

SENATE CHAMBER
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

DISPOSITION

FLOOR AMENDMENT

No. _____

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

(Date)

Mr./Madame President:

I move to amend Senate Bill No. 227, by substituting the attached floor substitute for the title, enacting clause and entire body of the measure.

Submitted by:

Senator Standridge

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1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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

3 FLOOR SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR

5 SENATE BILL NO. 227

By: Standridge of the Senate

and

Derby of the House

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9 FLOOR SUBSTITUTE

10 [federally qualified health centers - contracts,
11 donations, and grants - system for public comment -
effective date]

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

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 63 O.S. 2011, Section 1-724, is
16 amended to read as follows:

17 Section 1-724. A. The State Department of Health is authorized
18 to enter into contracts, based on the availability of funding, to
19 promote the establishment of new facilities in Oklahoma which will
20 qualify as federally qualified health centers (FQHC) or federally
21 qualified look-alike community health centers, as defined by 42
22 U.S.C., Section 13986d(1)(2)(B) including:

- 23 1. Contracts to provide for community planning and development;
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1 2. Contracts to provide for grants or grant writing to apply
2 for federal 330 FQHC funding; and

3 3. Contracts for transitional operating support.

4 B. The ~~State Department of Health~~ is authorized to accept
5 donations of land, property, buildings, equipment and gifts of money
6 or other objects of value for the purpose of establishing or
7 expanding federally qualified health centers.

8 C. The ~~State Department of Health~~ is authorized to utilize
9 grant funds, donations and other funds made available to the
10 Department for the purpose of establishing or expanding federally
11 qualified health centers, to the extent funds are available.

12 D. The ~~State Department of Health~~ may enter into agreements
13 with public or private entities as necessary for the purpose of
14 establishing new federally qualified health centers.

15 E. The Department shall develop a system allowing persons or
16 entities to submit public comments regarding the designation of
17 medically underserved areas (MUAs). Such comments may address, but
18 not be limited to:

19 1. The expansion of health care services at federally qualified
20 health centers (FQHCs) located in existing MUAs; and

21 2. Prospective locations of MUAs and FQHCs.

22 F. The Department shall submit public comments received
23 pursuant to the provisions of this act to the Health Resources and
24 Services Administration within the United States Department of

1 Health and Human Services; provided, the period of time for the
2 submission of public comments to the State Department of Health
3 shall not exceed thirty (30) days.

4 G. Comments received by the State Department of Health pursuant
5 to this act shall only be used for the functions provided by this
6 act and shall not be considered or otherwise used for any purposes
7 except those provided by the provisions of this act.

8 H. The State Board of Health shall promulgate rules to
9 implement the provisions of this section.

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

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