

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 53rd Legislature (2012)

3 SENATE BILL 1062

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to higher education tuition and fees;
8 amending 70 O.S. 2011, Section 3218.2, which relates
9 to setting of tuition and fees; requiring the
10 Legislature to approve of changes to tuition and fees
11 proposed by the State Regents for Higher Education;
12 providing an effective date; and declaring an
13 emergency.

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

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2011, Section 3218.2, is
16 amended to read as follows:

17 Section 3218.2. A. Resident tuition, nonresident tuition, and
18 other fees to be required of students receiving instruction or other
19 academic services provided by institutions of The Oklahoma State
20 System of Higher Education shall be ~~established~~ proposed by the
21 Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education and approved by the
22 Legislature with due regard for the provisions of Section 3218.14 of
23 this title ~~within limits prescribed by the Legislature~~. Nothing in
24 this act shall be construed as limiting or prohibiting the
requirement of payment for goods or services provided by auxiliary
enterprises operated by or in conjunction with institutions of The

1 Oklahoma State System of Higher Education and authorized by the
2 Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education.

3 B. By January 1 of each year, the Oklahoma State Regents for
4 Higher Education shall submit a report to the Governor, the
5 President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of
6 Representatives, and the minority floor leaders and education
7 committee chairs of both houses of the Oklahoma Legislature, of the
8 proposed actions to be taken in regard to and the schedule of
9 tuition and fees ~~approved~~ proposed for The Oklahoma State System of
10 Higher Education for the ~~current~~ next academic year. The annual
11 report shall include data on the impact of any tuition or fee
12 increases on the ability of students to meet the costs of
13 attendance, enrollment patterns, availability of financial aid, and
14 any other data considered relevant by the State Regents. The
15 proposed changes to tuition and fees by institutions of the Oklahoma
16 State System of Higher Education shall not be effective until
17 approved by the Legislature.

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

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

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