

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 53rd Legislature (2011)

3 HOUSE BILL 1651

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to schools; amending 70 O.S. 2001,
8 Section 5-139, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 132,
9 O.S.L. 2005 (70 O.S. Supp. 2010, Section 5-139),
10 which relates to certain payroll deductions for
11 school employees; prohibiting school districts from
12 making certain payroll deductions for school
13 employees; and providing an effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2001, Section 5-139, as
16 amended by Section 1, Chapter 132, O.S.L. 2005 (70 O.S. Supp. 2010,
17 Section 5-139), is amended to read as follows:

18 Section 5-139. School districts shall ~~make~~ be prohibited from
19 making payroll deductions for either ~~or both~~ professional
20 organization dues ~~and~~ or political contributions ~~upon the request of~~
21 ~~any school employee and shall transmit deducted funds to the~~
22 ~~organization designated by the~~ on behalf of a school district
23 employee. ~~Such deductions shall be on a ten-month basis unless~~
24 ~~otherwise designated by the employee organization. However, a~~

1 ~~school employee may request in writing at any time for the school~~
2 ~~district to immediately terminate or initiate payroll deductions to~~
3 ~~a professional organization. Upon receipt of a request the school~~
4 ~~district shall within five (5) business days or by the next pay~~
5 ~~period, whichever is earlier, terminate or initiate any future~~
6 ~~payroll deductions of the requesting school employee to a~~
7 ~~professional organization. Upon receipt of a request the school~~
8 ~~district shall notify the professional organization of the~~
9 ~~initiation or termination of payroll deductions within fifteen (15)~~
10 ~~business days. If the request is to terminate a deduction, the~~
11 ~~school district shall not make any advance payments to any~~
12 ~~professional organization of any future dues on behalf of the school~~
13 ~~employee.~~

14 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2012.

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