

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 2nd Session of the 56th Legislature (2018)

4 HOUSE BILL 2771

 By: Osburn (Mike)

7 AS INTRODUCED

8 An Act relating to labor; creating the Oklahoma
9 Department of Labor Occupational License Database;
10 requiring Department of Labor to develop specific
11 website; authorizing Department to promulgate rules;
12 providing for information to be submitted by certain
13 regulatory entities; requiring compliance with rules;
14 providing for codification; and providing an
15 effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
16 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1.2 of Title 40, unless there is
17 created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

18 A. There is hereby established the "Oklahoma Department of Labor
19 Occupational License Database".

20 B. The Department of Labor shall develop and maintain an online
21 website that allows public access to all occupational licenses and
22 certifications required by the state. The site shall include
23 functionality allowing site visitors to search by each occupation
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1 and view the requirements, qualifications and fees associated with
2 each occupation.

3 C. The Department of Labor shall promulgate rules by which each
4 state agency, board or commission or any other entity that regulates
5 an occupation in this state shall submit a searchable electronic
6 version of the following information related to the licensure or
7 certification of the occupation:

8 1. Qualifications;

9 2. Licenses or certifications issued;

10 3. Fees;

11 4. Examinations;

12 5. Continuing education;

13 6. Reciprocity;

14 7. Penalties;

15 8. Contact information for the regulating entity; and

16 9. Any other information deemed necessary by the Department of
17 Labor to carry out the provisions of this section.

18 D. Each state agency, board or commission or any other entity
19 that regulates an occupation in this state shall comply with
20 procedures promulgated pursuant to the terms of this section.

21 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2018.

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23 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON BANKING AND BUSINESS, dated
24 02/27/2018 - DO PASS.