

1 ENGROSSED SENATE  
2 BILL NO. 1905

By: Weaver of the Senate

3 and

4 McBride of the House

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6 An Act relating to public health and safety; amending  
7 63 O.S. 2011, Section 1-210, as amended by Section 1,  
8 Chapter 143, O.S.L. 2018 (63 O.S. Supp. 2019, Section  
9 1-210), which relates to city-county board of health;  
10 modifying certain population requirements;  
11 authorizing creation of city-county board of health  
12 in certain counties; updating statutory language; and  
13 providing an effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 63 O.S. 2011, Section 1-210, as  
16 amended by Section 1, Chapter 143, O.S.L. 2018 (63 O.S. Supp. 2019,  
17 Section 1-210), is amended to read as follows:

18 Section 1-210. ~~Prior to November 1, 2018, there~~ A. There is  
19 hereby created in any county of ~~the State of Oklahoma~~ this state  
20 with a population of more than ~~two hundred twenty-five thousand~~  
21 ~~(225,000)~~ five hundred thousand (500,000), according to the latest  
22 Federal Decennial Census, ~~and containing within its boundaries a~~  
23 ~~city with a population of more than one hundred fifty thousand~~  
24 ~~(150,000), according to the latest Federal Decennial Census, a city-~~  
county board of health composed of nine (9) members. ~~Beginning on~~  
~~and after November 1, 2018, a county board of health may create in~~

1 ~~any county of the State of Oklahoma with a population of more than~~  
2 ~~two hundred twenty-five thousand (225,000), according to the latest~~  
3 ~~Federal Decennial Census, and containing within its boundaries a~~  
4 ~~city with a population of more than one hundred fifty thousand~~  
5 ~~(150,000), according to the latest Federal Decennial Census, a city-~~  
6 ~~county board of health composed of nine (9) members.~~

7     B. The membership of the ~~Board~~ board shall be composed of five  
8 ~~(5)~~ members appointed by the city council of such city, or city  
9 commission, whichever applies, and four members appointed by the  
10 board of county commissioners of such county. Each member shall  
11 serve a term of six (6) years, except, that of the members initially  
12 appointed by the city council, or city commission, whichever  
13 applies, one member initially appointed shall serve a term of two  
14 (2) years, one member initially appointed shall serve a term of  
15 three (3) years, one member initially appointed shall serve a term  
16 of four (4) years, one member initially appointed shall serve a term  
17 of five (5) years, and one member initially appointed shall serve a  
18 term of six (6) years; provided, however, that in any such city  
19 having a city board of health created under its charter provisions,  
20 the members of such city board of health and the tenure of the city  
21 board of health members of the city-county board of health shall be  
22 coterminous with the city board of health. Of the members initially  
23 appointed by the board of county commissioners, one member initially  
24 appointed shall serve a term of two (2) years, one member initially

1 appointed shall serve a term of three (3) years, one member  
2 initially appointed shall serve a term of five (5) years, and one  
3 member initially appointed shall serve a term of six (6) years. The  
4 appointing authority shall appoint new members as the terms of  
5 office of its initial appointees expire. Wherever a city-county  
6 board of health is now in existence, the current board members shall  
7 be retained, until the termination of their present appointment, by  
8 the appointing authorities.

9 C. A county board of health in any county of this state with a  
10 population of more than two hundred twenty-five thousand (225,000),  
11 but not more than five hundred thousand (500,000), according to the  
12 latest Federal Decennial Census, may create a city-county board of  
13 health as provided in this section composed of members as provided  
14 by Section 1-201 of this title.

15 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2020.  
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1 Passed the Senate the 4th day of March, 2020.

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4 Presiding Officer of the Senate

5 Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
6 2020.

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