

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 46th Legislature (1998)

HOUSE BILL NO. 2997

By: Ferguson

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to counties and county officers;
permitting certain county sheriffs to employ
general counsel; setting forth duties of general
counsel; providing for codification; and providing
an effective date.

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 527 of Title 19, unless there is
created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The sheriff in a county having a population of at least four
hundred fifty thousand (450,000) persons according to the latest
Federal Decennial Census shall have the authority to employ a
general counsel to advise or represent the sheriff and the office of
the sheriff in the performance of the official duties of that
office.

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