

ENROLLED HOUSE
BILL NO. 1245

By: Roach of the House

and

Cain of the Senate

An Act relating to children; amending 10 O.S. 1991, Section 573, which relates to the Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children; authorizing certain contracts; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 10 O.S. 1991, Section 573, is amended to read as follows:

Section 573. A. The term "appropriate public authorities" as used in Article III of the Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children shall, with reference to this state, mean means the Department of Institutions, Social and Rehabilitative Human Services and said. The Department shall receive and act with reference to notices required by said Article III of the Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children.

B. The Department may contract, as necessary, with any public or private entity to administer or otherwise perform such functions as may be required for the proper administration of the Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 1997.

Passed the House of Representatives the 25th day of February,
1997.

Speaker of the House of
Representatives

Passed the Senate the 24th day of March, 1997.

President of the Senate