

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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

3 SENATE BILL 1564

By: Pittman

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to school technology; requiring the  
8 State Department of Education to submit certain  
9 report by certain date; requiring certain information  
10 to be included in report; providing for promulgation  
11 of rules; providing for codification; providing an  
effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 3-169 of Title 70, unless there  
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. The State Department of Education shall submit a report to  
17 the Legislature by December 31, 2016, on the following:

18 1. Existing broadband speeds and connections in all public  
19 schools in the state, including capabilities from the main building  
20 to classrooms; and

21 2. Each school district's plan to:

22 a. reach a broadband throughput of one (1) gigabit per  
23 one thousand (1,000) students for each public school  
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1 by fiscal year 2020 through public and private  
2 efforts, and

3 b. offer support and training programs in the use of  
4 education technology tools for classroom teachers.

5 B. The State Board of Education shall promulgate rules to  
6 implement the provisions of this act.

7 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2016.

8 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation  
9 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby  
10 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and  
11 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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