

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, February 26, 2009

Committee Substitute for
House Bill No. 1022

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 1022 - By: WRIGHT (JOHN) of the House.

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

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

1 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 2, Chapter 348, O.S.L. 2005 (74 O.S.
2 Supp. 2008, Section 18p-2), is amended to read as follows:
3 Section 18p-2. A. There is hereby ~~created~~ re-created, to continue until July 1, ~~2009~~
4 2013, in accordance with provisions of the Oklahoma Sunset Law, the Domestic Violence
5 and Sexual Assault Advisory Council. The Council shall be a nine-member committee
6 appointed by the Attorney General.
7 B. Four of the members shall be selected from a list of eight nominees provided by
8 the Oklahoma Coalition on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault and five of the
9 members shall be selected by the Attorney General from the State of Oklahoma at large;
10 provided, that of the members selected by the Attorney General from the state at large,
11 one member shall be a representative of any domestic violence programs funded through

1 or by the Attorney General, and one member shall be a citizen of this state with expertise
2 in the area of sexual assault services.

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

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

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

16 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND
17 AGENCY OVERSIGHT, dated 02-25-09 - DO PASS, As Amended.