

SHORT TITLE: Appropriations to state personnel agencies; budget limits; lapse date; effective date; emergency.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 45th Legislature (1995)

SENATE BILL NO. 201

By: Haney and Hobson of the
Senate

and

Hamilton and Steidley of
the House

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to supervision of the state personnel

process; making an appropriation to the Merit
Protection Commission; stating purpose; requiring
budgeting in certain categories and amounts;
providing legislative intent; providing for the
duties and compensation of employees of the Merit
Protection Commission; limiting the salary of the
Director; providing budgetary limitations; making
an appropriation to the Office of Personnel
Management; stating purposes; requiring budgeting
in certain categories and amounts; providing
budgetary limitations; providing for the duties and
compensation of the employees of the Office of
Personnel Management; exempting certain
expenditures from budgetary limitations; limiting
the salary of the Director of the Office of
Personnel Management; providing lapse date;
providing effective date; and declaring an
emergency.

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

MERIT PROTECTION COMMISSION

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the Oklahoma Merit Protection Commission from any monies not otherwise appropriated from the General Revenue Fund of the State Treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, the sum of _____ Dollars (\$0.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary to perform the duties imposed upon the Oklahoma Merit Protection Commission by law.

SECTION 2. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, the Oklahoma Merit Protection Commission shall budget all funds in the following categories and amounts:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Total</u>
Administration	\$0.00	\$0.00
Investigations	0.00	0.00
Hearings and		
Hearings Appeals	0.00	0.00
Alternative Dispute		
Resolution	0.00	0.00
Grievance Management/		
Training	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00

SECTION 3. It is the intent of the Legislature that for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, the Merit Protection Commission shall utilize retired Justices or Judges for the services of Administrative Law Judges for hearings and prehearings.

SECTION 4. The duties and compensation of employees, not otherwise prescribed by law, necessary to perform the duties imposed upon the Merit Protection Commission by law shall be set by the Executive Director of the Merit Protection Commission. The salary of the Executive Director of the Merit Protection Commission shall not exceed Forty-nine Thousand Three Hundred Nineteen Dollars (\$49,319.00) per annum, payable monthly for the fiscal year ending

June 30, 1996. The Merit Protection Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, shall be subject to the following budgetary limitations on full-time-equivalent employees and expenditures, except as may be authorized pursuant to the provisions of Section 3603 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes:

<u>Budget Category</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Full-time-equivalent Employees	11.0
Lease-Purchase Payments	\$0.00

OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

SECTION 5. There is hereby appropriated to the Office of Personnel Management from any monies not otherwise appropriated from the General Revenue Fund of the State Treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, the sum of _____ Dollars (\$0.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary to perform the duties imposed upon the Office of Personnel Management by law.

SECTION 6. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, the Office of Personnel Management shall budget all funds in the following categories and amounts:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Total</u>
Administration	\$0.00	\$0.00
Recruitment and Selection	0.00	0.00
Human Resource Development	0.00	0.00
Management Support Services	0.00	0.00
Personnel/Payroll		
Information Services	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00

SECTION 7. The duties and compensation of employees, not otherwise prescribed by law, necessary to perform the duties imposed upon the Office of Personnel Management by law shall be set by the Director of the Office of Personnel Management. The salary of the Director of the Office of Personnel Management shall not exceed Fifty-nine Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-one Dollars (\$59,661.00) per

annum, payable monthly for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996.

The Office of Personnel Management for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1996, shall be subject to the following budgetary limitations on full-time-equivalent employees, except as may be authorized pursuant to the provisions of Section 3603 of Title 74 of Oklahoma Statutes:

<u>Budget Category</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Full-time-equivalent Employees	114.5

Expenditures from the Benefits Council Administration Revolving Fund shall not be subject to the budgetary limitations established for the Office of Personnel Management in this act.

SECTION 8. The appropriations made by this act shall be subject to fiscal year limitations and may be encumbered through June 30, 1996. Any unexpended funds remaining after November 15, 1996, shall lapse and be transferred to the credit of the proper fund for the then current fiscal year.

SECTION 9. This act shall become effective July 1, 1995.

SECTION 10. 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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