

An Act relating to schools; amending 70 O.S. 2001, Section 24-101.3, which relates to student suspensions; requiring each school district to appoint a school hearing officer; specifying duties; modifying administration and board duties relating to suspension of students; prohibiting no tolerance policies; requiring shared responsibility of parents and administrators for out-of-school suspended students; providing for school district files for out-of-school suspended students under certain conditions; requiring such files be confidential except for certain purposes; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.