

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 1st Session of the 53rd Legislature (2011)

4 HOUSE BILL 2023

 By: Sullivan

7 AS INTRODUCED

8 An Act relating to civil procedure; providing
9 admissibility for actual amounts paid for medical
10 bills; specifying procedure when no payment is made;
 establishing date for applicability; providing for
 codification; and providing an effective date.

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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 3009.1 of Title 12, unless there
16 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 A. Upon the trial of any civil case involving personal injury,
18 the actual amounts paid for any doctor bills, hospital bills,
19 ambulance service bills, drug bills and similar bills for expenses
20 incurred in the treatment of the party shall be the amounts
21 admissible at trial, not the amounts billed for expenses incurred in
22 the treatment of the party. If no payment has been made, the

1 Medicare reimbursement rates in effect when the personal injury
2 occurred shall be admissible.

3 B. This section shall apply to civil cases involving personal
4 injury filed on or after November 1, 2011.

5 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2011.

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7 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, dated 03-01-2011 - DO
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