

SHORT TITLE: Public health and safety; granting the Board power to set annual salary; effective date; emergency.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 46th Legislature (1998)

SENATE BILL NO. 808

By: Stipe

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to public health and safety; amending 63 O.S. 1991, Section 934, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 234, O.S.L. 1996 (63 O.S. Supp. 1997, Section 934), which relates to the Chief Medical Examiner; granting the Board of Medicolegal Investigations power to set annual salary; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 63 O.S. 1991, Section 934, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 234, O.S.L. 1996 (63 O.S. Supp. 1997, Section 934), is amended to read as follows:

Section 934. The Board of Medicolegal Investigations shall appoint a Chief Medical Examiner who shall be a physician licensed to practice in ~~Oklahoma~~ this state and a diplomat of the American Board of Pathology or the American Osteopathic Board of Pathology in forensic pathology. The Chief Medical Examiner shall serve at the pleasure of the Board, who shall set the annual salary of the Chief Medical Examiner at not more than One Hundred Fifty-five Thousand Dollars (\$155,000.00), payable monthly. In addition to the duties prescribed by law, the Chief Medical Examiner may teach in any medical school in this state and conduct special classes for law enforcement officers.

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

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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