

An Act relating to the Oklahoma Central Purchasing Act; amending 74 O.S. 2001, Section 85.5, which relates to powers and duties of the State Purchasing Director; clarifying language; granting authority for certain rule making regarding certain audits and use of state purchase card; assessing fees for certain training; clarifying references; amending vendor reference to reflect supplier; deleting reference to certain pilot project; granting authority for Director to authorize use of certain purchase card; granting authority for Director to authorize reverse auctions; amending 74 O.S. 2001, Section 85.31, which relates to bonds; clarifying language; updating references; assessing pro rata share of excess cost of a bond in certain circumstances; allowing general counsel to determine form and legal sufficiency of blanket bonds; amending the filing of blanket bonds; amending 74 O.S. 2001, Section 85.41, which relates to professional services contracts; requiring certain reports be sent to the State Purchasing Director in certain situations; expanding certain examination to State Purchasing Director; clarifying language; amending 74 O.S. 2001, Section 85.58A, as amended by Section 1 of Enrolled Senate Bill No. 1232 of the 2nd Session of the 48th Oklahoma Legislature, which relates to risk management; clarifying language; amending duties of the Department of Central Services; providing for a system to allocate insurance and program costs; allowing the Department of Central Services to obtain, provide or assist the State Regents in obtaining certain insurance; amending references; providing for evaluation of insurance needs for other entities; providing for negotiation of insurance coverage and services contracts; specifying duties of State Purchasing Director; deleting requirement for approval by Risk Management Administrator prior to purchase of certain insurance; deleting certain references to motor license agents; amending 74 O.S. 2001, Section 85.58M, which relates to insurance fees; requiring the Department of Central Services to levy and collect certain fees and premiums; clarifying language; including premiums in consideration of delinquent invoices; requiring the Office of State Finance to transfer certain funds to the Department of Central Services; and providing an effective date.