

1 ENGROSSED SENATE AMENDMENT
TO
2 ENGROSSED HOUSE
BILL NO. 2288

By: Virgin and Roberts (Dustin)
of the House

and

Sparks of the Senate

(state government - amending 74 O.S., Section 1308.3 -
health insurance coverage - codification -
effective date)

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AMENDMENT NO. 1. Page 1, strike the stricken title, enacting clause
and entire bill and insert

"[state government - health insurance coverage -
codification - effective date]

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2011, Section 1308.3, is
amended to read as follows:

Section 1308.3. Any active employee eligible to participate or
who is a participant may opt out of the state's basic plan as
outlined in Sections 1370 and 1371 of ~~Title 74 of the Oklahoma~~
~~Statutes~~ this title, provided that the participant is currently
covered by a separate group health insurance plan or will be covered
by a separate group health insurance plan at or before the beginning

1 of the next plan year. Any active employee eligible to participate
2 or who is a participant opting out of coverage pursuant to this
3 section shall provide proof of the separate health insurance plan
4 participation and sign an affidavit attesting that the participant
5 is currently covered and does not require state-provided health
6 insurance each plan year. ~~Any active employee opting out of~~
7 ~~coverage pursuant to this section shall receive One Hundred Fifty~~
8 ~~Dollars (\$150.00) in lieu of the flexible benefit amount the~~
9 ~~employee would be otherwise eligible to receive.~~ Any savings
10 realized by the state as a result of a participant opting out of
11 health insurance plan coverage shall be retained by the state.

12 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2012."

13 and when the title is restored, amend the title to
14 conform

15 Passed the Senate the 19th day of April, 2012.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

18 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
19 2012.

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

14 SECTION 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in
15 the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 6060.21 of Title 36, unless there
16 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 Any participant in an individual or group health insurance plan
18 who opposes abortion or contraception due to religious beliefs may
19 opt out of any coverage related to abortion or contraception
20 services. If a participant opts out of coverage related to abortion
21 or contraception services, the insurer shall reduce the premium of
22 the participant by the amount the abortion or contraception services
23 cost.
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1 SECTION 4. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2011, Section 1308.3, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 Section 1308.3 A. Any active employee eligible to participate
4 or who is a participant may opt out of the state's basic plan as
5 outlined in Sections 1370 and 1371 of ~~Title 74 of the Oklahoma~~
6 ~~Statutes~~ this title, provided that the participant is currently
7 covered by a separate group health insurance plan or will be covered
8 by a separate group health insurance plan at or before the beginning
9 of the next plan year. Any active employee eligible to participate
10 or who is a participant opting out of coverage pursuant to this
11 section shall provide proof of the separate health insurance plan
12 participation and sign an affidavit attesting that the participant
13 is currently covered and does not require state-provided health
14 insurance each plan year. Any active employee opting out of
15 coverage pursuant to this section shall receive One Hundred Fifty
16 Dollars (\$150.00) in lieu of the flexible benefit amount the
17 employee would be otherwise eligible to receive. Any savings
18 realized by the state as a result of a participant opting out of
19 health insurance plan coverage shall be retained by the state.

20 B. Any active employee participating in the state's basic plan
21 who opposes abortion or contraception due to religious beliefs may
22 opt out of any coverage related to abortion or contraception. The
23 insurer shall reduce the cost of abortion or contraception services
24 from the premiums the employee is required to provide for the plan.

