

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE BILL 2703

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to prison and reformatories;
8 authorizing certain inmates to make anatomical gifts;
9 providing procedures; requiring compliance with the
10 Oklahoma Uniform Anatomical Gift Act; directing the
11 Department of Corrections to cooperate with
12 procurement organizations; providing for the
13 promulgation of rules and procedures; providing for
14 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

16 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
17 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 629 of Title 57, unless there is
18 created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

19 A. The Department of Corrections shall make available to each
20 inmate who is incarcerated with a sentence of death the option to
21 make an anatomical gift immediately prior to the execution of the
22 sentence of death. If the inmate chooses to make an anatomical gift
23 immediately prior to his or her execution of death, the inmate shall
24 complete a document of gift in accordance with the requirements of
the Oklahoma Uniform Anatomical Gift Act. The Department of

1 Corrections shall maintain a record of the document of gift that an
2 inmate provides to the Department.

3 B. The making of an anatomical gift by an inmate under this
4 section shall comply with the provisions of the Oklahoma Uniform
5 Anatomical Gift Act.

6 C. The Department of Corrections shall cooperate with
7 procurement organizations to maximize the opportunity to recover
8 anatomical gifts for the purpose of transplantation.

9 D. The Department of Corrections shall promulgate rules and
10 procedures necessary to implement the provisions of this section.

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

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