

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 59th Legislature (2024)

3 HOUSE BILL 3945

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to the Oklahoma Parental Choice Tax
8 Credit Program; prohibiting private schools from
9 requiring a parent or guardian to participate in
10 Program; banning certain tuition rate or fee
11 increases; providing for codification; providing an
12 effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 28-104 of Title 70, unless there
16 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 A. Private schools accredited by the State Board of Education
18 or another accrediting association shall not, as a condition of
19 acceptance, enrollment, or student eligibility, require that a
20 student's parent or guardian participate in the Oklahoma Parental
21 Choice Tax Credit Program created in Section 28-101 of Title 70 of
22 the Oklahoma Statutes.

23 B. Private schools that accept students whose parents or
24 guardians receive an income tax credit through the Oklahoma Parental
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1 Choice Tax Credit Program shall not increase their tuition rates or
2 fees as a result of the Oklahoma Parental Choice Tax Credit Program.

3 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2024.

4 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
5 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
6 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
7 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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