

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
SUBSTITUTE FOR ENGROSSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1855

By: Hamilton of the House

and

Haney of the Senate

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

An Act relating to public health and safety; creating the Children First Fund; making fund continuing; providing for contents, deposits and expenditures; providing for purposes; requiring certain reporting; amending Section 3, Chapter 336, O.S.L. 1992 (63 O.S. Supp. 1996, Section 1-107.1), which relates to the Eldercare Revolving Fund; modifying uses of fund; requiring certain reporting; prohibiting certain uses; 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 1-110.1 of Title 63, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving fund for the State Department of Health to be designated the "Children First Fund". The fund shall be a continuing fund, not subject to fiscal year limitations, and shall consist of all monies deposited to the credit of the fund by law. All monies accruing to the credit of the fund are hereby appropriated and may be budgeted and expended by the State Department of Health for operation of Children First family resource programs. Expenditures from the fund shall be made upon warrants issued by the State Treasurer against claims filed as prescribed by law with the Director of State Finance for approval and payment. The State Department of

Health shall report annually to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, and the Governor by January 15 on administrative expenditures from the fund for the prior fiscal year.

SECTION 2. AMENDATORY Section 3, Chapter 336, O.S.L. 1992 (63 O.S. Supp. 1996, Section 1-107.1), is amended to read as follows:

Section 1-107.1 A. There is hereby created in the State Treasury a Revolving Fund for the State Department of Health to be designated the "Eldercare Revolving Fund". The fund shall be a continuing fund, not subject to fiscal year limitations, and shall consist of all monies deposited to the credit of the fund by law.

B. All monies accruing to the credit of ~~said~~ the fund are hereby appropriated and may be budgeted and expended by the State Department of Health for operation of local Eldercare case management programs. A full accounting of the expenditures of the program shall be sent to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, and the Governor by January 15 of each year. Expenditures from ~~said~~ the fund shall be made upon warrants issued by the State Treasurer against claims filed as prescribed by law with the Director of State Finance for approval and payment.

C. The Eldercare Revolving Fund shall not be used for the costs the State Department of Health incurs in administering the local programs.

SECTION 3. This act shall become effective September 1, 1997.

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