

ENGROSSED SENATE AMENDMENT
TO
ENGROSSED HOUSE
BILL NO. 1245

By: Mitchell and Bonny of the
House

and

Morgan and Robinson of the
Senate

(Department of Corrections - appropriation -
effective date -
emergency)

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Page 1, strike the stricken title, enacting
clause and entire bill and insert

"An Act relating to the Oklahoma Indigent Defense
System; making an appropriation; stating purpose;
redesignating purpose of funds appropriated to the
Oklahoma Indigent Defense System; and declaring an
emergency.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the Oklahoma
Indigent Defense System from any monies not otherwise appropriated
from the State Judicial Fund of the State Treasury for the fiscal
year ending June 30, 2002, the sum of Six Hundred Thousand Dollars
(\$600,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay conflict
counsel contracts.

SECTION 2. REDESIGNATION The amount of Six Hundred Fifty
Thousand Dollars (\$650,000.00) appropriated to the Oklahoma Indigent
Defense System from the General Revenue Fund of the State Treasury
for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002, by Section 14, Chapter
432, O.S.L. 2001, for the purpose of forensic testing of evidence in
relation to the duties imposed upon the Oklahoma Indigent Defense
System, is hereby redesignated to be used for the payment of

conflict counsel contracts. If on the date this act is approved any of the amount originally appropriated as adjusted by expenditures, encumbrances and transfers, results in an unencumbered balance less than the redesignated amount, that redesignated amount is reduced to the unencumbered balance.

SECTION 3. REDESIGNATION The amount of Six Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$650,000.00) appropriated to the Oklahoma Indigent Defense System from the General Revenue Fund of the State Treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2003, by Section 3, Chapter 304, O.S.L. 2002, for the purpose of forensic testing of evidence in relation to the duties imposed upon the Oklahoma Indigent Defense System, is hereby redesignated to be used for the payment of conflict counsel contracts. If on the date this act is approved any of the amount originally appropriated as adjusted by expenditures, encumbrances and transfers, results in an unencumbered balance less than the redesignated amount, that redesignated amount is reduced to the unencumbered balance.

SECTION 4. 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."

Passed the Senate the 24th day of March, 2003.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
2003.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives