

**SENATE CHAMBER**  
**STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

DISPOSITION

FLOOR AMENDMENT

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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(Date)

Mr./Madame President:

I move to amend House Bill No. 1729, by substituting the attached floor substitute for the title, enacting clause and entire body of the measure.

Submitted by:

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Senator David

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1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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

3 FLOOR SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR ENGROSSED  
5 HOUSE BILL NO. 1729

By: Roberts (Sean), Ritze and  
Nollan of the House

6 and

7 David of the Senate

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9 FLOOR SUBSTITUTE

10 An Act relating to vital statistics; directing  
11 establishment of certificate of death resulting from  
12 stillbirth; requiring certain notification;  
13 specifying persons eligible to receive and procedure  
14 for receipt of certain certificate; prohibiting  
15 provision of certain certificate under certain  
16 circumstances; specifying prohibited uses of certain  
17 certificate; defining terms; providing for  
18 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

20 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
21 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-318.3 of Title 63, unless  
22 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

23 A. The State Registrar of Vital Statistics shall establish a  
24 certificate of death resulting from stillbirth to be offered to the  
parent or parents of a stillborn child. The medical staff treating  
the stillbirth shall notify the parent of the ability to request the

1 certificate. The certificate shall be available to any parent of a  
2 stillborn child upon proper application; however, the State  
3 Registrar of Vital Statistics shall not provide both a certificate  
4 of death as provided for in this section, and a certificate of birth  
5 as provided for in Section 1-318.2 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma  
6 Statutes for the same stillborn child.

7 B. This certificate shall not be used as evidence of death or  
8 for identification purposes.

9 C. For the purposes of this section, "stillbirth" or "stillborn  
10 child" shall mean death of a fetus at any point during the period of  
11 gestation.

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

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