1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA 2 2nd Session of the 58th Legislature (2022) 3 SENATE BILL 1629 By: Pugh 4 5 6 AS INTRODUCED 7 An Act relating to higher education; expressing legislative intent that the University of Central 8 Oklahoma offer certain doctorate; providing for codification; providing an effective date; and 9 declaring an emergency. 10 11 12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA: 13 A new section of law to be codified SECTION 1. NEW LAW 14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 3521 of Title 70, unless there 15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows: 16 It is the intent of the Legislature that the University of 17 Central Oklahoma, which is the location of the Forensic Science 18 Institute, offer the doctorate of science in forensic science to 19 individuals pursuing comprehensive training and education in all 20 aspects of evidence collection, preservation, analysis, reporting, 21 and testimony. 22 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2022. 23 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation 24

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of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby

1	declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
2	be in full force from and after its passage and approval.
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