

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 726

By: Crain of the Senate

and

O'Donnell of the House

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6 [domestic violence - pilot program - proceedings -
7 domestic violence center - codification - effective
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10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

11 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
12 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 60.30 of Title 22, unless there
13 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

14 Beginning on January 1, 2016, the Administrative Office of the
15 Courts shall administer a five-year pilot program in any county with
16 a population exceeding 500,000 whose court system receives
17 sufficient grants to fund such program, which shall consist of
18 implementation of an Integrated Domestic Violence Docket to combine,
19 where appropriate, proceedings related to divorce, child custody,
20 domestic violence, protective orders, and juvenile delinquency.

21 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
22 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 60.31 of Title 22, unless there
23 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:
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1 Beginning on January 1, 2016, any county with a population
2 exceeding 500,000 which receives sufficient grants to fund such
3 program, may administer a Family Safety Center to provide the
4 following domestic violence program services:

5 1. Assistance obtaining emergency protective orders for victims
6 of domestic and family violence, sexual assault, and stalking;

7 2. Assistance and resources to children exposed to domestic and
8 family violence;

9 3. Forensic medical documentation and basic medical assessments
10 for victims of domestic and sexual violence; and

11 4. Legal support and representation for victims of domestic and
12 family violence, sexual assault, and stalking.

13 SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2015.

14 Passed the Senate the 9th day of March, 2015.

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17 Presiding Officer of the Senate

18 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
19 2015.

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