

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE BILL 2582

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to higher education; granting Murray
8 State College the authority to offer certain courses
9 and programs upon the transfer of the Ardmore Higher
10 Education Program; prohibiting the duplication of
11 certain courses and programs; establishing role and
12 responsibilities of Murray State College; providing
13 for codification; and declaring an emergency.

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

15 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
16 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 3515.2 of Title 70, unless there
17 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

18 Upon the transfer and change of the Ardmore Higher Education
19 Program from a higher education center to a branch campus of an
20 institution within The Oklahoma State System of Higher Education,
21 Murray State College shall offer and have the right to offer all
22 lower division courses and programs offered at the branch campus.
23 Murray State College may defer the right to offer lower division
24 courses to the institution to which the branch campus is affiliated.
Lower division courses and programs offered at the undergraduate

1 level shall not duplicate those offered by Murray State College at
2 the branch campus. Murray State College shall maintain an
3 administrative role at the branch campus including admissions for
4 incoming freshman, and shall be responsible for providing student
5 services, remedial coursework, and lower division community
6 extension and continuing education coursework. In addition, Murray
7 State College shall be responsible for providing admission services,
8 student services and coursework for concurrently enrolled students
9 at the branch campus.

10 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
11 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby
12 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
13 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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