

An Act relating to teachers; amending 70 O.S. 2011, Section 6-101.3, as last amended by Section 5, Chapter 124, O.S.L. 2014 (70 O.S. Supp. 2014, Section 6-101.3), which relates to definitions; modifying certain definition; amending 70 O.S. 2011, Section 6-101.10, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 331, O.S.L. 2014 (70 O.S. Supp. 2014, Section 6-101.10, which relates to evaluation policies; directing certain evaluation components to be used during certain school years; modifying reference to certain ratings; directing the State Board of Education, in certain consultation, to conduct certain study; providing date for full implementation for certain purpose; amending 70 O.S. 2011, Section 6-101.13, as amended by Section 3, Chapter 373, O.S.L. 2013 (70 O.S. Supp. 2014, Section 6-101.13), which relates to due process; modifying reference to certain ratings; amending 70 O.S. 2011, Section 6-101.16, as last amended by Section 29 of Enrolled Senate Bill No. 831 of the 1st Session of the 55th Oklahoma Legislature, which relates to the Teacher and Leader Effectiveness Evaluation System; delaying implementation of certain system; providing for qualitative and quantitative ratings; specifying components of ratings; directing school districts to adopt certain evaluation methods from certain approved options; allowing school districts to base certain evaluation percentage on certain methods; allowing school districts to provide only a qualitative rating for certain teachers; directing the Teacher and Leader Effectiveness Commission to recommend certain measures by certain date; directing the State Board of Education to adopt certain measures by certain date; allowing certain school districts to continue using certain evaluation system; updating reference; amending 70 O.S. 2011, Section 6-101.22, as last amended by Section 5, Chapter 373, O.S.L. 2013 (70 O.S. Supp. 2014, Section 6-101.22), which relates to dismissal of career teachers; modifying criteria for which career and probationary teachers may be dismissed; directing promulgation of rules; providing for codification; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.