

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, February 28, 2008

House Bill No. 2222
As Amended

HOUSE BILL NO. 2222 - By: REYNOLDS AND DORMAN of the House and BROGDON of the Senate.

(state government - amending 74 O.S. Supp. 2007, Section 4258 - Ethics Commission Fund - effective date)

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

1 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2001, Section 4258, as amended by
2 Section 3, Chapter 320, O.S.L. 2004 (74 O.S. Supp. 2007, Section 4258), is amended to
3 read as follows:
4 Section 4258. A. There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving fund for
5 the Ethics Commission to be designated the "Ethics Commission Fund". The fund shall
6 be a continuing fund, not subject to fiscal year limitations and shall consist of all copying
7 fees, lobbyist registration fees, and committee registration fees received by the
8 Commission. All monies accruing to the credit of the fund are hereby appropriated and
9 may be budgeted and expended by the Commission for any expenses incurred in the
10 implementation of this act. Expenditures from the fund shall be made upon warrants
11 issued by the State Treasurer against claims filed as prescribed by law with the Director
12 of State Finance for approval and payment.

1 B. The Ethics Commission shall be fully funded to allow it to enforce the Ethics
2 Commission Rules. The Legislature shall fund the Ethics Commission not less than two
3 percent (2%) of the total contributions reported to the Ethics Commission during the
4 previous two (2) calendar years.

5 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2008.

6 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND BUDGET,
7 dated 02-27-08 - DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.