

ENROLLED SENATE  
BILL NO. 1185

By: Smith of the Senate

and

Hastings of the House

An Act relating to courts; allowing for destruction or donation of certain court records; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1005.1 of Title 20, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

All paper records which have been recorded on microfilm, microfiche, or compact disc may be destroyed after the respective case has been adjudicated. With the exception of felony conviction records, probate, adoption, quiet title, ejectment, partition, marriage and divorce records, and Indian deed approval records, all court records which have not been recorded on microfilm, microfiche, or compact disc and in which no activity has occurred for twenty-two (22) years, may be destroyed or may be given as historical research materials to an appropriate organization as determined by the court clerk of the district court.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 1996.

Passed the Senate the 30th day of April, 1996.

President of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the 13th day of May, 1996.

Speaker of the House of Representatives