

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 46th Legislature (1997)

HOUSE BILL NO. 1975

By: Bryant

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to state personnel administration;  
requiring execution of affidavit by certain persons  
responsible for hiring of supervisors; prescribing  
content of affidavit; defining term; providing for  
codification; providing an effective date; and  
declaring an emergency.

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 842 of Title 74, unless there is  
created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. Within one (1) working day after any person is hired as a  
supervisor for any governmental entity which is subject to the  
provisions of Section 10.1 et seq. of Title 74 of the Oklahoma  
Statutes, the person directly responsible for hiring the supervisor  
shall execute an affidavit that no improper or undue influences were  
exerted in the hiring process for the supervisor and that the  
supervisor was not employed due to any past or future remuneration  
of any kind and that the supervisor was not employed in exchange for  
any past or future promise by any person, including any public

official, for the performance or forbearance of any action by the person, including any public official.

B. As used in this section, "supervisor" means any person with the authority to hire an employee, discharge an employee, promote, demote, suspend, reprimand or otherwise discipline an employee, determine the duties or responsibilities of an employee, or take any action that could directly affect the nature of work performed by any other person employed by any governmental entity which is subject to the provisions of Section 10.1 et seq. of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

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

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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