

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE BILL 2141

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to schools; directing the State Board
8 of Career and Technology Education to adopt rules
9 allowing certain persons to attend a career
10 technology school tuition-free; specifying attendance
11 options; providing for codification; providing an
12 effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 14-103.5 of Title 70, unless
16 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 The State Board of Career and Technology Education shall
18 promulgate rules to ensure that persons under the age of twenty-one
19 (21) who have dropped out of school without earning a high school
20 diploma or who have not completed the General Educational
21 Development (GED) requirements and who are residents of a technology
22 center school district shall be allowed to attend the resident
23 technology center school on a tuition-free basis. The student shall
24 be allowed to attend a technology center school for up to one-half

1 (1/2) day pursuing a career technology career major at the
2 technology center school and, at the option of the student, up to
3 one-half (1/2) day pursuing a high school diploma or GED.

4 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2009.

5 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
6 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby
7 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
8 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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