

ENROLLED HOUSE
BILL NO. 2318

By: Miller and Jones of the
House

and

Johnson (Mike),
Crutchfield, Myers and
Adelson of the Senate

An Act relating to the Office of the Attorney General; making an appropriation; stating purpose; amending Section 58 of Enrolled House Bill No. 2276 of the 2nd Session of the 51st Oklahoma Legislature, which relates to an appropriation to the Office of the Secretary of State; modifying amount of appropriation; requiring budgeting in certain categories and amounts; requiring certain performance measures; providing for duties and compensation of employees; providing budgetary limitations; providing lapse dates; requiring and prohibiting certain budget procedures; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the Office of the Attorney General from any monies not otherwise appropriated from the General Revenue Fund of the State Treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, the sum of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary to administer the Address Confidentiality Program transferred from the Office of the Secretary of State to the Office of the Attorney General as authorized by Enrolled House Bill No. 2638 of the 2nd Session of the 51st Oklahoma Legislature.

SECTION 2. AMENDATORY Section 58 of Enrolled House Bill No. 2276 is amended to read as follows:

Section 58. There is hereby appropriated to the Office of the Secretary of State from any monies not otherwise appropriated from the General Revenue Fund of the State Treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, the sum of ~~Five Hundred Thirty Thousand Five Hundred Seventeen Dollars (\$530,517.00)~~ Three Hundred Eighty Thousand Five Hundred Seventeen Dollars (\$380,517.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary to perform the duties imposed upon the Office of the Secretary of State by law.

SECTION 3. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, the Office of the Attorney General shall budget all funds in the following categories and amounts:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Total</u>
General Operations	\$ 1,928,441.00	\$ 3,473,441.00
Legal Services	5,024,056.00	10,264,056.00
Court-Appointed Special Advocate	752,225.00	777,225.00
Financial Fraud and Special Investigations	780,090.00	980,090.00
Medicaid Fraud Control	415,000.00	2,338,894.00
Workers' Compensation Fraud	0.00	1,359,344.00
Domestic Violence Unit	4,831,892.00	8,331,892.00
Vines Grant	550,000.00	1,550,000.00
VPO Grant	0.00	700,000.00
Tobacco Enforcement Unit	<u>400,000.00</u>	<u>561,000.00</u>
TOTAL	\$14,681,704.00	\$30,335,942.00

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

SECTION 4. The duties and compensation of employees, not otherwise prescribed by law, necessary to perform the duties imposed upon the Office of the Attorney General by law shall be set by the Office of the Attorney General. The Office of the Attorney General for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, shall be subject to the following budgetary limitations on full-time-equivalent employees and expenditures excluding expenditures for capital and special projects, 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	180.5
Lease-Purchase Agreements	\$0.00

SECTION 5. Appropriations made by Section 106 of Enrolled House Bill No. 2276 of the 2nd Session of the 51st Oklahoma Legislature and this act, not including appropriations made for capital outlay purposes, may be budgeted for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009 (hereafter FY-09) or may be budgeted for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010 (hereafter FY-10). Funds budgeted for FY-09 may be encumbered only through June 30, 2009, and must be expended by November 15, 2009. Any funds remaining after November 15, 2009, and not budgeted for FY-10, shall lapse to the credit of the proper fund for the then current fiscal year. Funds budgeted for FY-10 may be encumbered only through June 30, 2010. Any funds remaining after November 15, 2010, shall lapse to the credit of the proper fund for the then current fiscal year. These appropriations may not be budgeted in both fiscal years simultaneously. Funds budgeted in FY-09, and not required to pay obligations for that fiscal year, may be budgeted for FY-10, after the agency to which the funds have been appropriated has prepared and submitted a budget work program revision removing these funds from the FY-09 budget work program and after such revision has been approved by the Office of State Finance.

SECTION 6. This act shall become effective July 1, 2008.

SECTION 7. 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.

Passed the House of Representatives the 12th day of May, 2008.

Presiding Officer of the House of
Representatives

Passed the Senate the 14th day of May, 2008.

Presiding Officer of the Senate