

ENGROSSED HOUSE  
BILL NO. 1185

By: Bengé and Newport of the  
House

and

Morgan and Crutchfield of  
the Senate

An Act relating to the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education; amending Section 3, Chapter 476, O.S.L. 2004, which relates to expenditure limits from the Oklahoma Tuition Scholarship Revolving Fund; increasing expenditure limits; making an appropriation exempt from certain agency category and budget limits; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 3, Chapter 476, O.S.L.

2004, is amended to read as follows:

Section 3. The Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education are hereby authorized to expend during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, the sum of ~~Thirty-four Million Thirty-two Thousand Two Hundred Nine Dollars (\$34,032,209.00)~~ Thirty-eight Million Thirty-two Thousand Two Hundred Nine Dollars (\$38,032,209.00) from the Oklahoma Tuition Scholarship Revolving Fund of the State Treasury for allocation by the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education pursuant to the provisions of Article XIII-A of the Oklahoma Constitution for the education and general operating budgets of the institutions and for other programs, construction, renovations or repairs administered by the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education. Of those funds authorized for expenditure, the sum of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) shall be transferred to the Oklahoma Tuition Equalization Grant Trust Fund to implement the provisions of the Oklahoma Tuition Equalization Grant Act.

SECTION 2. The appropriations made by this act shall not be subject to fiscal year 2005 agency category and budget limits.

SECTION 3. 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 House of Representatives the 8th day of March, 2005.

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Presiding Officer of the House of  
Representatives

Passed the Senate the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2005.

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