the licensee and the rooms and equipment under the control of the licensee and used in connection with or in furtherance of the business covered by a license. Provided that the ABLE Commission shall have the authority to designate areas to be excluded from the licensed premises solely for the purpose of:
 - a. allowing the presence and consumption of alcoholic beverages by private parties which are closed to the general public, or
 - b. allowing the services of a caterer serving alcoholic beverages provided by a private party.

This exception shall in no way limit the licensee's concurrent responsibility for any violations of the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act occurring on the licensed premises;

44. "Private event" means a social gathering or event attended by invited guests who share a common cause, membership, business or task and have a prior established relationship. For purposes of this definition, advertisement for general public attendance or

sales of tickets to the general public shall not constitute a private event;

- 45. "Public event" means any event that can be attended by the general public;
- 46. "Rectifier" means any person who rectifies, purifies or refines spirits or wines by any process (other than by original and continuous distillation, or original and continuous processing, from mash, wort, wash or other substance, through continuous closed vessels and pipes, until the production thereof is complete), and any person who, without rectifying, purifying or refining spirits, shall by mixing (except for immediate consumption on the premises where mixed) such spirits, wine or other liquor with any material, manufactures any spurious, imitation or compound liquors for sale, under the name of whiskey, brandy, rum, gin, wine, spirits, cordials or any other name;
- 47. "Regulation" or "rule" means a formal rule of general application promulgated by the ABLE Commission as herein required;
- 48. "Restaurant" means an establishment that is licensed to sell alcoholic beverages by the individual drink for on-premises consumption and where food is prepared and sold for immediate consumption on the premises;
- 49. "Retail container for spirits and wines" means an original package of any capacity approved by the United States Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms;
- 50. "Retailer" means a package store, grocery store, convenience store or drug store licensed to sell alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption pursuant to a Retail Spirits License, Retail Wine License or Retail Beer License;
- 51. "Sale" means any transfer, exchange or barter in any manner or by any means whatsoever, and includes and means all sales made by any person, whether as principal, proprietor or as an agent, servant or employee. The term "sale" is also declared to be and include the use or consumption in this state of any alcoholic beverage obtained within or imported from without this state, upon which the excise tax levied by the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act has not been paid or exempted;

- 52. "Short-order food" means food other than full meals including but not limited to sandwiches, soups and salads. Provided that popcorn, chips and other similar snack food shall not be considered "short-order food";
- 53. "Small brewer" means a brewer who manufactures less than twenty-five thousand (25,000) barrels of beer annually pursuant to a validly issued Small Brewer License hereunder;
- 54. "Small farm wine" means a wine that is produced by a small farm winery with seventy-five percent (75%) or more Oklahoma-grown grapes, berries, other fruits, honey or vegetables;
- 55. "Small farm winery" means a wine-making establishment that does not annually produce for sale more than fifteen thousand (15,000) gallons of wine as reported on the United States Department of the Treasury, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, Report of Wine Premises Operations (TTB Form 5120.17);
- 56. "Sparkling wine" means champagne or any artificially carbonated wine;
- 57. "Special event" means an entertainment, recreation or marketing event that occurs at a single location on an irregular basis and at which alcoholic beverages are sold;
- 58. "Spirits" means any beverage other than wine or beer, which contains more than one-half of one percent (1/2 of 1%) alcohol measured by volume, and obtained by distillation, whether or not mixed with other substances in solution and includes those products known as whiskey, brandy, rum, gin, vodka, liqueurs, cordials and fortified wines and similar compounds, but shall not include any alcohol liquid completely denatured in accordance with the Acts of Congress and regulations pursuant thereto;
- 59. "Strong beer" means beer which, prior to the effective date of this act, was distributed pursuant to the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, Section 501 et seq. of Title 37 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 60. "Successor manufacturer" means a primary source of supply, a brewer, a cider manufacturer or an importer that acquires rights to a beer or cider brand from a predecessor manufacturer;
 - 61. "Tax Commission" means the Oklahoma Tax Commission;

- 62. "Territory" means a geographic region with a specified boundary;
- 63. "Wine and spirits wholesaler" or "wine and spirits distributor" means and includes any sole proprietorship or partnership licensed to distribute wine and spirits in the state. The term "wholesaler", as used in this act, shall be construed to refer to a wine and spirits wholesaler; and
- 64. "Wine" means and includes any beverage containing more than one-half of one percent (1/2 of 1%) alcohol by volume and not more than twenty-four percent (24%) alcohol by volume at sixty (60) degrees Fahrenheit obtained by the fermentation of the natural contents of fruits, vegetables, honey, milk or other products containing sugar, whether or not other ingredients are added, and includes vermouth and sake, known as Japanese rice wine.

Words in the plural include the singular, and vice versa, and words imparting the masculine gender include the feminine, as well as persons and licensees as defined in this section.

SECTION 14. REPEALER Section 3, Chapter 366, O.S.L. 2016, as amended by Section 8, Chapter 364, O.S.L. 2017 (37A O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1-103), is hereby repealed.

SECTION 15. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1135.5, as last amended by Section 3, Chapter 331, O.S.L. 2017 (47 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1135.5), is amended to read as follows:

Section 1135.5 A. The Oklahoma Tax Commission is hereby authorized to design and issue appropriate official special license plates to persons wishing to demonstrate support and provide financial assistance as provided by this section.

Special license plates shall not be transferred to any other person but shall be removed from the vehicle upon transfer of ownership and retained. The special license plate may then be used on another vehicle but only after such other vehicle has been registered for the current year with a motor license agent.

Special license plates shall be renewed each year by the Tax Commission or a motor license agent. The Tax Commission shall annually notify by mail all persons issued special license plates. The notice shall contain all necessary information and shall contain

instructions for the renewal procedure upon presentation to a motor license agent or the Tax Commission. The license plates shall be issued on a staggered system.

The Tax Commission is hereby directed to develop and implement a system whereby motor license agents are permitted to accept applications for special license plates authorized under this section. The motor license agent shall confirm the applicant's eligibility, if applicable, collect and deposit any amount specifically authorized by law, accept and process the necessary information directly into such system and generate a receipt accordingly. For performance of these duties, motor license agents shall retain the fee provided in Section 1141.1 of this title for registration of a motor vehicle. The motor license agent fees for acceptance of applications and renewals shall be paid out of the Oklahoma Tax Commission Reimbursement Fund.

If fewer than one hundred of any type of special license plates authorized prior to January 1, 2004, are issued prior to January 1, 2006, the Tax Commission shall discontinue issuance and renewal of that type of special license plate. Any such authorized special license plate registrant shall be allowed to display the license plate upon the designated vehicle until the registration expiration date. After such time the expired special license plate shall be removed from the vehicle.

For special license plates authorized on or after July 1, 2004, no special license plates shall be developed or issued by the Tax Commission until the Commission receives one hundred prepaid applications therefor. The prepaid applications must be received by the Tax Commission within one hundred eighty (180) days of the effective date of the authorization or the authority to issue shall be null and void. In the event one hundred prepaid applications are not received by the Tax Commission within such prescribed time period any payment so received shall be refunded accordingly.

- B. The special license plates provided by this section are as follows:
- 1. University or College Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support to any state-supported or private university or college. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned as provided in Section 1104.1 of this title;

- 2. Environmental Awareness License Plate such plates shall be designed, subject to the criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission by the Department of Environmental Quality in consultation with the Oklahoma Arts Council, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support to implement the statewide general public environmental education program created pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Environmental Quality Code. plates shall be designed and issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. A dealer's license plate issued pursuant to Section 1116.1 or 1128 of this title may be designated an Environmental Awareness License Plate upon payment of the fee imposed by this section and any other registration fees required by the Oklahoma Vehicle License and Registration Act. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned pursuant to Section 1104.2 of this title;
- Firefighter License Plate such plates shall be designed for any career or retired firefighter, volunteer or paid. Firefighters may apply for firefighter plates for up to four vehicles with a rated capacity of one (1) ton or less or for a motorcycle upon proof of a fire department membership by either an identification card or letter from the chief of the fire department. Retirees who are eligible for such plates shall provide proof of eligibility upon initial application, but shall not be required to provide proof of eligibility annually. The surviving spouse of any deceased firefighter, if the spouse has not since remarried, may apply for a firefighter license plate for one vehicle with a rated carrying capacity of one (1) ton or less or for a motorcycle upon proof that the deceased firefighter was a member of a fire department by either an identification card or letter from the chief of the fire department. The license plate shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Firefighters Association.

As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited to the Oklahoma State Firemen's Museum Building & Memorial Fund for support of the Oklahoma Firefighters Museum and the Oklahoma Fallen and Living Firefighters Memorial;

4. Wildlife Conservation License Plate - such plates shall be designed, subject to the criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission by the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation in consultation with the Oklahoma Arts Council, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for wildlife conservation in this state through the Wildlife Diversity Fund, provided for in

Section 3-310 of Title 29 of the Oklahoma Statutes. Such plates may be designed and issued to any person as for personalized license plates.

As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned pursuant to subsection D of Section 3-310 of Title 29 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

5. Child Abuse Prevention License Plate - such plates shall be designed, subject to the criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission by the Office of Child Abuse Prevention in the State Department of Health and the Oklahoma Committee to Prevent Child Abuse, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the prevention of child abuse.

As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Child Abuse Prevention Fund;

- 6. United States Olympic Committee Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the United States Olympic Committee. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. The plate shall contain the official United States Olympic Committee logo. The Tax Commission shall be authorized, if necessary, to enter into a licensing agreement with the United States Olympic Committee for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the United States Olympic Committee logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment of not more than Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) for each license plate issued;
- 7. Oklahoma History License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate interest in Oklahoma history. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited to the Oklahoma Historical Society Revolving Fund to be used for educational purposes;
 - 8. Historic Route 66 License Plate such:
 - a. vehicle plates shall be designed to honor historic Route 66, also known as the "Mother Road". As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected for each vehicle license plate shall be apportioned to the Oklahoma Historical Society

- Revolving Fund to be distributed to the Route 66 Museum located in Clinton, Oklahoma, and
- b. motorcycle plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Route 66 Association, Inc. The Oklahoma Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Oklahoma Route 66 Association, Inc., for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the Oklahoma Route 66 Association, Inc., logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Oklahoma Route 66 Association, Inc., of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each motorcycle license plate issued;
- 9. Heart of the Heartland License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to honor the victims of the terrorist bombing attack on the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in downtown Oklahoma City on April 19, 1995. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Heart of the Heartland Scholarship Fund, as established in Section 2282 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 10. Emergency Medical Technician License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person who is an emergency medical technician. Such persons may apply for an emergency medical technician license plate for each vehicle with a rated carrying capacity of one (1) ton or less upon proof of an emergency medical technician's license. The license plate shall be designed in consultation with the state association of emergency medical technicians. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned to the Emergency Medical Personnel Death Benefit Revolving Fund created in Section 1-2505.2 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 11. Fight Breast Cancer License Plate such plates shall be designed to demonstrate support for the prevention and treatment of breast cancer in this state. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned to the Breast Cancer Act Revolving Fund;
- 12. Crime Victims Awareness License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate awareness of and support for victims of crimes. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Crime Victims

Centre. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned to the Attorney General's Revolving Fund for the Office of the Attorney General, which is hereby directed to use such funds to contract with a statewide nonprofit organization to provide services to crime victims;

- 13. Oklahoma Safe Kids Association License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support and awareness of the Oklahoma Safe Kids Association. The license plate shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Safe Kids Association. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Children's Hospital Oklahoma Safe Kids Association Revolving Fund to be distributed to the Oklahoma Safe Kids Association program;
- 14. Four-H Club License Plate such plates shall be designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission by the Four-H Foundation, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support of the Four-H Club. Such plates may be designed and issued to any person as for personalized license plates. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned to the OSU Extension Service License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.4 of this title;
- 15. Agricultural Awareness License Plate such plates shall be designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission, by the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry in consultation with the Oklahoma Arts Council, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support of the Department's Ag in the Classroom Education Program. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned as provided in Section 1104.3 of this title;
- 16. Oklahoma Statehood Centennial License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to commemorate the centennial of Oklahoma's admission to statehood in 1907. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Capitol Complex and Centennial Commemoration Commission. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Capitol Complex and Centennial Commemoration Commission Revolving Fund created in Section 98.5 of Title 73 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 17. Support Education License Plate such plates shall be designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission

by the State Department of Education in consultation with the Oklahoma Arts Council, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for education in this state. All motor license agents shall display a sample of the Support Education License plate in the area of the business accessed by the public. Twenty-three Dollars (\$23.00) of the fee collected shall be apportioned as follows:

- a. five percent (5%) shall be deposited to the Education Reform Revolving Fund,
- b. five percent (5%) shall be deposited to the Higher Education Revolving Fund,
- c. five percent (5%) shall be deposited to the State Career Technology Fund, and
- d. eighty-five percent (85%) of the fee shall be deposited to the Teachers' Retirement Benefit Fund as set forth in Section 17-108 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

However, when the Teachers' Retirement Benefit Fund attains a seventy percent (70%) funded ratio based on an annual actuarial valuation as required by law, the amount of the fee shall be apportioned equally pursuant to subparagraphs a, b and c of this paragraph;

Retired Oklahoma Highway Patrol Officers License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any retired officer of the Oklahoma Highway Patrol. The license plate shall have the legend "Oklahoma" and shall contain, in the center of the plate, the Highway Patrol Officers patch using the same colors and pattern as used in the patch. Centered on the bottom of the license plate shall be the word "Retired". The letters "TRP" shall be used in combination with three numbers on either side of the insignia or The color of the letters and numbers shall be brown. Retirees who are eligible for such plates shall provide proof of eligibility upon initial application, but shall not be required to provide proof of eligibility annually. The surviving spouse of any deceased retired officer of the Oklahoma Highway Patrol, if the spouse has not since remarried, or if remarried, the remarriage is terminated by death, divorce, or annulment, may apply for a Retired Oklahoma Highway Patrol Officers license plate. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited into the Law Enforcement Retirement Fund;

- 19. Boy Scouts of America Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Boy Scouts of America. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. The plate shall contain the official Boy Scouts of America logo. The Tax Commission shall be authorized, if necessary, to enter into a licensing agreement with the Boy Scouts of America for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the Boy Scouts of America logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Boy Scouts of America of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;
- 20. Urban Forestry and Beautification License Plate such plates shall be designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission, by the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry in consultation with nonprofit organizations in this state that develop and operate programs to encourage urban forestry and beautification, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support of such programs. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned as provided in Section 1104.5 of this title;
- 21. Oklahoma State Parks Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission by the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma state parks system. Twenty-three Dollars (\$23.00) of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department Revolving Fund. Such money shall be designated for and may only be expended for the support of Oklahoma state parks;
- 22. Adoption Creates Families License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support of pregnant women who are committed to placing their children for adoption and wishing to provide assistance to guardians, adoptive parents and other created families to assist in the adoption and placement of children in permanent, safe homes. The license plates shall be designed and final terminology delivered in consultation with the Oklahoma Adoption Coalition and the Department of Human Services. Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) of the fee collected shall be deposited in a revolving fund established in the State Treasury for and to be

used by the Department of Human Services for the implementation of the Investing in Stronger Oklahoma Families Act specifically for created families;

- 23. Choose Life License Plate such plates shall be designed, subject to criteria presented to the Tax Commission, by Choose Life, Inc., and issued to any person who wishes to demonstrate support of organizations that encourage adoption as a positive choice for women with unplanned pregnancies. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Choose Life Assistance Program Revolving Fund established in Section 1104.6 of this title;
- 24. Future Farmers of America License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to persons wishing to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma FFA (formerly known as Future Farmers of America). The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma FFA Foundation Board of Directors. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned as provided in Section 1104.7 of this title;
- 25. Lions Club License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to persons wishing to demonstrate support for the Lions Club of Oklahoma. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Lions Service Foundation and shall contain the official logo of the International Association of Lions Clubs. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Oklahoma Lions Service Foundation. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Oklahoma Lions Service Foundation of not more than Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for each license plate issued;
- 26. Color Oklahoma License Plate such plates shall be designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission by the Oklahoma Native Plant Society, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for preserving and planting wildflowers and native plants in Oklahoma and to promote Oklahoma's wildflower heritage through education. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned as provided in Section 1104.8 of this title;
- 27. Girl Scouts of the United States of America Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any

person wishing to demonstrate support for the Girl Scouts of the United States of America. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. The plate shall contain the official Girl Scouts of the United States of America logo. The Tax Commission shall be authorized, if necessary, to enter into a licensing agreement with the Girl Scouts of the United States of America for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the Girl Scouts of the United States of America logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Girl Scouts of Magic Empire Council, acting on behalf of all Oklahoma Girl Scout councils, of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;

- 28. Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon. The plate shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;
- 29. Oklahoma Scenic Rivers License Plate such plates shall be designed to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma Scenic Rivers. The plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Scenic Rivers Commission. Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) of the fee shall be apportioned to the Oklahoma Scenic Rivers Commission;
- 30. Fight Cancer License Plate such plates shall be designed to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma Central Cancer Registry. The plate shall contain the American Cancer Society logo. The American Cancer Society logo shall be used in accordance with the American Cancer Society's branding guidelines and shall only be utilized to support the Oklahoma Central Cancer Registry. Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) of the fee shall be apportioned to the Oklahoma Central Cancer Registry Revolving Fund;
- 31. Animal Friendly License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for controlling the overpopulation of dogs and cats through educational and sterilization efforts. The plates shall be designed in consultation with the Veterinary Medical Association. Twenty

Dollars (\$20.00) of the fee collected shall be designated by the purchaser of the plate to be deposited in the Oklahoma Pet Overpopulation Fund created in Section 2368.13 of Title 68 of the Oklahoma Statutes or the Animal Friendly Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.10 of this title;

- 32. Patriot License Plate such plates shall be designed in consultation with the Military Department of Oklahoma and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for Oklahoma residents who are members of the Oklahoma National Guard and deployed on active duty. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. As provided in this section, a portion of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Patriot License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.11 of this title;
- 33. Global War on Terrorism License Plate such plate shall be designed in consultation with the Military Department of Oklahoma and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for Oklahoma residents who are members of the Armed Forces of the United States or Oklahoma National Guard that have served in the Global War on Terrorism. The plate shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of six. As provided in this section, a portion of the fee collected shall be deposited in the 45th Infantry Division Museum Fund created in Section 235.1 of Title 44 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 34. Boys and Girls Clubs of America Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Boys and Girls Clubs of America. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. The plate shall contain the official Boys and Girls Clubs of America logo. The Tax Commission, if necessary, may enter into a licensing agreement with the Boys and Girls Clubs of America for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the Boys and Girls Clubs of America logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Boys and Girls Clubs of America of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;
- 35. Oklahoma Quarter Horse License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the American Quarter Horse in Oklahoma. The plate shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Quarter Horse Association. As

provided in this section, a portion of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Quarter Horse Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.12 of this title;

- 36. Oklahoma Association for the Deaf License Plate such plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Association for the Deaf and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for Oklahoma residents who are deaf. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. As provided in this section, a portion of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Association for the Deaf License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.15 of this title;
- 37. Oklahoma City Zoo License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma City Zoo. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Zoological Society, Inc. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Zoological Society Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.13 of this title;
- 38. March of Dimes License Plate such plates shall be issued to persons wishing to demonstrate support for the March of Dimes mission to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects, premature birth and infant mortality. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Chapter March of Dimes. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Prevent Birth Defects, Premature Birth and Infant Mortality Fund established in Section 1104.14 of this title;
- 39. Support Our Troops Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for Support Our Troops Incorporated. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of six. The plate shall contain the official Support Our Troops Incorporated logo which includes the mark "Support Our Troops" across the bottom of the plate. The Tax Commission, if necessary, may enter into a licensing agreement with Support Our Troops Incorporated for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the Support Our Troops Incorporated logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to Support Our Troops Incorporated of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) for each license plate issued;

- 40. Folds of Honor Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for Folds of Honor Incorporated, a nonprofit charitable organization exempt from taxation pursuant to the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C., Section 501(c)(3), providing academic and vocational training scholarships to dependents of military servicemen and servicewomen who were either killed or wounded in action due to military service in the war in Iraq or Afghanistan. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of six. The plate shall be designed in consultation with Folds of Honor Incorporated and shall contain the official Folds of Honor Incorporated logo which includes the mark "Folds of Honor" across the bottom of the plate. The Tax Commission, if necessary, may enter into a licensing agreement with Folds of Honor Incorporated for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the Folds of Honor Incorporated logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to Folds of Honor Incorporated of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) for each license plate issued;
- Downed Bikers Association License Plate such plates shall 41. be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Downed Bikers Association, a nonprofit charitable organization exempt from taxation pursuant to the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C., Section 501(c)(3), which provides emotional and financial support for downed bikers. The license plate shall be designed in consultation with the Central Oklahoma Chapter of the Downed Bikers Association and shall contain any official logo or design of the organization. The Tax Commission, if necessary, may enter into a licensing agreement with the Downed Bikers Association for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the organization's logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Downed Bikers Association of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate;
- 42. Armed Forces Veterans Motorcycle License Plate such plates shall be designed for use on a motorcycle in consultation with A Brotherhood Aiming Toward Education of Oklahoma, Inc. (ABATE), and issued to any honorably discharged former member of the United States Armed Forces wishing to demonstrate support for the 45th Infantry Division Museum. Persons applying for such license plate must show proof of past military service. As provided in this section, a portion of the fee collected shall be deposited in the

45th Infantry Division Museum Fund created in Section 235.1 of Title 44 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

- 43. Buffalo Soldier License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to honor and celebrate the history and contribution of the Buffalo Soldiers. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Lawton-Fort Sill Chapter of the Buffalo Soldiers 9th and 10th (Horse) Cavalry Association. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Buffalo Soldier License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.16 of this title;
- 44. Prevent Blindness Oklahoma License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support for vision screening of school age children in this state. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with Prevent Blindness Oklahoma. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Prevent Blindness Oklahoma License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.17 of this title;
- 45. Oklahoma State Capitol Restoration License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for restoration of the Oklahoma State Capitol building. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Friends of the Capitol corporation, created pursuant to Section 15.4 of Title 73 of the Oklahoma Statutes and the State Capitol Preservation Commission created pursuant to Section 4102 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Friends of the Capitol License Plate Revolving Fund established in Section 1104.18 of this title;
- 46. Eastern Red Cedar Tree License Plate such plates shall be designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the removal of Eastern Red Cedar trees from lands in the state and to develop marketable uses for the harvested trees. The license plate shall be designed in consultation with the Eastern Red Cedar Registry Board. Twenty-three Dollars (\$23.00) of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Eastern Red Cedar Revolving Fund created in Section 18-407 of Title 2 of the Oklahoma Statutes. The money shall be designated for and may only be expended for the purposes as set forth in the Eastern Red Cedar Registry Board Act;

- 47. Pancreatic Cancer Research License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support for the University of Oklahoma Foundation, Pancreatic Cancer Research Fund. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of six. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the University of Oklahoma Foundation, Pancreatic Cancer Research Fund. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Pancreatic Cancer Research License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.19 of this title;
- 48. Alzheimer's Research License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support for the Oklahoma Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Alzheimer's Research License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.20 of this title;
- 49. Hospice and Palliative Care License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support for the Oklahoma Hospice and Palliative Care Association. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Hospice and Palliative Care Association. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Hospice and Palliative Care License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.21 of this title;
- 50. Juvenile Diabetes Research License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support for the Oklahoma Chapters of the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Chapters of the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Juvenile Diabetes Research License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.22 of this title;
- 51. Deer Creek Schools Foundation License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support for the Deer Creek Schools Foundation. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Deer Creek Schools Foundation. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for

personalized license plates. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Deer Creek Schools Foundation License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.23 of this title:

- 52. Lupus Awareness and Education License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support for the Lupus Foundation of Oklahoma. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Lupus Foundation of Oklahoma. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Lupus License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.24 of this title. Subject to the provisions of subsection A of this section, the Lupus Awareness and Education License Plate is hereby reauthorized effective November 1, 2015;
- Chiefs of Police License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support for the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police for a vehicle or motorcycle in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized plates. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of The license plate for a motorcycle may be of similar design as space permits or a new design in order to meet the space requirements of a motorcycle license plate. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the association's logo or The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued. Subject to the provisions of subsection A of this section, the Chiefs of Police License Plate is hereby reauthorized effective November 1, 2015;
- 54. Crossings Christian School License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for Crossings Christian School located in Oklahoma City. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the administration of Crossings Christian School. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with Crossings Christian School for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the school's logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Crossings Christian School of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;

- 55. Hilldale Education Foundation License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Hilldale Education Foundation. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the administration of the Hilldale Education Foundation. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Hilldale Education Foundation for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the foundation's logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Hilldale Education Foundation of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;
- 56. Oklahoma Nurses License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person licensed pursuant to the Oklahoma Nursing Practice Act and providing such documentation of current licensure as may be required by the Oklahoma Tax Commission. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Nurses Association. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Nurses License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.26 of this title;
- 57. Oklahoma Sports Hall of Fame License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma Sports Hall of Fame. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the administration of the Oklahoma Sports Hall of Fame. The Oklahoma Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Oklahoma Sports Hall of Fame for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the Hall of Fame's logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Oklahoma Sports Hall of Fame of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;
- 58. Childhood Cancer Awareness License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma Children's Cancer Association. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the administration of the Oklahoma Children's Cancer Association. The Oklahoma Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Oklahoma Children's Cancer Association for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the Oklahoma Children's Cancer Association's logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Oklahoma Children's Cancer Association of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;

- 59. Oklahoma Educational Television Authority License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma Educational Television Authority and such plates shall be designed in consultation with the Authority. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Educational Television Authority Revolving Fund created in Section 156 of Title 62 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 60. Remembering Fallen Heroes License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for Concerns of Police Survivors, Inc. Such plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma chapter of Concerns of Police Survivors, Inc. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Concerns of Police Survivors License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.27 of this title;
- 61. Disabled American Veterans License Plate such plates shall be designed in consultation with the Disabled American Veterans Department of Oklahoma and issued to any member of the organization wishing to demonstrate support. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Disabled American Veterans Department of Oklahoma for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the organization's logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Disabled American Veterans Department of Oklahoma of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued. The plates shall incorporate a numbering system agreed upon by the Disabled American Veterans Department of Oklahoma and the Tax Commission;
- 62. Owasso Rams Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Owasso Rams, and shall be designed in consultation with representatives of Owasso Schools. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Education Reform Revolving Fund created in Section 34.89 of Title 62 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 63. Collinsville Cardinals Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Collinsville Cardinals, and shall be

designed in consultation with representatives of Collinsville Schools. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Education Reform Revolving Fund created in Section 34.89 of Title 62 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

- 64. Sperry Pirates Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Sperry Pirates, and shall be designed in consultation with representatives of Sperry Schools. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Education Reform Revolving Fund created in Section 34.89 of Title 62 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 65. Skiatook Bulldogs Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Skiatook Bulldogs, and shall be designed in consultation with representatives of Skiatook Schools. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Education Reform Revolving Fund created in Section 34.89 of Title 62 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 66. Rejoice Christian Eagles Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Rejoice Christian Eagles, and shall be designed in consultation with representatives of Rejoice Christian Schools. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Education Reform Revolving Fund created in Section 34.89 of Title 62 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- 67. East Central Cardinals Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the East Central Cardinals, and shall be designed in consultation with representatives of East Central Schools. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven,

as for personalized license plates. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Education Reform Revolving Fund created in Section 34.89 of Title 62 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

- 68. Southeast Spartans Supporter License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Southeast Spartans, and shall be designed in consultation with the Southeast High School Alumni Association. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Education Reform Revolving Fund created in Section 34.89 of Title 62 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
- issued to any person wishing to provide financial support for Sooner State ABATE. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with Sooner State ABATE. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized plates. The license plate for a motorcycle may be of similar design as space permits or a new design in order to meet the space requirements of a motorcycle license plate. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with Sooner State ABATE for any licensing fees, which may be required in order to use the association's logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to Sooner State ABATE of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;
- 70. Oklahoma License to Educate License Plate subject to the enactment of Senate Bill No. 15 of the 1st Session of the 56th Oklahoma Legislature, such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for Oklahoma educators. Such plates shall be designed in consultation with the State Department of Education. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Teacher Recruitment Revolving Fund created in Section 2 of Senate Bill No. 15 of the 1st Session of the 56th Oklahoma Legislature;
- 71. Piedmont Education Foundation License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Piedmont Public Schools Education Foundation. Such plates shall be designed in consultation with the Foundation. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee

collected shall be deposited in the Piedmont Education Foundation License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.28 of this title;

- 71. 72. The Pride of Oklahoma License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the University of Oklahoma Marching Band and shall be designed in consultation with the University of Oklahoma Marching Band. The Oklahoma Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the University of Oklahoma or the University of Oklahoma Marching Band for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the applicable logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Pride of Oklahoma Fund at the University of Oklahoma Foundation, Inc. of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;
- 72. 73. Jenks Trojans License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Jenks School District. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the administration of the Jenks School District. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Jenks School District for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the school district's logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Jenks School District of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;
- 73. 74. Bixby Spartans License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Bixby School District. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the administration of the Bixby School District. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Bixby School District for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the school district's logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Bixby School District of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;
- 74. 75. Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma aviation industry and to promote awareness of aviation and aerospace. Such plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission and shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized plates.

Twenty-four Dollars (\$24.00) of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission Revolving Fund, for expenditure as provided in Section 91 of Title 3 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

- 75. 76. Ducks Unlimited License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for Ducks Unlimited. Such plates shall be designed in consultation with Ducks Unlimited. The Oklahoma Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with Ducks Unlimited for any licensing fee which may be required in order to use the Ducks Unlimited logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to Ducks Unlimited of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;
- 76. 77. Prisoner of War and Missing in Action License Plate such plates shall be issued to any person wishing to increase awareness of those who are currently prisoners of war or missing in action and provide financial support for current veterans. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with Rolling Thunder Oklahoma. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Prisoner of War and Missing in Action License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 5 of this act;
- 77. 78. Woodward Boomers License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Woodward School District. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the administration of the Woodward School District. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Woodward School District for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the school district's logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Woodward School District of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued; and
- 78. 79. Clinton Public School Foundation License Plate such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Clinton Public School Foundation. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Clinton Public School Foundation. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with the Clinton Public School Foundation for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the school foundation's logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Clinton Public School Foundation

of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued.

- C. The fee for such plates shall be Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) and shall be in addition to all other registration fees provided by the Oklahoma Vehicle License and Registration Act. The fee shall be apportioned as follows:
- 1. Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) or any other amount as provided in this title of the fee shall be apportioned as provided or deposited in a fund as specified within the paragraph authorizing the special license plate;
- 2. Eight Dollars (\$8.00) of the fee shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Tax Commission Reimbursement Fund to be used for the administration of the Oklahoma Vehicle License and Registration Act; and
- 3. Any remaining amounts of the fee shall be apportioned as provided in Section 1104 of this title.
- SECTION 16. REPEALER 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1135.5, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 339, O.S.L. 2017 (47 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1135.5), is hereby repealed.
- SECTION 17. AMENDATORY 51 O.S. 2011, Section 6, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 75, O.S.L. 2017 (51 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 6), is amended to read as follows:
- Section 6. A. Except as may be otherwise provided, no person holding an office under the laws of the state and no deputy of any officer so holding any office shall, during the person's term of office, hold any other office or be the deputy of any officer holding any office, under the laws of the state. The provisions of this section shall not apply to:
 - 1. Notaries public;
 - 2. Members of the State Textbook Committee;
 - 3. County free fair board members;
- 4. Municipal and county law enforcement officers serving in positions as law enforcement officers of both such governmental entities upon such terms and conditions as are mutually approved by

resolutions adopted by the board of county commissioners and governing body of the municipality employing such officers;

- 5. Any person holding a county or municipal office or position, or membership on any public trust authority, who is a member of a board or commission that relates to federal, state, county or municipal government and is created by the United States Government, the State of Oklahoma or a political subdivision of the state, except where the duties of the offices or positions conflict;
- 6. Any elected municipal officers and school board members who are appointed to a state board, commission, or similar entity if there is no compensation for such services other than reimbursement for necessary travel expenses pursuant to the provisions of the State Travel Reimbursement Act;
- 7. Any trustee of a public trust, who is appointed as a trustee of a different public trust or any trustee of the Tulsa County Public Facilities Authority who may also be employed by the Department of Transportation;
- 8. Law enforcement officers employed by municipal or county law enforcement departments or agencies, other than those law enforcement officers elected or appointed as sheriff, chief of police or some similar position in which they are the head of a county or municipal law enforcement agency, who are elected to local boards of education; provided, the provisions of this paragraph shall not prohibit any law enforcement officer employed by a municipality having a population of ten thousand (10,000) or fewer people from serving as a member of a local board of education;
- 9. Any member of the Oklahoma Highway Patrol Division of the Department of Public Safety who is elected to a local board of education;
- 10. Any employee of the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation who is elected to a local board of education;
- 11. Any District Supervisor, Assistant District Supervisor, Team Supervisor, Parole Officer 1 or Parole Officer 2 of the Department of Corrections who is elected or appointed to a city council;

- 12. Any trustee or director of a rural electric cooperative, or port authority who is appointed or elected to a state, county or municipal board, commission or similar entity;
- 13. County employees who are elected as members of town or city councils;
- 14. Municipal, county, state or tribal law enforcement or peace officers operating under cross-deputization agreements with an Indian tribe or branch of the federal government;
- 15. Municipal or county law enforcement or peace officers serving in positions as campus police officers or campus public safety officers pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Campus Security Act, upon such terms and conditions as are mutually approved by resolution adopted by the governing body of the municipality or county and the governing board of the institution of higher education;
- 16. State law enforcement or peace officers serving in positions as campus police officers or campus public safety officers pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Campus Security Act, upon such terms and conditions as are mutually approved by written agreement between the Commissioner of Public Safety and the governing board of the institution of higher education;
- 17. Municipal, county and state law enforcement officers serving in positions as part-time or seasonal rangers or peace officers under the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department or the Grand River Dam Authority;
 - 18. Members of the University Hospitals Authority;
- 19. Any person holding a state <u>or county</u> office or position who is a reserve force deputy sheriff, or a reserve special agent with the Oklahoma State Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs Control or a reserve municipal police officer;
- 20. Any person holding a state office or position who serves as a special assistant district attorney without compensation;
- 21. Any elected or appointed member of a local school board who is a member of a municipal planning commission;

- 22. Any elected or appointed member of a local school board who is a member or an officer of a volunteer fire department;
- 23. Directors or officers of a rural water district and chiefs of municipal fire departments or rural fire districts who are appointed or elected to an unsalaried office in a state, county, municipal, school, or technology center school board, commission, or similar entity, except where the duties of the office would create a conflict of interest;
- 24. Any person who is a dispatcher or confinement officer at a municipal or county jail who is a noncompensated reserve municipal police officer or a reserve deputy sheriff;
- 25. Any person who is an assistant district attorney serving as a municipal judge or prosecutor;
- 26. Any park ranger under the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department or any game warden or reserve game warden employed by the Department of Wildlife Conservation who is elected or appointed to a local board of education or to a municipal governing body, board, commission or similar entity;
- 27. Members of the Oklahoma State University Medical Center Authority, the Oklahoma State University Medical Trust or the State Board of Osteopathic Examiners;
- 28. Any member of the state Legislature or any state officer who serves on the board of trustees of the Oklahoma School for the Visual and Performing Arts; and
 - 29. Members of the Council on Judicial Complaints.

The provisions of this section shall not prohibit any person holding an office under the laws of the state or any deputy of any officer so holding any office from serving upon the board of Oklahoma Futures or upon the board of directors of the Oklahoma Center for the Advancement of Science and Technology. The provisions of this section shall not prohibit a member of the board of directors of the Oklahoma Center for the Advancement of Science and Technology from serving upon the board of Oklahoma Futures.

B. Any salaries, emoluments or benefits that would otherwise be paid by the agency or political subdivision to a loaned employee or officer shall instead be paid to the regular employer of such

employee. The loaned employee shall in turn be paid regular salary and benefits the same as if continuing regular employment with the permanent employer.

SECTION 18. REPEALER 51 O.S. 2011, Section 6, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 114, O.S.L. 2017 (51 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 6), is hereby repealed.

SECTION 19. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2011, Section 17-105, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 270, O.S.L. 2017 (70 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 17-105), is amended to read as follows:

Section 17-105. (1) (a) Any member who has attained age fifty-five (55) or who has completed thirty (30) years of creditable service, as defined in Section 17-101 of this title, or for any person who initially became a member prior to July 1, 1992, regardless of whether there were breaks in service after July 1, 1992, whose age and number of years of creditable service total eighty (80) may be retired upon proper application for retirement on forms established by the System and executing a retirement contract. Such a retirement date will also apply to any person who became a member of the sending system as defined in Section 17-101 et seq. of this title, prior to July 1, 1992, regardless of whether there were breaks in service after July 1, 1992. Any person who became a member after June 30, 1992, but prior to November 1, 2011, whose age and number of years of creditable service total ninety (90) may be retired upon proper application for retirement and executing a retirement contract. Any person who becomes a member on or after November 1, 2011, who attains the age of sixty-five (65) years or who reaches a normal retirement date pursuant to subparagraph (d) of paragraph (24) of Section 17-101 of this title having attained a minimum age of sixty (60) years may be retired upon proper application for retirement and executing a retirement contract. application shall be filed on the form provided by the Board of Trustees for this purpose, not less than sixty (60) days before the date of retirement, provided that the Executive Director may waive the sixty-day deadline for good cause shown as defined by the Board.

1. The employer shall provide the System with the following information for a retiring member, no later than the fifteenth day of the month of retirement: last day physically on the job; last day on payroll; any regular compensation not already reported to the System; and final unused sick leave balance.

- 2. Failure to submit this information by the deadline, or errors in submitted information that result in a disqualification of retirement eligibility shall be the responsibility of the employer. In cases where the error results in disqualification of retirement eligibility, it is the employer's responsibility to reemploy the member, or retain the member on the payroll, for the time period required to reach eligibility, not exceeding two (2) months.
- (b) An individual who becomes a member of the Teachers' Retirement System on or after $\frac{\text{July 1, 1967}}{\text{1967}}$ November 1, 2017, shall be employed by the public schools, state colleges or universities of Oklahoma for a minimum of $\frac{\text{five (5)}}{\text{seven (7)}}$ years and be a contributing member of the Teachers' Retirement System of Oklahoma for a minimum of $\frac{\text{five (5)}}{\text{seven (7)}}$ years to qualify for monthly retirement benefits from the Teachers' Retirement System of Oklahoma.
- (c) Any member with $\frac{\text{five }(5)}{\text{seven }(7)}$ or more years of Oklahoma teaching service and whose accumulated contributions during such period have not been withdrawn shall be given an indefinite extension of membership beginning with the sixth year following his or her last contributing membership and shall become eligible to apply for retirement and be retired upon attaining age fifty-five (55).
- (2) An unclassified optional member who has retired or who retires at sixty-two (62) years of age or older or whose retirement is because of disability shall have his or her minimum retirement benefits calculated on an average salary of Five Thousand Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$5,350.00) or, if a larger monthly allowance would result, an amount arrived at pursuant to application of the formula prescribed herein.
- (3) No member shall receive a lesser retirement benefit than he or she would have received under the law in effect at the time he or she retired. Any individual under the Teachers' Retirement System, who through error in stating the title of the position which he or she held, may, at the discretion of the Board of Trustees, be changed from the nonclassified optional group to the classified group for the purpose of calculating retirement benefits.

Any individual regardless of residence, who has a minimum of ten (10) years of teaching in Oklahoma schools prior to July 1, 1943, or

who taught in Oklahoma schools prior to 1934 and thereafter taught a minimum of ten (10) years and who does not qualify under the present retirement System, or who has a minimum of thirty (30) years of teaching in Oklahoma schools and has reached seventy (70) years of age prior to July 1, 1984, and is not otherwise eligible to receive any benefits from the retirement system shall receive a minimum of One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) per month in retirement benefits from the Teachers' Retirement System of Oklahoma plus any general increase in benefits for annuitants as may be provided hereafter by the Legislature. Each individual must apply to the Teachers' Retirement System for such benefit and provide evidence to the Teachers' Retirement System that the service was actually rendered. The surviving spouse of any person who made application for the benefit provided for by this paragraph during his or her lifetime but did not receive said benefit may submit an application to the System for payment of said benefit for those months during the lifetime of the deceased person that he or she was eliqible for but did not receive the benefit. Upon approval of the application by the Board of Trustees, the benefit shall be paid to the surviving spouse in one lump sum.

- (4) The value of each year of prior service is the total monthly retirement benefit divided by the number of years of creditable service.
- Upon application of a member who is actively engaged in teaching in Oklahoma or his or her employer, any member who has been a contributing member for ten (10) years may be retired by the Board of Trustees subsequent to the execution and filing thereof, on a disability retirement allowance, provided that it is found by the Board of Trustees after medical examination of such member by a duly qualified physician that such member is mentally or physically incapacitated for further performance of duty, that such incapacity is likely to be permanent, and that such member should be retired. The Board of Trustees shall give due consideration to the conclusions and recommendations in the certified written report of the Medical Board of the Teachers' Retirement System regarding the disability application of such member. If a member is determined to be eligible for disability benefits pursuant to the Social Security System, then such determination shall entitle the member to the authorized disability retirement allowance provided by law. members who are not eligible for disability benefits pursuant to the Social Security System, the Board of Trustees shall apply the same standard for which provision is made in the first two sentences of this subsection for determining the eligibility of a person for such

disability benefits in making a determination of eligibility for disability benefits as authorized by this subsection.

- (6) (a) A member who at the time of retirement has been found to be permanently physically or mentally incapacitated to perform the necessary duties to continue in his or her current position shall receive a minimum monthly retirement payment for life or until such time as the member may be found to be recovered to the point where he or she may return to teaching. Any member retired before July 1, 1992, shall be eligible to receive the monthly retirement allowance herein provided, but such payment shall not begin until the first payment due him or her after July 1, 1992, and shall not be retroactive. The Board of Trustees is empowered to make such rules and regulations as it considers proper to preserve equity in retirements under this provision, which shall include a provision to protect the rights of the member's spouse.
- (b) A member who has qualified for retirement benefits under disability retirement shall have the total monthly payment deducted from his or her accumulated contributions plus interest earned and any money remaining in the member's account after the above deductions at the death of the member shall be paid in a lump sum to the beneficiary or to the estate of the member. Provided, if the deceased disabled member had thirty (30) years or more of creditable service and the death occurred after June 30, 1981, and death occurred prior to the disabled member receiving twelve monthly retirement payments, a surviving spouse may elect to receive the retirement benefit to which the deceased member would have been entitled at the time of death under the Option 2 Plan of Retirement provided for in subsection (8) of this section in lieu of the death benefit provided for in this subsection and in subsection (12) of this section.
- (c) Once each year the Board of Trustees may require any disabled annuitant who has not yet attained the age of sixty (60) years to undergo a medical examination, such examination to be made at the place of residence for the disabled annuitant or other place mutually agreed upon by a physician or physicians designated by the Board of Trustees. Should any disabled annuitant who has not yet attained the age of sixty (60) years refuse to submit to at least one medical examination in any such year by a physician or physicians designated by the Board of Trustees his or her allowance may be discontinued until he or she submits to such examination.

- (d) Should the Medical Board report and certify to the Board of Trustees that such disabled annuitant is engaged in or is able to engage in a gainful occupation paying more than the difference between his or her retirement allowance and the average final compensation, and should the Board of Trustees concur in such report then the amount of his or her pension shall be reduced to an amount which, together with his or her retirement allowance and that amount earnable by him or her, shall equal the amount of his or her average final compensation. Should his or her earning capacity be later increased, the amount of his or her pension may be further modified, provided the new pension shall not exceed that amount of the pension originally granted nor an amount, which when added to the amount earnable by the member, together with his or her annuity, equals the amount of his or her average final compensation.
- (e) Should a disabled annuitant be restored to active service, his or her disability retirement allowance shall cease and he or she shall again become a member of the Teachers' Retirement System and shall make regular contributions as required under this article. The unused portion of his or her accumulated contributions shall be reestablished to his or her credit in the Teachers' Savings Fund. Any such prior service certificates on the basis of which his or her service was computed at the time of his or her retirement shall be restored to full force and effect.
- Should a member before retirement under Section 1-101 et seq. of this title make application for withdrawal duly filed with the System, not earlier than four (4) months after the date of termination of such service as a teacher, the contribution standing to the credit of his or her individual account in the Teachers' Savings Fund shall be paid to him or her or, in the event of his or her death before retirement, shall be paid to such person or persons as he or she shall have nominated by written designation, duly executed and filed with the System; provided, however, if there be no designated beneficiary surviving upon such death, such contributions shall be paid to his or her administrators, executors, or assigns, together with interest as hereinafter provided. of a lump-sum settlement at the death of the member, the amount of money the member has on deposit in the Teachers' Savings Fund and the money the member has on deposit in the Teachers' Deposit Fund may be paid in monthly payments to a designated beneficiary, who must be the spouse, under the Maximum or Option 1 Plan of Retirement providing the monthly payment shall be not less than Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) per month. The monthly payment shall be the actuarial equivalent of the amount becoming due at the member's

death based on the sex of the spouse and the age the spouse has attained at the last birthday prior to the member's death. further, if there be no designated beneficiary surviving upon such death, and the contributions standing to the credit of such member do not exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00), no part of such contributions shall be subject to the payment of any expense of the last illness or funeral of the deceased member or any expense of administration of the estate of such deceased and the System, upon satisfactory proof of the death of such member and of the name or names of the person or persons who would be entitled to receive such contributions under the laws of descent and distribution of the state, may authorize the payment of accumulated contributions to such person or persons. A member terminating his or her membership by withdrawal after June 30, 2003, shall have the interest computed at a rate of interest determined by the System and paid to him or her subject to the following schedule:

- (a) If termination occurs within sixteen (16) years from the date membership began, fifty percent (50%) of such interest accumulations shall be paid.
- (b) With at least sixteen (16) but less than twenty-one (21) years of membership, sixty percent (60%) of such interest accumulations shall be paid.
- (c) With at least twenty-one (21) but less than twenty-six (26) years of membership, seventy-five percent (75%) of such interest accumulations shall be paid.
- (d) With at least twenty-six (26) years of membership, ninety percent (90%) of such interest accumulations shall be paid.

In case of death of an active member, the interest shall be calculated and restored to the member's account and paid to his or her beneficiary.

- (8) (a) In lieu of his or her retirement allowance payable throughout life for such an amount as determined under this section, the member may select a retirement allowance for a reduced amount payable under any of the following options the present value of which is the actuarial equivalent thereof.
- (b) A member may select the option under which he or she desires to retire at the end of the school year in which he or she attains age seventy (70) and the option shall be binding and cannot

be changed. Provided further that if a member retires before age seventy (70), no election of an option shall be effective in case an annuitant dies before the first payment due under such option has been received.

The first payment of any benefit selected shall be made on the first day of the month following approval of the retirement by the System. If the named designated beneficiary under Option 2 or 3 dies at any time after the member's retirement date, but before the death of the member, the member shall return to the retirement benefit, including any postretirement benefit increases the member would have received had the member not selected Option 2 or 3 of this subsection. The benefit shall be determined at the date of death of the designated beneficiary or July 1, 1994, whichever is later. This increase shall become effective the first day of the month following the date of death of the designated beneficiary or July 1, 1994, whichever is later, and shall be payable for the member's remaining lifetime. The member shall notify the Teachers' Retirement System of Oklahoma of the death of the designated beneficiary in writing. In the absence of the written notice being filed by the member notifying the Teachers' Retirement System of Oklahoma of the death of the designated beneficiary within six (6) months of the date of death, nothing in this subsection shall require the Teachers' Retirement System of Oklahoma to pay more than six (6) months of retrospective benefits increase.

Option 1. If he or she dies before he or she has received in annuity payments the present value of his or her annuity as it was at the time of his or her retirement, the balance shall be paid to his or her legal representatives or to such person as he or she shall nominate by written designation duly acknowledged and filed with the System at the time of his or her retirement; or

Option 2. A member takes a reduced retirement allowance for life. Upon the death of the member the payments shall continue to the member's designated beneficiary for the life of the beneficiary. The written designation of the beneficiary must be duly acknowledged and filed with the System at the time of the member's retirement and, except as provided in paragraph (e) of this subsection, cannot be changed after the effective date of the member's retirement; or

Option 3. A member receives a reduced retirement allowance for life. Upon the death of the member one-half (1/2) of the retirement allowance paid the member shall be continued throughout the life of the designated beneficiary. A written designation of a beneficiary

must be duly acknowledged and filed with the System at the time of the member's retirement and, except as provided in paragraph (e) of this subsection, cannot be changed after the effective date of the member's retirement; or

- Option 4. Some other benefit or benefits shall be paid either to the member or to such person or persons as he or she shall nominate, provided such other benefit or benefits, together with the reduced retirement allowance, shall be certified by the actuary to be of equivalent actuarial value to his or her retirement allowance and shall be approved by the System.
- (d) Provided that Option 2 and Option 3 shall not be available if the member's expected benefit is less than fifty percent (50%) of the lump-sum actuarial equivalent and the designated beneficiary is not the spouse of the member.
- A member who chose the maximum retirement benefit plan at the time of retirement may make a one-time election to choose either Option 2 or 3 and name the member's spouse as designated beneficiary if the member marries after making the initial election. Such an election shall be made by July 1, 2011, or within one (1) year of the date of marriage, whichever is later. The member shall provide proof of a member's good health before the Board of Trustees will permit a change to either Option 2 or 3 and the naming of a designated beneficiary. A medical examination conducted by a licensed physician is required for purposes of determining good health. Such examination must be approved by the Medical Board. The member shall be required to provide proof of age for the new beneficiary. The Board of Trustees shall adjust the monthly benefit to the actuarially equivalent amount based on the new designated beneficiary's age. The Board of Trustees shall promulgate rules to implement the provisions of this subsection.
- (f) A member who retires after the effective date of this act and has selected a retirement allowance for a reduced amount payable under one of the options provided for in this subsection may make a one-time irrevocable election to select a different option within sixty (60) days of the member's retirement date. The beneficiary designated by the member at the time of retirement shall not be changed if the member makes the election provided for in this paragraph.
- (g) Any individual who is eligible to be a beneficiary of a member under this subsection, and who is also a beneficiary of a

trust created under the Oklahoma Discretionary and Special Needs Trust Act, Section 175.81 et seq. of Title 60 of the Oklahoma Statutes, or a comparable Trust Act created under the laws of another state, hereinafter collectively referred to as "Trust Acts", may be a beneficiary under this subsection by having the trustee of the trust established for the benefit of that individual named as the legal beneficiary under this subsection. The age of that beneficiary shall be used for calculating any benefit payable to the trust under this subsection. The beneficiary of such a trust shall be treated as the beneficiary under this subsection except that payments of any benefits due under this subsection shall be payable to the lawfully appointed trustee of the trust. The obligation of the System to pay the beneficiary under this subsection shall be satisfied by payment to the trustee whom the System, in good faith, believes to be the lawfully appointed trustee. Any conflict between the statutes creating and governing the Teachers' Retirement System in Section 17-101 et seq. of this title and the provisions of any Trust Act referred to above shall be resolved in favor of the statutes governing the System. If an eligible beneficiary is named at the time of retirement, and becomes a beneficiary of a trust under one of the Trust Acts described herein after that time, the System will acknowledge the trust as the beneficiary upon the submission of adequate documentation of the existence of the trust. All other provisions of this subsection shall apply to these subsequently created trusts.

- (h) The Board of Trustees of the System may recognize other trusts set up for the benefit of individuals otherwise eligible to be named as a beneficiary under this subsection by administrative rule if it can be done without undue additional administrative expense of the System.
- (9) The governing board of any "public school", as that term is defined in Section 17-101 of this title, is hereby authorized and empowered to pay additional retirement allowances or compensation to any person who was in the employ of such public school for not less than seven (7) school years preceding the date of his or her retirement. Payments so made shall be a proper charge against the current appropriation or appropriations of any such public school for salaries for the fiscal year in which such payments are made. Such payments shall be made in regular monthly installments in such amounts as the governing board of any such public school, in its judgment, shall determine to be reasonable and appropriate in view of the length and type of service rendered by any such person to such public school by which such person was employed at the time of

retirement. All such additional payments shall be uniform, based upon the length of service and the type of services performed, to persons formerly employed by such public school who have retired or been retired in accordance with the provisions of Section 17-101 et seq. of this title.

The governing board of any such public school may adopt rules and regulations of general application outlining the terms and conditions under which such additional retirement benefits shall be paid, and all decisions of such board shall be final.

- (10) In addition to the teachers' retirement herein provided, teachers may voluntarily avail themselves of the Federal Social Security Program upon a district basis.
- Upon the death of an in-service member, the System shall pay to the designated beneficiary of the member or, if there is no designated beneficiary or if the designated beneficiary predeceases the member, to the estate of the member, the sum of Eighteen Thousand Dollars (\$18,000.00) as a death benefit. Provided, if the deceased member had ten (10) years or more of creditable service and the death occurred after February 1, 1985, the member's designated beneficiary may elect to receive the retirement benefit to which the deceased member would have been entitled at the time of death under the Option 2 plan of retirement in lieu of the death benefit provided for in this subsection. Provided further, the option provided in this subsection is only available when the member has designated one individual as the designated beneficiary. beneficiary or beneficiaries of death benefits in the amount not to exceed Eighteen Thousand Dollars (\$18,000.00), but exclusive of any retirement benefit received by an electing beneficiary based upon creditable service performed by the deceased member, which are provided pursuant to this subsection may elect to disclaim such death benefits in which case such benefits will be transferred to a person licensed as a funeral director or to a lawfully recognized business entity licensed as required by law to provide funeral services for the deceased member. The qualified disclaimer must be in writing and will be an irrevocable and an unqualified refusal to accept all or a portion of the death benefit. It must be received by the transferor no more than nine (9) months after the later of the day the transfer creating the interest in the disclaiming person is made or the day the disclaiming person attains age twenty-one The interest in the death benefits must pass without direction by the disclaiming person to another person.

- (12) Upon the death of an annuitant who has contributed to the System, the retirement system shall pay to the designated beneficiary of the annuitant or, if there is no designated beneficiary or if the designated beneficiary predeceases the annuitant, to the estate of the annuitant, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) as a death benefit. The beneficiary or beneficiaries of benefits provided pursuant to this subsection may elect to disclaim such death benefits in which case such benefits will be transferred to a person licensed as a funeral director or to a lawfully recognized business entity licensed as required by law to provide funeral services for the deceased member. The qualified disclaimer must be in writing and will be an irrevocable and an unqualified refusal to accept all or a portion of the death benefit. It must be received by the transferor no more than nine (9) months after the later of the day the transfer creating the interest in the disclaiming person is made or the day the disclaiming person attains age twenty-one (21). The interest in the death benefits must pass without direction by the disclaiming person to another person. benefit payable pursuant to this subsection shall be deemed, for purposes of federal income taxation, as life insurance proceeds and not as a death benefit if the Internal Revenue Service approves this provision pursuant to a private letter ruling request which shall be submitted by the board of trustees of the System for that purpose.
- (13) Upon the death of a member who dies leaving no living beneficiary or having designated his or her estate as beneficiary, the System may pay any applicable death benefit, unpaid contributions, or unpaid benefit which may be subject to probate, in an amount of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) or less, without the intervention of the probate court or probate procedure pursuant to Section 1 et seq. of Title 58 of the Oklahoma Statutes.
- (a) Before any applicable probate procedure may be waived, the System must be in receipt of the member's proof of death and the following documents from those persons claiming to be the legal heirs of the deceased member:
 - The member's valid last will and testament, trust documents or affidavit that a will does not exist;
 - 2. An affidavit or affidavits of heirship which must state:
 - a. the names and signatures of all claiming heirs to the deceased member's estate including the

- claiming heirs' names, relationship to the deceased, current addresses, tax I.D. numbers if known and current telephone numbers,
- b. a statement or statements by the claiming heirs that no application or petition for the appointment of a personal representative is pending or has been granted in any jurisdiction,
- c. a description of the personal property claimed, (i.e., death benefit or unpaid contributions or both) together with a statement that such personal property is subject to probate,
- d. a statement by each individual claiming heir identifying the amount of personal property that the heir is claiming from the System, and that the heir has been notified of, is aware of and consents to the identified claims of all the other claiming heirs of the deceased member pending with the System;
- 3. A written agreement or agreements signed by all claiming heirs of the deceased member which provides that the claiming heirs release, discharge and hold harmless the System from any and all liability, obligations and costs which it may incur as a result of making a payment to any of the deceased member's heirs;
- 4. A corroborating affidavit from an individual other than a claiming heir, who was familiar with the affairs of the deceased member;
- 5. Proof that all debts of the deceased member, including payment of last sickness, hospital, medical, death, funeral and burial expenses have been paid or provided for.
- (b) The Executive Director of the System shall retain complete discretion in determining which requests for probate waiver may be granted or denied, for any reason. Should the System have any question as to the validity of any document presented by the claiming heirs, or as to any statement or assertion contained

therein, the probate requirement provided for in Section 1 et seq. of Title 58 of the Oklahoma Statutes, shall not be waived.

- (c) After paying any death benefits or unpaid contributions to any claiming heirs as provided pursuant to this subsection, the System is discharged and released from any and all liability, obligation and costs to the same extent as if the System had dealt with a personal representative of the deceased member. The System is not required to inquire into the truth of any matter specified in this subsection or into the payment of any estate tax liability.
- (14) Upon the death of a retired member, the benefit payment for the month in which the retired member died, if not previously paid, shall be made to the beneficiary of the member or to the member's estate if there is no beneficiary. Such benefit payment shall be made in an amount equal to a full monthly benefit payment regardless of the day of the month in which the retired member died.
- SECTION 20. REPEALER 70 O.S. 2011, Section 17-105, as last amended by Section 2, Chapter 48, O.S.L. 2017 (70 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 17-105), is hereby repealed.
- SECTION 21. REPEALER 70 O.S. 2011, Section 1210.508C, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 210, O.S.L. 2017 (70 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 1210.508C), is hereby repealed.
- SECTION 22. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2011, Section 166.7, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 126, O.S.L. 2017 (74 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 166.7), is amended to read as follows:
- Section 166.7 A. There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving fund for the Commission on Rehabilitation Services, to be designated the "Rehabilitation Services Disbursing Fund" provided that the fund may be designated by fiscal year designations as the Commission may determine. The fund shall be a continuing fund, not subject to fiscal year limitations. The fund shall consist of receipts from the federal government, monies appropriated to the State Department of Rehabilitation Services by the State Legislature, and other receipts of the State Department of Rehabilitation Services as shall be directed by the Commission for Rehabilitation Services. All monies accruing to the credit of the fund are hereby appropriated and may be budgeted and expended by the Commission for Rehabilitation Services as may be necessary in order to carry out the duties imposed upon the Commission by law. Expenditures from the Rehabilitation Services Disbursing Fund shall

be made upon warrants issued by the State Treasurer against claims filed as prescribed by law with the Director of the Office of Management and Enterprise Services for approval and payment.

- B. Appropriations, federal monies or any other monies collected by or for the Department and monies from the current and prior fiscal years may be transferred to and between the agency disbursing funds for the current or prior fiscal years, the Medical and Assistance Funds and any other funds authorized for the use by the Department as necessary to carry out the duties of the Commission. All transfer requests shall be in writing to the Office of Management and Enterprise Services. Such monies transferred shall be included in the Department's budget work program. The Department shall maintain records of the transfers.
- C. Receipt and expenditure of unanticipated federal funds awarded to the Department after the commencement of the fiscal year shall be exempt from expenditure limitations, provided that any such funds are included in the Department's budget work program.
- D. The Director of the Department may request through the Director of the Office of Management and Enterprise Services the early transfer by the Oklahoma Tax Commission of tax collection to the General Revenue Fund for the purpose of early allocation to the Department's disbursing funds to alleviate cash-flow problems.
- E. The Department of Rehabilitation Services may direct all or a portion of federal and state funds received and appropriated for services to Older Individuals who are Blind (OIB) to qualified community-based, nonprofit organizations accredited by the National Accreditation Council for Blind and Low Vision Services to administer, pursuant to contract, services for older individuals with vision impairments including, but not limited to, assisting in correcting or modifying visual disabilities including optical vision aids, in-home training, orientation and mobility, Braille instruction, adaptive skills training, information and referral, peer counseling and other appropriate services designed to assist an older individual who is blind with daily living activities.
- F. Funds received by the Commission for OIB Rehabilitation
 Services from the federal Rehabilitation Services Administration and
 state matching funds may, in their entirety, be used to fund the
 Independent Living Older Blind program as established in The
 Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

- G. Services provided by qualified Older Independent Blind contractors may be dependent upon budget parameters and staffing.
- SECTION 23. REPEALER 74 O.S. 2011, Section 166.7, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 321, O.S.L. 2017 (74 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 166.7), is hereby repealed.
- SECTION 24. Sections 13 and 14 of this act shall become effective October 1, 2018.

SECTION 25. 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.

Passed the House of Representatives the 1st day of May, 2018.

Presiding Officer of the House of Representatives

Passed the Senate the 3rd day of May 2018.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

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