

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 February 17, 2016

3 **AS AMENDED**

4 SENATE BILL NO. 1098

By: Dahm of the Senate

and

Cockroft of the House

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8 **[Office of Disability Concerns - video conference -
9 effective date]**

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

12 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2011, Section 9.26, is
13 amended to read as follows:

14 Section 9.26. The Governor's Advisory Committee to the Office
15 of Disability Concerns shall be composed of forty (40) members who
16 shall be appointed by the Governor. Such members shall serve at the
17 pleasure of the Governor. Twenty of such members shall be people
18 with disabilities or the parents of people with disabilities. ~~All~~
19 ~~members of the Committee traveling on authorized state business may~~
20 ~~be reimbursed for expenses incurred in such travel in accordance~~
21 ~~with the State Travel Reimbursement Act, Section 500.1 et seq. of~~
22 ~~this title.~~

23 SECTION 2. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2011, Section 9.27, is
24 amended to read as follows:

1 Section 9.27. A. The Office of Disability Concerns is hereby
2 authorized to make necessary rules ~~and regulations~~ to carry out the
3 provisions of this act.

4 B. Any committee of the Office of Disability Concerns
5 authorized pursuant to this act shall be authorized to meet by video
6 conference subject to the requirements of the Open Meeting Act.

7 SECTION 3. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2011, Section 9.31, is
8 amended to read as follows:

9 Section 9.31. The Governor's Advisory Committee on Employment
10 of People with Disabilities shall consist of not more than seventy-
11 five (75) members composed of state leaders of industry, business,
12 agriculture, labor, veterans, women, religious, educational, civic,
13 fraternal, welfare, scientific, and medical and other professions,
14 groups or individuals who shall be appointed by the Governor for a
15 term of two (2), four (4) or six (6) years. Vacancies on the
16 Committee shall be filled by the Governor. ~~All members of the~~
17 ~~Committee traveling on authorized state business may be reimbursed~~
18 ~~for expenses incurred in such travel in accordance with the State~~
19 ~~Travel Reimbursement Act, Section 500.1 et seq. of this title.~~

20 SECTION 4. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2011, Section 9.32, is
21 amended to read as follows:

22 Section 9.32. The Governor's Advisory Committee on Employment
23 of People with Disabilities shall elect from its membership, a
24 chair, vice-chair, secretary-treasurer, and eight other members to

1 serve on the executive committee. The officers shall be elected for
2 a term of one (1) year, but may succeed themselves. The
3 administrative powers and duties of the Committee shall be vested in
4 the executive committee. ~~An organizational meeting shall be held~~
5 ~~within sixty (60) days after fifty members of the Committee have~~
6 ~~been appointed and qualified.~~ The full Committee shall meet
7 semiannually, but, at the request of the chair or executive
8 committee, special meetings may be called. The executive committee
9 shall meet quarterly, but special meetings may be called by the
10 chair or six members of the executive committee. If video
11 conference equipment is available, members may be eligible to attend
12 any meetings by video conference subject to the requirements of the
13 Open Meeting Act.

14 SECTION 5. This act shall become effective November 1, 2016.

15 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS
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