

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 1602

By: David and Fields of the
Senate

3 And
4 Wallace and Casey of the
House

5
6
7 An Act relating to court funds; amending 20 O.S.
8 2011, Section 1315 as last amended by Section 1,
9 Chapter 361, O.S.L. 2016 (20 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section
10 1315), which relates to Oklahoma Court Information
11 System; modifying terms of certain transfers of
12 funds; and declaring an emergency.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 20 O.S. 2011, Section 1315, as
15 last amended by Section 1, Chapter 361, O.S.L. 2016 (20 O.S. Supp.
16 2017, Section 1315), is amended to read as follows:

17 Section 1315. A. 1. The Supreme Court, by and through the
18 Office of the Administrative Director of the Courts, shall establish
19 a court information system to be designated the "Oklahoma Court
20 Information System" for the purpose of providing data processing
21 services to state agencies, boards, and commissions and other
22 entities pursuant to contract. The Administrative Director of the
23 Courts may assess a reasonable fee for such services.

1 2. Court clerks and judges of the district courts of this state
2 shall utilize the case tracking, accounting, legal research, and
3 other services of the "Oklahoma Court Information System" at the
4 direction of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. The
5 development and implementation of the system's accounting, auditing,
6 and financial reporting functions shall be subject to the approval
7 of the State Auditor and Inspector.

8 B. There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving
9 fund for the Supreme Court to be designated the "Oklahoma Court
10 Information System Revolving Fund". The fund shall be a continuing
11 fund, not subject to fiscal year limitations, and shall consist of
12 all monies received in payment of data processing services furnished
13 pursuant to contract. The Administrative Director of the Courts, at
14 the end of each month, shall issue a statement of charges to each
15 entity for which data processing services were furnished. The cost
16 for data processing services shall be recovered directly from the
17 entity for which such services were furnished and shall not be
18 prorated to or payable by those not receiving the services. All
19 monies accruing to the credit of the fund are hereby appropriated
20 and may be budgeted and expended by the Supreme Court for the
21 acquisition, operation, maintenance, repair, and replacement of data
22 processing equipment and software and for the operational expenses
23 of any court which is subject to the authority of the Administrative
24 Director of the Courts. Expenditures from the fund shall be made

1 upon warrants issued by the State Treasurer against claims filed as
2 prescribed by law with the Director of the Office of Management and
3 Enterprise Services for approval and payment. Until June 30, ~~2017~~
4 2018, the Office of Management and Enterprise Services shall, at the
5 request of the Administrative Director of the Courts, transfer an
6 amount not to exceed Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00) from the
7 Oklahoma Court Information System Revolving Fund to the District
8 Court Interagency Reimbursement Fund an amount that the
9 Administrative Director of the Courts, with the approval of the
10 Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, shall deem appropriate and
11 necessary to perform the duties imposed upon the district courts by
12 law.

13 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
14 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
15 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
16 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24

