

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 1st Session of the 56th Legislature (2017)

4 ENGROSSED SENATE
5 BILL NO. 237

 By: Fields and Pittman of the
 Senate

6 and

7 Pfeiffer of the House

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10 An Act relating to historical societies and
11 associations; authorizing Board of Directors of
12 Oklahoma Historical Society to enter into certain
13 contracts and create certain endowment; limiting use
14 of endowment proceeds; providing for codification;
15 and providing an effective date.

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

17 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
18 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1.22 of Title 53, unless there
19 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

20 The Board of Directors of the Oklahoma Historical Society may,
21 at its discretion, contract with other state agencies and/or non-
22 profit organizations to create an irrevocable endowment with
23 associated management and administration costs to trade, sell or
24 barter donated and deaccessioned collection items that do not
 conform to collection policies of the Oklahoma Historical Society.

1 In accordance with the code of ethics established by professional
2 museum management associations, proceeds from the endowment shall be
3 used only for the acquisition, conservation or use of collections at
4 museums, historic sites or research facilities owned and operated by
5 the Oklahoma Historical Society.

6 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2017.
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8 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND BUDGET, dated
9 04/11/2017 - DO PASS.
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