

An Act relating to public health and safety; amending Section 5, Chapter 340, O.S.L. 2000 (63 O.S. Supp. 2000, Section 5022.1), which relates to wage and salary adjustments of nursing home facilities; modifying powers and duties of the Oklahoma Health Care Authority related to reviews of certain reports; authorizing the Authority to assess penalties under certain circumstances; authorizing the Oklahoma Health Care Authority to offer to eligible contracted physician providers an income deferral program; authorizing certain contracts; providing limitations; requiring cooperation; creating the Medicaid Income Deferral Plan Account; specifying purpose; requiring promulgation of rules; providing for codification; and declaring an emergency.