

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 55th Legislature (2016)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR ENGROSSED  
5 SENATE BILL NO. 172

By: Loveless of the Senate

and

6 Newell of the House  
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10 An Act relating to state government; authorizing the  
11 Office of Management and Enterprise Services to  
12 approve an alternative process for certain business  
13 operations; requiring appropriate reporting; defining  
14 term; providing for codification; and providing an  
15 effective date.

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

17 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
18 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 63.6 of Title 74, unless there  
19 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

20 A. When unnecessary duplication or redundancies add cost and  
21 inefficiency to routine processing systems, the Office of Management  
22 and Enterprise Services (OMES) may approve an alternative process  
23 for certain business operations, including but not limited to  
24 accounts payable and travel and expense control at academic health

1 centers that meet or exceed OMES requirements. OMES shall establish  
2 appropriate reporting as deemed necessary.

3 B. For purposes of this section, an academic health center  
4 consists of an allopathic or osteopathic medical school, one or more  
5 other health profession schools or programs such as allied health,  
6 dentistry, graduate studies, nursing, pharmacy, public health,  
7 veterinary medicine, and one or more owned or affiliated teaching  
8 hospitals or health systems.

9 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2016.

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