ENGROSSED HOUSE
BILL NO. 3134 By: Steele, Rousselot, Nelson, Ownbey, Peterson and Roberts (Dustin) of the House

and

Treat of the Senate

( Department of Human Services - organizational structure – noncodification - effective date )

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law not to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes reads as follows:

It is the intent of the Legislature to improve the function and increase the efficiency of the Department of Human Services. The Legislature therefore directs the Department to modify the organizational structure of the agency. The reorganization shall increase accountability throughout the agency by vertical integration. As used in this section "vertical integration" means that agency personnel responsible for the development of policy shall have accountability for the implementation of the policy and that agency personnel with expertise in a specific area of policy

shall not be required to oversee or supervise the implementation of areas of policy outside the expertise of the personnel.

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

Passed the House of Representatives the 13th day of March, 2012.

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Presiding Officer of the House of Representatives

Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 2012.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate