

ENGROSSED HOUSE
BILL NO. 2529

By: Mitchell of the House
and
Robinson of the Senate

An Act relating to poor persons; amending Section 3, Chapter 277, O.S.L. 1992 (56 O.S. Supp. 1997, Section 603), which relates to the Oklahoma Family Support Act; clarifying language; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 3, Chapter 277, O.S.L. 1992 (56 O.S. Supp. 1997, Section 603), is amended to read as follows:

Section 603. The purpose of the Oklahoma Family Support Act is ~~intended~~ to:

1. Keep families together;
2. Facilitate the return of children with developmental disabilities from out-of-home placements to their families' homes;
3. Prevent or delay the out-of-home placement of children with severe developmental disabilities who reside in their families' homes.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 1998.

Passed the House of Representatives the 4th day of March, 1998.

Speaker

of the House of
Representatives

Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 1998.

President

of the Senate