

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 2nd Session of the 54th Legislature (2014)

4 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
5 FOR
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 3539

By: Martin (Scott) and Sears of
the House

7 and

8 Jolley and Justice of the
9 Senate

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12 An Act relating to the Workers' Compensation Court of
13 Existing Claims; providing for creation of Revolving
14 Fund; directing deposit of certain fees, penalties
15 and fines; providing an effective date; and declaring
16 an emergency.

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 401 of Title 85A, unless there
20 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

21 There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving fund
22 for the Workers' Compensation Court of Existing Claims to be
23 designated the "Workers' Compensation Court of Existing Claims
24 Revolving Fund". The fund shall be a continuing fund, not subject

1 to fiscal year limitations, and shall consist of all monies received
2 by the Workers' Compensation Court of Existing Claims from all fees,
3 penalties and fines imposed by the Workers' Compensation Court of
4 Existing Claims or its Administrator. All monies accruing to the
5 credit of said fund are hereby appropriated and may be budgeted and
6 expended by the Workers' Compensation Court of Existing Claims for
7 the purpose of defraying necessary expenses of the Workers'
8 Compensation Court of Existing Claims in performance of its duties.
9 Expenditures from said fund shall be made upon warrants issued by
10 the State Treasurer against claims filed as prescribed by law with
11 the Director of the Office of Management and Enterprise Services for
12 approval and payment.

13 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2014.

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

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19 DIRECT TO CALENDAR.

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