

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Extraordinary Session of the 47th Legislature (1999)

SENATE BILL 8x

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to state employees; amending Section 1 of Enrolled Senate Bill No. 183 of the 1st Session of the 47th Oklahoma Legislature, which relates to annualized salary increase; deleting exception to salary increase for certain Teachers' Retirement System of Oklahoma members; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 1 of Enrolled Senate Bill No. 183 of the 1st Session of the 47th Oklahoma Legislature, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1. A. Effective July 1, 1999, all full-time and part-time officers and employees, including temporary and other limited-term employees, of the state who were employed by the state on the last working day of June 1999 shall be awarded an annualized salary increase equal to two percent (2%) of their annual salary, as of June 30, 1999, after any other adjustments are made, but in no case shall the salary increase be less than Six Hundred Dollars (\$600.00) nor more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00). Provided that permanent classified employees shall retain the following percentage of the raise provided by this section if they are promoted to a higher paying position during the following periods:

<u>Period</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
July 1, 1999 through September 30, 1999	75%
October 1, 1999 through December 31, 1999	50%

January 1, 2000 through

March 31, 2000

25%

B. As used in this section, "temporary employees" are those persons who:

1. Are not full-time or permanent employees;
2. Are not otherwise excluded by subsection G of this section;

and

3. Are compensated by an agency, board, commission or department or other employing entity for a limited duration and without any subjective expectation by either the employer or the employee that the employment will become permanent.

C. Except for those personnel specifically excluded from eligibility for any increase or advancement in salary pursuant to this section, the salary increase provided by this section shall be applicable to:

1. County election board secretaries;
2. Employees of county health departments; and
3. Employees of a soil conservation district.

D. Part-time employees shall receive a prorated annualized increase provided for in this section.

E. Employees eligible for the increase provided for in this section who are on leave without pay on July 1, 1999, shall receive an annualized increase, effective upon their return to work, but shall not receive any increase for a period of time prior to the return to work.

F. Employees who leave the state service before July 1, 1999, and who are reinstated or reemployed in the state service during July 1999 without a break in service, who are otherwise eligible for the pay increase provided for in this section, shall be granted such raise effective immediately upon such reinstatement or reemployment. As used in this subsection, "break in service" is defined as a

period of time in excess of thirty (30) calendar days between two periods of state employment.

G. The following officers and employees shall be ineligible for a pay increase pursuant to this section and nothing, except as otherwise provided by Section 840-2.17 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes, shall be construed to authorize any increase or advancement of the salaries of:

1. Any elected official prohibited from receiving a salary increase pursuant to Section 10 of Article 23 of the Oklahoma Constitution;

2. Any cabinet secretary whose salary is governed by Section 10.5 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

3. Any agency director who is also a cabinet secretary pursuant to Section 10.3 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

4. Any justice or judge whose salary is governed by Section 3.1, 30.2A, 31.2 or 92.1A of Title 20 of the Oklahoma Statutes or by Section 1.2 or 1.2A of Title 85 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

5. Any district attorney whose salary is governed by Section 215.30 of Title 19 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

6. Officers and employees of institutions under the administrative authority of the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education;

7. Persons employed pursuant to Section 1806.1 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

8. Persons employed pursuant to Section 1.6a of Title 53 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

9. Persons who are employed or under contract pursuant to subsection B of Section 1419 of Title 10 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

and

10. ~~Employees who are members of the Oklahoma Teachers' Retirement System; and~~

~~11.~~ Employees who are members of the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Retirement System.

H. The chief executive officers of the agencies, boards, commissions, departments, or programs as listed in Section 3601 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes, shall be ineligible for a pay increase pursuant to this section.

I. The annualized salary increase provided pursuant to this section shall be in addition to any other salary increase granted in the 1st Session of the 47th Oklahoma Legislature.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 1999.

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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