

SHORT TITLE: Soldiers and sailors; directing the Department of Veterans Affairs to establish certain safety program; codification; effective date.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 46th Legislature (1997)

SENATE BILL NO. 269

By: Martin

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to the Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs; directing the Department to establish certain program; authorizing expenditure of certain fund for certain purpose; limiting value of certain bond; requiring promulgation and adoption of certain rules; 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 50.24 of Title 72, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs is hereby directed to establish an on-the-job employee safety program which encourages work unit safety and reduces the loss of productivity and compensation costs. The Department is further authorized to expend monies which are available from the Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs Revolving Fund as necessary for the purchase of recognition awards. The awards, which recognize the safety achievement of the work unit or individual employees, shall consist of distinctive wearing apparel, service pins, or U.S. Savings Bonds which shall not exceed One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per employee. The Department

shall promulgate and adopt standards for the awarding of such recognition.

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

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