

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE  
2 BILL NO. 1022

By: Wright (John) of the House

3 and

4 Aldridge of the Senate

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6 An Act relating to sunset; amending Section 2,  
7 Chapter 348, O.S.L. 2005 (74 O.S. Supp. 2008, Section  
8 18p-2), which relates to the Domestic Violence and  
9 Sexual Assault Advisory Council; re-creating the  
10 Council; eliminating obsolete language; and modifying  
11 termination date.

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

13 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 2, Chapter 348, O.S.L.  
14 2005 (74 O.S. Supp. 2008, Section 18p-2), is amended to read as  
15 follows:

16 Section 18p-2. A. There is hereby ~~created~~ re-created, to  
17 continue until July 1, ~~2009~~ 2013, in accordance with provisions of  
18 the Oklahoma Sunset Law, the Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault  
19 Advisory Council. The Council shall be a nine-member committee  
20 appointed by the Attorney General.

21 B. Four of the members shall be selected from a list of eight  
22 nominees provided by the Oklahoma Coalition on Domestic Violence and  
23 Sexual Assault and five of the members shall be selected by the  
24 Attorney General from the State of Oklahoma at large; provided, that  
of the members selected by the Attorney General from the state at

1 large, one member shall be a representative of any domestic violence  
2 programs funded through or by the Attorney General, and one member  
3 shall be a citizen of this state with expertise in the area of  
4 sexual assault services.

5 C. The Council shall select a chair annually. Appointment to  
6 the Council shall be for two (2) years. The Attorney General shall  
7 appoint persons to fill unexpired terms when necessary.

8 D. The duties of the Council shall be to review rules and  
9 overall policies relating to the operation and funding of domestic  
10 violence and sexual assault programs in this state and make  
11 recommendations to the Attorney General regarding its findings.

12 ~~E. The current members of the Domestic Violence and Sexual~~  
13 ~~Assault Committee created pursuant to Section 3-312 of Title 43A of~~  
14 ~~the Oklahoma Statutes shall remain in effect as the Domestic~~  
15 ~~Violence and Sexual Assault Advisory Council and carry on the powers~~  
16 ~~and duties assigned to it according to law. The current members of~~  
17 ~~the Committee shall remain on the Council until the expiration of~~  
18 ~~their individual terms of office or until such offices are vacated.~~  
19 ~~Future appointments to the Council shall be made according to the~~  
20 ~~provisions of this section.~~

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1 Passed the House of Representatives the 4th day of March, 2009.

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4 Presiding Officer of the House of  
Representatives

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6 Passed the Senate the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2009.

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