

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 1st Session of the 54th Legislature (2013)

4 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
5 FOR
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 2219

By: Newell and Nelson of the
House

and

Brecheen of the Senate

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11 An Act relating to the Department of Human Services;
12 requiring Department to issue family impact statement
13 for every proposed rule; describing time requirement
14 for issuing statement; permitting modification of
15 statement; requiring certain questions to be answered
16 in the statement; providing for codification; and
17 providing an effective date.

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

19 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
20 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 303.3 of Title 75, unless there
21 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

22 A. In addition to the requirements set forth in the
23 Administrative Procedures Act, the Department of Human Services

1 shall issue a family impact statement of every proposed rule prior
2 to or within fifteen (15) days after the date of publication of the
3 notice of proposed rule adoption. The family impact statement may
4 be modified after any hearing or comment period afforded pursuant to
5 the provisions of Section 303 of Title 75 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

6 B. The family impact statement shall describe the potential
7 impact, if any, of the proposed rule on Oklahoma families. The
8 family impact statement shall respond to the following questions:

9 1. Does this action encourage marriage or threaten the status
10 of marriage;

11 2. Does this action encourage persons to become parents and
12 commit themselves to their children; and

13 3. Does this action help the family perform its functions or
14 does it substitute governmental activity for the function.

15 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2013.

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17 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES, dated 02/12/2013 -
18 DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.

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