

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 SENATE BILL 930

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to public buildings; amending 61 O.S.
8 11, as amended by Section 303, Chapter 304, O.S.L.
9 2012 (61 O.S. Supp. 2015, Section 11, which relates
10 to building codes; requiring state agencies,
11 municipalities and political subdivisions to obtain
verification from Office of Disability Concerns
relating to certain building standards; and providing
an effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 61 O.S. 2011, Section 11, as
14 amended by Section 303, Chapter 304, O.S.L. 2012 (61 O.S. Supp.
15 2015, Section 11), is amended to read as follows:

16 A. Unless otherwise provided for by law, all plans and
17 specifications for the erection of public buildings by this state,
18 or any agency or political subdivision thereof, or for any building
19 erected through the use of public funds shall provide facilities for
20 the handicapped. Such facilities shall conform ~~with~~ to the codes
21 and standards adopted by the State Fire Marshal and amended by the
22 Division's promulgated rules. Elevators shall be constructed and
23 installed in said public buildings to the extent deemed feasible and
24 financially reasonable by the contracting authority of the state or

1 such political subdivision. ~~Said~~ The codes and standards shall be
2 on file in the Construction and Properties Division of the Office of
3 Management and Enterprise Services.

4 B. After May 24, 1973, any building or facility which would
5 have been subject to the provisions of this section but for the fact
6 that it was constructed prior to May 24, 1973, shall be subject to
7 the requirements of this section if additions are made to such
8 building or facility in any twelve-month period which increase the
9 total floor area of such building or facility by twenty-five percent
10 (25%) or more or if alterations or structural repairs are made to
11 such building or facility in any twelve-month period which affect
12 twenty-five percent (25%) or more of the total floor area of such
13 building or facility.

14 C. On or after the effective date of this act, all state
15 agencies, municipalities and other political subdivisions which are
16 subject to the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act
17 and this section shall obtain written verification from the Office
18 of Disability Concerns prior to beginning any construction of a new
19 facility or renovation of an existing facility stating the project
20 will meet the building standards as required by the Americans with
21 Disabilities Act.

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