

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 55th Legislature (2015)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

4 FOR

5 SENATE BILL NO. 705

6 By: Griffin

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8 An Act relating to the Oklahoma Commission on
9 Children and Youth; amending 10 O.S. 2011, Section
10 601.4, which relates to duties and responsibilities
11 of the Commission; authorizing Commission to maintain
12 certain confidential information; permitting
13 Commission to request transfer of cases within its
14 jurisdiction to the Oklahoma State Bureau of
15 Investigation; and providing an effective date.

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

17 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 10 O.S. 2011, Section 601.4, is
18 amended to read as follows:

19 Section 601.4. The Oklahoma Commission on Children and Youth is
20 further authorized to:

21 1. Facilitate joint planning and service coordination among
22 public and private agencies that provide services to children and
23 youth and their families and maintain as confidential information
24 provided to the Commission regarding persons using such services;

2. Prepare and publish reports;

1 3. Review the programs, policies, and services for children and
2 youth provided by public and private agencies for compliance with
3 established state policies and progress towards goals identified in
4 planning documents relating to children and youth services and to
5 make reports regarding such compliance and progress;

6 4. Accept appropriations, gifts, loans, and grants from the
7 state and federal government and from other sources, public or
8 private;

9 5. Enter into agreements or contracts for the development of
10 test models or demonstration programs and projects and for programs
11 of practical research for effective services to children and youth;
12 provided that the administration of contract for such model programs
13 and projects shall, within five (5) years of their inception, be
14 transferred to an appropriate agency or the program or project shall
15 be discontinued;

16 6. Secure necessary statistical, technical, administrative,
17 operational, and staff services by interagency agreement or
18 contract;

19 7. Examine all records, plans, budgets, and budget documents
20 pertaining to the children and youth service system;

21 8. Exercise all incidental powers as necessary and proper for
22 the performance of the duties and responsibilities of the
23 Commission;

1 9. Promulgate rules as necessary to carry out the duties and
2 responsibilities assigned to the Oklahoma Commission on Children and
3 Youth; ~~and~~

4 10. Recommend that a facility providing services to children
5 and youth be closed or that its contract with the state be
6 terminated; and

7 11. Request that cases involving children within its
8 jurisdiction be transferred to the jurisdiction of the Oklahoma
9 State Bureau of Investigation.

10 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2015.

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