

EHB 1707

THE STATE SENATE  
Thursday, March 27, 2003

ENGROSSED

House Bill No. 1707

As Amended

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1707 - By: TURNER of the House and  
WILKERSON of the Senate.

[ schools - amending 70 O.S., Section 5-144 - indictment -  
rights to privacy - effective date - emergency ]

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2001, Section 5-144, is  
amended to read as follows:

Section 5-144. A. Upon filing an information or indictment, ~~if~~  
the district attorney ~~is aware that~~ shall ascertain whether or not  
the person arrested is a student or employee of a school district or  
a public school in the state, and if the person is, with due regard  
for the provisions of subsection C of Section 7307-1.2 of Title 10  
of the Oklahoma Statutes, the district attorney shall notify the  
superintendent of the district of the charges filed against the  
student or employee.

B. The school district may take any action it deems necessary  
that is in compliance with the requirements of the Family Education  
Right to Privacy Act of 1974 with regard to such information.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2003.

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

5 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, dated 3-25-03 - DO  
6 PASS, As Amended.