

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
2 BILL NO. 2711

By: Ortega and Russ of the
House

3 and

4 Schulz of the Senate
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7 An Act relating to state government; amending 74 O.S.
8 2011, Section 5034, which relates to community action
9 agencies; providing for definition of community
10 action agencies as public agencies for purposes of
11 the Prisoners Public Works Act; providing an
12 effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2011, Section 5034, is
15 amended to read as follows:

16 Section 5034. It is the purpose of Sections ~~41~~ 5035 through ~~46~~
17 5040 of this ~~act~~ title to delineate a system of community action
18 agencies to enhance and stimulate economic opportunity and
19 self-sufficiency for all citizens. It is hereby found and
20 determined that community action agencies provide services which are
21 basic and essential to the well-being of low-income and economically
22 disadvantaged persons of this state. It is further determined that
23 the delivery of such services should be officially recognized in
24 order to assure the effective and efficient continuation of such
services and to solve existing problems of human service delivery

1 systems. Community action agencies shall be considered a public
2 agency for the purposes of the Prisoners Public Works Act, Section
3 215 et seq. of Title 57 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

4 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2016.

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

9 Passed the House of Representatives the 9th day of March, 2016.

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12 Presiding Officer of the House
13 of Representatives

14 Passed the Senate the ___ day of _____, 2016.

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17 Presiding Officer of the Senate