

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 257

By: Coleman and Kirt of the
Senate

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4 Hasenbeck of the House
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7 An Act relating to Oklahoma Arts Council; authorizing
8 the Council to create certain endowment fund for
9 certain purposes; stating purpose; providing for
expenditures; providing for codification; and
declaring an emergency.

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

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 169.1 of Title 53, unless there
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 The Oklahoma Arts Council may, at its discretion, contract with
17 other state agencies and/or non-profit organizations to create an
18 irrevocable endowment with associated management and administration
19 costs to trade, sell or barter donated and deaccessioned collection
20 items that do not conform to collection policies of the Oklahoma
21 Arts Council. In accordance with the code of ethics established by
22 professional museum management associations, proceeds from the
23 endowment shall be used only for the acquisition, conservation or
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1 care of collections that are owned and controlled by the Oklahoma
2 Arts Council.

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

7 Passed the Senate the 4th day of March, 2021.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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11 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
12 2021.

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