

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:

CHAIR:

I move to amend HB1966 _____
Of the printed Bill
Page _____ Section _____ Lines _____
Of the Engrossed Bill

By striking the Title, the Enacting Clause, the entire bill, and by
inserting in lieu thereof the following language:

AMEND TITLE TO CONFORM TO AMENDMENTS

Amendment submitted by: John Bennett

Adopted: _____

Reading Clerk

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 56th Legislature (2017)

PROPOSED COMMITTEE
SUBSTITUTE
FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 1966

By: Jordan

PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

An Act relating to children; mandating ratios for
number of children supervised by employees of child
care facilities; providing for codification; and
providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 405.5 of Title 10, unless there
is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. The following ratios apply to child care facilities that
provide care for thirteen or more children:

1. If there is only one employee providing care and
supervision:

Specified age of children	Maximum number of children
0-12 months	4
1 year	6
2 years	8

1	3 years	12
2	4 and 5 years	15
3	6 years and older	20

4 2. If there are two or more employees providing care and
5 supervision:

6	Specified age of children	Maximum number of children
7	0-12 months	10
8	1 year	14
9	2 years	18
10	3 years	30
11	4 and 5 years	35
12	6 years and older	45

13 B. As used in this section, "specified age" is determined by:

14 1. Listing all of the children in the group in order of their
15 ages, youngest to oldest;

16 2. Determining the core number by taking the total number of
17 children in the group and dividing this number by two, rounding up
18 to the next whole number if the result is not a whole number; and

19 3. Starting with the youngest child on the list, counting down
20 the list until the core number is reached. The age of this child is
21 the specified age of the children in this group.

22 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2017.

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