

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 45th Legislature (1995)

HOUSE BILL NO. 2029

By: Ross

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to state government; amending Section 3, Chapter 96, O.S.L. 1993 (74 O.S. Supp. 1994, Section 8103), which relates to the Oklahoma Task Force on the Status of African-American Males; modifying the membership, officers and reimbursement of the Oklahoma Task Force on the Status of African-American Males; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 3, Chapter 96, O.S.L. 1993 (74 O.S. Supp. 1994, Section 8103), is amended to read as follows:

Section 8103. A. The Oklahoma Task Force on the Status of African-American Males shall consist of at least twenty-one (21) members, ~~seven of whom.~~ Seven nonlegislative members shall be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Oklahoma Senate, ~~seven of whom.~~ Seven nonlegislative members shall be appointed by the Speaker of the Oklahoma House of Representatives, ~~and seven of whom.~~ Seven nonlegislative members shall be appointed by the Governor, ~~and~~ In addition to the nonlegislative members, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and President Pro Tempore of the Senate may

appoint any number of legislative members from their respective houses. Appointment of members shall be as follows:

1. Appointments to the Task Force shall include, but not be limited to, members of the State Senate and the House of Representatives, professionals in the fields of criminal justice, health and social services, education, employment, economic development, commerce and the media. State officers or employees may be appointed to the Task Force;

2. The initial appointments to the Task Force shall be made not later than July 1, 1993, provided that appointments may be made immediately upon passage of this act;

3. Whenever an appointment to the Task Force is not made by July 1, 1993, the position shall be filled, on a temporary basis, by a person appointed by a quorum of the Task Force. A person appointed by a quorum of the Task Force shall, however, serve only until the appropriate appointing authority makes a permanent appointment. For purposes of this paragraph, a quorum of the Task Force shall be ~~ten (10)~~ a majority of those members present, except that none of these ~~ten~~ members shall have been appointed by a quorum of the Task Force; and

4. ~~The President Pro Tempore of the Oklahoma State Senate shall designate a chair and vice-chair for the Task Force shall be elected from among the Senate appointees; and~~

5. ~~The Speaker of the Oklahoma House of Representatives shall designate a vice-chair for the Task Force from among the House of Representatives appointees membership of the Task Force.~~

B. ~~Members~~ Nonlegislative members of the Task Force shall serve without compensation but may be reimbursed by the appointing authority for necessary travel pursuant to the State Travel Reimbursement Act, ~~Section 500.1 et seq. of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes.~~ Legislative members of the Task Force shall serve without

compensation but may be reimbursed in accordance with Section 456 of this title.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 1995.

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

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