

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 March 24, 2014

3 ENGROSSED HOUSE
4 BILL NO. 3176

By: Blackwell of the House

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6 Shortey of the Senate

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8 An Act relating to state government; amending 74 O.S.
9 2011, Section 840-2.25, which relates to the Oklahoma
10 Personnel Act; modifying certain time limitation; and
11 providing an effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2011, Section 840-2.25, is
14 amended to read as follows:

15 Section 840-2.25 A. A permanent classified employee or a
16 regular unclassified employee shall be entitled to take leave with
17 pay for not to exceed ~~three (3) days~~ a twenty-four (24) hours per
18 year to attend meetings of job-related professional organizations of
19 which the employee is a member upon receiving permission from the
20 appointing authority. The denial by an appointing authority or
21 organizational leave shall be in writing and state the reasons for
22 denying said leave.

23 B. The leave authorized by this section shall not be used for
24 lobbying activities which include the lobbying of legislative or

1 executive branch elected officials within state-owned or leased
2 buildings.

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

4 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT
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