

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR

5 SENATE BILL 1937

By: Burrage of the Senate

and

6 Sherrer of the House

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10 An Act relating to children; requiring Department of  
11 Human Services to furnish credit report to certain  
12 children; requiring Department to take certain  
13 corrective action; permitting Department to implement  
14 program in certain stages; requiring annual report to  
15 Legislature; providing scope of report; providing for  
16 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

18 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
19 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-8-111 of Title 10A, unless  
20 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

21 A. The Department of Human Services shall provide each youth in  
22 its custody an annual credit report. The Department shall inform  
23 the court with jurisdiction over the youth of any inaccuracies in a  
24 credit report displaying evidence of identity theft or any other  
activity fraudulently made on behalf of the youth in custody. The

1 Department may implement the requirements of this section in stages  
2 beginning with youth in the independent living program whose credit  
3 rating may inhibit employment and housing opportunities when the  
4 child is no longer in custody.

5 B. Within one (1) year of the effective date of this act, the  
6 Department of Human Services shall submit annual reports on the  
7 implementation of the provisions of this act to the Chair and Vice  
8 Chair of the Senate Health and Human Services Committee and the  
9 Chair and Vice Chair of the House Human Services Committee. Such  
10 reports shall include, but not be limited to, the number of youths  
11 in the Department's custody receiving credit score reports, the  
12 frequency of such reports, and administrative issues faced by the  
13 Department in the implementation of this act. Such reports shall  
14 continue to be issued by the Department until November 1, 2018.

15 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2014.

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