

**OKLAHOMA STATE SENATE
STANDING
COMMITTEE REPORT**

February 16, 2009
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

SB 586

By: Ford of the Senate

Title: Schools; authorizing sponsorship of charter schools by federally recognized Indian tribes. Effective date.

Co-Authored By: Shumate (Principal) of the House

Recommendation: **DO PASS AS AMENDED**

Senator John Ford, Chair

Amendments:

1. Page 2, Line 20, by deleting after the semi-colon “;” the word “or”.
2. Page 3, Line 2, by deleting after the word “tribe” the period “.” and inserting the language “; or”.
3. Page 3, Line 2 ½, by inserting a new paragraph 5 as follows:
 5. By a statewide organization that represents and whose members are public school teachers, only when the charter school is located in a school district with an average daily membership of five thousand (5,000) or more and which all or part of the school district is located in a county having more than five hundred thousand (500,000) population according to the latest Federal Decennial Census.
4. By striking the title and inserting:

“(schools –Oklahoma Charter Schools Act – effective date)”