

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 50th Legislature (2006)

HOUSE BILL 2672

By: Miller (Ray)

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to volunteer firefighters; forbidding termination of certain employees; permitting certain employees to take leave with pay; 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 165.3b of Title 40, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

An employer shall not terminate the employment of an employee for missing work due to performing duties under the Oklahoma Volunteer Firefighters Act.

SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 840-2.24A of Title 74, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

Any state employee who is a member of a volunteer fire department as defined by the Oklahoma Volunteer Firefighters Act, may take leave with pay to perform their duties under the Oklahoma Volunteer Firefighters Act. The state employee shall not have to use accrued leave or need to make up any time due to the performance of their volunteer firefighter activities.

SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2006.

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