

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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HOUSE BILL 1926

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to counties and county officers; requiring certain proceeds of emergency medical service districts to be used for specific purposes; providing for ownership or contracting of certain ambulance services; providing for retention of revenues for administrative expenses; providing for codification; and providing an 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 1710.1 of Title 19, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. Any proceeds collected pursuant to the provisions of Section 9C of Article X of the Oklahoma Constitution shall only be expended for the purpose of providing funds for the support, organization, operation and maintenance of district ambulance services, known as emergency medical service districts.

B. Emergency medical service districts formed pursuant to said Section 9C of Article X of the Oklahoma Constitution may own and operate the ambulance service or may provide ambulance service through contracts with one or more ambulance service providers.

C. Emergency medical service districts that provide ambulance services through contracts with one or more ambulance service providers shall utilize revenues collected for said purpose but shall be entitled to retain for administrative expenses and other purposes directly related to providing ambulance services, an amount

not to exceed ten percent (10%) of all annual revenue of the district.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2005.

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