

An Act relating to children; amending 10 O.S. 2001, Sections 7303-1.3, 7303-1.4, 7303-4.6, 7303-5.3, 7303-5.4, 7304-1.1, 7003-2.1, 7003-3.8, and 7305-1.7, which relate to the Oklahoma Juvenile Code and the Oklahoma Children's Code; expanding basis for district attorney to defer filing certain petition; modifying contents of order removing child from home; modifying basis for deferring or dismissing certain juvenile proceedings; defining term; modifying requirements of certain dispositional orders; modifying purpose of certain hearing; providing notice requirements for certain hearings; modifying requirements for placing juveniles in certain adult facilities; modifying conditions under which a child may be taken into custody; modifying right to a jury trial; removing limitation on salary of a referee; amending 43A O.S. 2001, Section 3-415, which relates to treatment of drug and alcohol abuse; exempting the Office of Juvenile Affairs from the provisions of the Oklahoma Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services Act; and providing an effective date.