STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
FOR
SENATE BILL 1467

By: Paddack of the Senate

and

Peters of the House

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[schools - meningococcal meningitis – information – codification - 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 1210.195 of Title 70, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. At the beginning of each school year, when the board of education of a school district provides information on immunizations, infectious disease, medications, or other school health issues to parents and guardians of students in grades six through twelve, the board shall include information about meningococcal meningitis. The information shall include at least the causes and symptoms of meningococcal meningitis, how it is spread, sources for additional information about meningococcal meningitis, and the availability, effectiveness, and risks of vaccination against the disease.

B. The State Department of Education, in cooperation with the State Department of Health, shall develop and make available to school districts information that meets the requirements of subsection A of this section. The State Department of Education shall develop and make the information available in the most cost-effective and programmatically effective manner available as

determined by the Department, which shall at a minimum include posting the information on the Department's website.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2006.

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