

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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HOUSE BILL 2417

By: Reynolds

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to higher education; stating legislative intent that each board of regents adopt an optional on-campus or off-campus housing policy; prohibiting policy from requiring an application for a waiver or exemption; providing for noncodification; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law not to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes reads as follows:

It is the intent of the Legislature that immediately after the effective date of this act, the board of regents for each institution within The Oklahoma State System of Higher Education adopt a student housing policy that gives all students, regardless of their enrollment status or financial ability, the option to live in institution owned on-campus housing or reside off-campus while enrolled in the institution. In addition, the policy shall not require a student to apply for a waiver or exemption from an on-campus housing requirement to live off-campus.

SECTION 2. 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.

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