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COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
FOR  
SENATE BILL 249

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[ elections - creating the Oklahoma Voter Hall of  
Fame -

effective date ]

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 4-125 of Title 26, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. There is hereby created the Oklahoma Voter Hall of Fame. The Oklahoma Voter Hall of Fame is established to acknowledge and honor every Oklahoma voter who takes the right of citizenship seriously.

B. Membership is limited to Oklahomans who have voted in Oklahoma consecutively in every November election for at least thirty (30) consecutive years. The voter may submit an application with a signed affidavit of his or her voting record to the voter's county election board. The county election board shall validate the information on such application and forward the name of the inductee to the Secretary of the State Election Board.

C. Each inductee shall receive a proof of membership signed by the Governor, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

D. The Secretary of the State Election Board shall administer the Oklahoma Hall of Fame and shall construct and maintain an

Oklahoma Voter Hall of Fame website whereby the names of the members can be accessed and recognized by their fellow citizens. No new state monies shall be expended for implementation of this act. The Secretary of the State Election Board is authorized to seek grants, donations or other funding sources to pay expenses associated with the creation and administration of the Oklahoma Voter Hall of Fame.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2003.

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