STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to public finance; requiring certain certificate for bonds issued by Oklahoma Capital

Improvement Authority; requiring certain bonds or other obligations be submitted to Attorney General

for examination and certification; setting time restriction for bringing certain lawsuit; making

certain bonds prima facie valid and binding upon approval by Attorney General; providing certain

defenses for suits instituted after expiration of time restriction; repealing 73 O.S. 2011, Section

codification; and providing an effective date.

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

incontestability of bonds; providing for

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 158.1 of Title 73, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

All bonds issued hereunder shall have on the backs thereof the certificate required by Section 29 of Article X of the Constitution of Oklahoma. Such bonds and any bonds or other obligations issued by the Oklahoma Capital Improvement Authority shall be submitted to the Attorney General of Oklahoma for examination; and such bonds,

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    when having been examined and certified as legal obligations by the
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    Attorney General in accordance with such requirements as he or she
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    may make, shall be incontestable in any court in the State of
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    Oklahoma unless suit thereon shall be brought in a court having
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    jurisdiction thereof within thirty (30) days from the date of such
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    approval. Bonds so approved by the Attorney General shall be prima
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    facie valid and binding obligations according to their terms, and
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    the only defense which may be offered thereto in any suit instituted
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    after such thirty-day period shall have expired shall be forgery,
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    fraud or violation of the Constitution.
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                                    73 O.S. 2011, Section 158, is hereby
        SECTION 2.
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    repealed.
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        SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.
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