

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 411

By: Jolley of the Senate
and
Nelson of the House

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6 [criminal procedure - Domestic Violence Fatality
7 Review Board - membership -
8 effective date]
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10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

11 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 22 O.S. 2001, Section 1602, as
12 last amended by Section 4, Chapter 136, O.S.L. 2006 (22 O.S. Supp.
13 2008, Section 1602), is amended to read as follows:

14 Section 1602. A. The Domestic Violence Fatality Review Board
15 shall be composed of ~~eighteen (18)~~ nineteen (19) members, or their
16 designees, as follows:

- 17 1. ~~Eight~~ Nine of the members shall be:
- 18 a. the Chief Medical Examiner,
 - 19 b. a designee of the Attorney General. The designee
20 shall be a person assigned to the Victims Services
21 Unit of the Office of the Attorney General,
 - 22 c. the State Commissioner of Health,
 - 23 d. the Director of the Criminal Justice Resource Center,
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- e. the Chief of Injury Prevention Services of the State Department of Health,
- f. Director of the Department of Human Services,
- g. the Director of the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation, ~~and~~
- h. the Commissioner of the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services, and
- i. the Executive Director of the Office of Juvenile Affairs; and

2. Ten of the members shall be appointed by the Attorney General, shall serve for terms of two (2) years and shall be eligible for reappointment. The members shall be persons having training and experience in matters related to domestic violence. The appointed members shall include:

- a. a county sheriff selected from a list of three names submitted by the executive board of the Oklahoma Sheriff's Association,
- b. a chief of a municipal police department selected from a list of three names submitted by the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police,
- c. an attorney licensed in this state who is in private practice selected from a list of three names submitted by the Board of Governors of the Oklahoma Bar Association,

- 1 d. a district attorney selected from a list of three
2 names submitted by the District Attorneys Council,
3 e. a physician selected from a list of three names
4 submitted by the Oklahoma State Medical Association,
5 f. a physician selected from a list of three names
6 submitted by the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association,
7 g. a nurse selected from a list of three names submitted
8 by the Oklahoma Nurses Association,
9 h. two individuals, at least one of whom shall be a
10 survivor of domestic violence, selected from lists of
11 three names submitted by the Oklahoma Coalition
12 Against Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault, and
13 i. a member of the Judiciary selected from a list of
14 three names submitted by the Oklahoma Supreme Court.

15 B. Every two (2) years the Board shall elect from among its
16 membership a chair and a vice-chair. The Board shall meet at least
17 quarterly and may meet more frequently as necessary as determined by
18 the chair. Members shall serve without compensation but may be
19 reimbursed for necessary travel out of funds available to the
20 Oklahoma Criminal Justice Resource Center pursuant to the State
21 Travel Reimbursement Act; provided, that the reimbursement shall be
22 paid in the case of state employee members by the agency employing
23 the member.
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1 C. With funds appropriated or otherwise available for that
2 purpose, the Criminal Justice Resource Center shall provide
3 administrative assistance and services to the Domestic Violence
4 Fatality Review Board.

5 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2009.

6 Passed the Senate the 10th day of March, 2009.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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10 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
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