

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 46th Legislature (1998)

HOUSE BILL NO. 2509

By: Hilliard

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to prisons and reformatories;

amending 57 O.S. 1991, Section 38, as last amended by Section 76, Chapter 133, O.S.L. 1997 (57 O.S. Supp. 1997, Section 38), which relates to jail reimbursement rates; clarifying language; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 57 O.S. 1991, Section 38, as last amended by Section 76, Chapter 133, O.S.L. 1997 (57 O.S. Supp. 1997, Section 38), is amended to read as follows:

Section 38. A. The Department of Corrections shall reimburse any county, which is required to retain an inmate pursuant to paragraph 2 of Section 37 of this title, in an amount not to exceed Twenty-four Dollars (\$24.00) per day for each inmate during ~~such~~ the period of retention. The proceeds of this reimbursement shall be used to defray expenses of equipping and maintaining the jail and payment of personnel. The Department of Corrections shall reimburse the county for the actual costs paid for any emergency medical care for physical injury or illness of the inmate retained under this resolution if the injury or illness is directly related to the

incarceration and the county is required by law to provide such care for inmates in the jail. The Director may accept any inmate required to have extended medical care upon application of the county.

B. The state shall provide funding for county jail incarceration for eligible felony offenders pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Community Sentencing Act at a rate of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) per day per person imprisoned for a maximum term as specified in this act.

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

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