

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 55th Legislature (2016)

3 HOUSE BILL 2941

By: McCullough

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to death certificates; requiring  
8 State Board of Health to promulgate certain rules;  
9 providing for noncodification; and providing an  
effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law not to be  
14 codified in the Oklahoma Statutes reads as follows:

15 The State Board of Health shall promulgate the following rules  
16 relating to death certificate requests:

17 1. A surviving spouse, parent, child, grandparent, sibling or  
18 legal guardian acting in a decedent's best interest may request a  
19 death certificate by completing an affidavit;

20 2. The affiant shall be required to state his or her  
21 relationship to the decedent and shall swear (or affirm) under  
22 penalties of perjury that such statement is true. The signature of  
23 such affiant shall be required to be notarized; and  
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1 3. No additional documentation shall be required of the affiant  
2 in order to receive the death certificate of the decedent.

3 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2016.  
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