

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:

CHAIR:

I move to amend HB2725 _____
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: Todd Russ

Adopted: _____

Reading Clerk

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 56th Legislature (2018)

PROPOSED COMMITTEE
SUBSTITUTE
FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 2725

By: Russ

PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

An Act relating to higher education; requiring each board of regents to adopt a housing policy prohibiting co-ed housing; defining term; providing an exception for certain students; allowing for co-ed housing buildings or floors under certain circumstances; providing for codification; and declaring an emergency.

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 3249 of Title 70, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. After the effective date of this act, the board of regents for each institution within The Oklahoma State System of Higher Education shall adopt a student housing policy that prohibits the establishment and offering of co-ed housing owned or operated by the institution or which is located on property owned by the institution. For purposes of this section, "co-ed housing" shall

1 mean housing that integrates men and women on the same floor or in
2 the same room. Each housing policy may allow for co-ed rooms only
3 for married couples or for family members living together. Each
4 housing policy may allow for co-ed housing where men and women are
5 in the same building or floor, as long as men and women are not
6 housed on the same hallway and access between the housing areas for
7 men and women is controlled.

8 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
9 of the public peace, health or 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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