

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 50th Legislature (2006)

SENATE BILL 1912

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to labor; requiring payment of a living wage; defining term; providing for adjustment; specifying employees required to receive certain wage; providing for codification; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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 196 of Title 40, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A living wage for school district employees, excluding teachers, and employees of contractors shall be paid to those employees as provided herein. "Living wage for school district employees and employees of contractors" shall mean a wage payment at an initial hourly rate of no less than Eleven Dollars and sixty-seven cents (\$11.67) per hour. This rate shall be adjusted annually beginning on July 1, 2007, by an amount corresponding to the change in the Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers from the previous year as compiled by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. This wage shall be a minimum wage for any such worker employed by the school district, excluding teachers, and for any employee of a contractor or subcontractor working for the school district on a service contract who is performing work on that contract.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2006.

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.

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