

An Act relating to schools; amending 70 O.S. 2011, Section 1210.508, as last amended by Section 8, Chapter 430, O.S.L. 2014 (70 O.S. Supp. 2014, Section 1210.508), which relates to the Oklahoma School Testing Program Act; deleting requirement for completion of certain end-of-instruction tests; requiring certain students to take the American College Test assessment prior to graduation; deleting certain test development requirements; modifying certain retesting and reporting requirements; deleting certain duties of the Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability; deleting certain validity study requirements; deleting certain test administration scheduling timeframes; amending 70 O.S. 2011, Sections 1210.523, as last amended by Section 26, Chapter 4, O.S.L. 2014 and 1210.526, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 367, O.S.L. 2013 (70 O.S. Supp. 2014, Sections 1210.523 and 1210.526), which relate to the Achieving Classroom Excellence Act of 2005; modifying criteria for determining mastery of state academic content standards; deleting certain content area tests; replacing end-of-instruction tests with the American College Test assessment; setting minimum American College Test composite score required to demonstrate mastery; modifying remediation requirements; changing score requested for certain alternative assessments; modifying timeframe for appeal process; establishing criteria for testing of students who have individualized education programs; deleting certain retake requirement; modifying alternative assessments for students identified as English language learners; modifying remediation funding eligibility criteria; updating statutory language; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.