

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 46th Legislature (1998)

HOUSE BILL NO. 2444

By: Vaughn

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to prisons and reformatories;
amending Section 3, Chapter 141, O.S.L. 1995 (57
O.S. Supp. 1997, Section 566.1), which relates to
payments and distributions of damage awards to
prisoners; correcting statutory cite; and providing
an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 3, Chapter 141, O.S.L.
1995 (57 O.S. Supp. 1997, Section 566.1), is amended to read as
follows:

Section 566.1 Any inmate in a penal institution as defined in
paragraph 2 of subsection B of Section ~~2~~ 566 of this ~~act~~ title who
successfully obtains a final court order or settlement agreement
awarding damages for any cause of action in any federal or state
proceedings against the state, a state agency, the Department or any
political subdivision, or any employee thereof, shall pay or satisfy
from the award any previous assessments of court costs or fines
involving the criminal convictions of the offender, victims
compensation assessments, restitution awards, probation or parole
fees, child support or alimony, civil judgments, and any

deficiencies of debts not paid of which the Department of Corrections has notice by lien, garnishment, or other appropriate process. Twenty percent (20%) of the remaining balance of the award shall be placed in the offender's mandatory savings account and the remainder shall be placed in the offender's regular draw account.

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

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