

ENGROSSED SENATE  
BILL NO. 129

By: Morgan and Crutchfield of  
the Senate

and

Benge and Newport of the  
House

[ Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs -  
appropriation - budgeting - duties and compensation  
- limiting the salary of the Director -  
effective date ]

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

OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs from any monies not otherwise appropriated from the General Revenue Fund of the State Treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006, the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$0.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary to perform the duties imposed upon the Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs by law.

SECTION 2. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006, the Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs shall budget all funds in the following categories and amounts:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Total</u>
Central Administration	\$0.00	\$0.00
Claims and Benefits	0.00	0.00
Nursing Facilities	0.00	0.00
State Accrediting Agency	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
TOTAL	\$0.00	\$0.00

The agency shall develop outcome-based performance measures for each budget category.

SECTION 3. The duties and compensation of employees, not otherwise prescribed by law, necessary to perform the duties imposed upon the Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs by law shall be set by the Director. The salary of the Director shall not exceed \_\_\_\_\_ (\$0.00) per annum, payable monthly for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006. The Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006, shall be subject to the following budgetary limitations on full-time-equivalent employees, except as may be authorized pursuant to the provisions of Section 3603 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes:

<u>Budgetary Limitation</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Full-time-equivalent Employees	0.0

SECTION 4. This act shall become effective September 1, 2005.

Passed the Senate the 7th day of March, 2005.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
 2005.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Presiding Officer of the House  
 of Representatives