

1 ENGROSSED SENATE  
JOINT  
2 RESOLUTION NO. 9

By: Dahm of the Senate

3 and

4 Roberts (Sean) of the House

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6 A Joint Resolution directing the State Board of  
7 Education to review certain standards; requiring that  
8 the standards include certain civics content; and  
9 directing distribution.

10 WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 11-103.6a-1 of Title 70 of the  
11 Oklahoma Statutes, the Legislature has the authority to approve in  
12 whole or in part, disapprove in whole or in part or amend in whole  
13 or in part the subject matter standards adopted by the State Board  
14 of Education and submitted to the President Pro Tempore of the  
15 Senate or a designee and the Speaker of the House of Representatives  
16 or a designee for legislative review; and

17 WHEREAS, the subject matter standards are required by Section  
18 11-103.6 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes to prepare all  
19 students for active citizenship.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF  
21 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 56TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

22 SECTION 1. The State Board of Education shall review the social  
23 studies subject matter standards and incorporate into the standards  
24 civics participation to include but not be limited to the content of

1 the civics portion of the naturalization test used by the United  
2 States Citizenship and Immigration Services.

3 SECTION 2. The Secretary of State is hereby directed to  
4 distribute copies of this resolution to the State Board of Education  
5 and the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

6 Passed the Senate the 22nd day of March, 2017.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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10 Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
11 2017.

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Presiding Officer of the House  
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