

## FLOOR AMENDMENT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:

CHAIR:

I move to amend HB1229

Page 2-25 Sections 1,2,3,4,5 & 6 Lines                       
Of the printed Bill  
Of the Engrossed Bill

By deleting Section 1 through 6 in their entirety and renumbering the subsequent sections; and

On Page 26, Section 7, Lines 5-6, by deleting and striking the words "State Board of Education" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability"; and

On Page 26, Line 6, by striking the words "Statewide Virtual Charter School" and adding in lieu thereof the words "Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability"; and

On Page 26, Line 13, by striking the word "Board" and adding in lieu thereof the word "Commission"; and

On Page 26, Line 14, by restoring the stricken words "mission of the";

On Page 26, Line 15, by deleting the words "oversight of virtual charter schools" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability"; and

On Pages 26-29, by deleting Sections 8 through 10 in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following language:

(and renumbering the subsequent sections)

### AMEND TITLE TO CONFORM TO AMENDMENTS

Amendment submitted by: Toni Hasenbeck

Adopted: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Reading Clerk

1 "SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 1, Chapter 223, O.S.L.  
2 2012 (70 O.S. Supp. 2019, Section 3-116.2), is amended to read as  
3 follows:

4 Section 3-116.2 A. Effective January 1, 2013, there is hereby  
5 created the Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability.

6 ~~The~~ Until July 1, 2020, the membership of the Commission shall  
7 consist of:

8 1. The Secretary of Education, who shall serve as the chair of  
9 the Commission;

10 2. One member appointed by the Governor, with the advice and  
11 consent of the Senate, representing business and industry from an  
12 Oklahoma employer with five hundred (500) or fewer employees;

13 3. One member, appointed by the Governor, with the advice and  
14 consent of the Senate, who is a parent of a child enrolled in a  
15 public school in this state;

16 4. One member, appointed by the Governor, with the advice and  
17 consent of the Senate, who is an administrator of a public school  
18 district;

19 5. One member, appointed by the Governor, with the advice and  
20 consent of the Senate, who shall represent higher education teacher  
21 education programs;

22 6. One member appointed by the Governor, with the advice and  
23 consent of the Senate, who shall be an active classroom teacher in  
24 kindergarten through grade six; and

1        7. One member appointed by the Governor, with the advice and  
2 consent of the Senate, who shall be an active classroom teacher in  
3 grades seven through twelve.

4        The terms of the initial appointed members shall commence on  
5 January 1, 2013, and shall end on June 30, 2014. The terms of  
6 subsequently appointed members shall commence on July 1 of each year  
7 following the election of the Governor thereafter and shall be for  
8 four (4) years. If a vacancy occurs, the vacancy shall be filled  
9 for the unexpired term in the same manner as the office was  
10 previously filled.

11        B. Effective July 1, 2020, the membership of the Commission  
12 shall consist of the following nine (9) members:

13        1. Five members appointed by the Governor;

14        2. Two members appointed by the Speaker of the House of  
15 Representatives; and

16        3. Two members appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the  
17 Senate.

18        C. Each member shall serve at the pleasure of his or her  
19 appointing authority and may be removed or replaced without cause.

20 Any member of the Commission shall be prohibited from voting on any  
21 issue in which the member has a direct financial interest.

22        D. A quorum of the Commission, which shall consist of four  
23 members, shall be present in order for the Commission to transact  
24 any business. Members shall be reimbursed for travel in the

1 performance of their official duties in accordance with the State  
2 Travel Reimbursement Act.

3 ~~C. Prior to July 1, 2013, the Commission shall meet to organize~~  
4 ~~and plan for the assumption of the powers and duties of the~~  
5 ~~Education Oversight Board and the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher~~  
6 ~~Preparation.~~

7 ~~D.~~ E. Beginning July 1, 2013, the Commission shall assume the  
8 following duties:

9 1. Oversee implementation of the provisions of Enrolled House  
10 Bill No. 1017 of the 1st Extraordinary Session of the 42nd Oklahoma  
11 Legislature;

12 2. Implementation of the provisions of the Oklahoma Teacher  
13 Preparation Act as provided for in law;

14 3. Make recommendations to the Governor and Legislature on  
15 methods to achieve an aligned, seamless system from preschool  
16 through postsecondary education; and

17 4. Set performance levels and corresponding cut scores pursuant  
18 to the Oklahoma School Testing Program Act and as provided for in  
19 Section 1210.541 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

20 ~~E.~~ F. Beginning July 1, 2013, the Commission shall govern the  
21 operation of the Office of Educational Quality and Accountability  
22 created in Section 3-117 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

23 ~~F.~~ G. 1. Beginning July 1, 2014, the Commission shall assume  
24 the following duties of the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher

Preparation according to the provisions of the Oklahoma Teacher  
Preparation Act:

- a. approval and accreditation of teacher education  
programs, and
- b. assessment of candidates for licensure and  
certification.

2. To implement the provisions of this subsection the  
Commission shall:

- a. include the State Board of Education in the process,
- b. review and assess approved, accredited and new  
programs of teacher education, and
- c. encourage studies and research designed to improve  
teacher education.

H. Beginning July 1, 2020, the Commission may renegotiate  
contracts with each statewide virtual charter school which has been  
approved and sponsored by the Statewide Virtual Charter School Board  
or any virtual charter school for which the Statewide Virtual  
Charter School Board has assumed sponsorship.

SECTION 2. AMENDATORY Section 2, Chapter 223, O.S.L.  
2012 (70 O.S. Supp. 2019, Section 3-116.3), is amended to read as  
follows:

Section 3-116.3 A. As of July 1, 2013, all references to the  
Education Oversight Board shall mean the Commission for Educational  
Quality and Accountability.

1 B. As of July 1, 2013, all references to the Office of  
2 Accountability shall mean the Office of Educational Quality and  
3 Accountability.

4 C. As of July 1, 2014, all references to the Oklahoma  
5 Commission for Teacher Preparation shall mean the Commission for  
6 Educational Quality and Accountability.

7 D. As of July 1, 2020, all references to the Statewide Virtual  
8 Charter School Board shall mean the Commission for Educational  
9 Quality and Accountability.

10 SECTION 3. AMENDATORY Section 3, Chapter 223, O.S.L.  
11 2012 (70 O.S. Supp. 2019, Section 3-116.4), is amended to read as  
12 follows:

13 Section 3-116.4 A. On July 1, 2014, the Oklahoma Commission  
14 for Teacher Preparation shall be placed under the authority of the  
15 Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability. Except as  
16 otherwise provided for in this section, the transfer shall include  
17 all real property, buildings, furniture, equipment, supplies,  
18 records, personnel, assets, current and future liabilities, fund  
19 balances, encumbrances, obligations, and indebtedness associated  
20 with the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Preparation.

21 B. All employees of the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher  
22 Preparation on July 1, 2014, including related liabilities for sick  
23 leave, annual leave, holidays, unemployment benefits, and workers'  
24 compensation benefits accruing prior to July 1, 2014, to such

1 personnel shall be transferred to the Commission for Educational  
2 Quality and Accountability as of July 1, 2014. It is the intent of  
3 the Legislature that, to the extent possible, the Commission ensure  
4 that the employees retain pay and benefits, as much as possible,  
5 including longevity, dependent insurance benefits, seniority,  
6 rights, and other privileges or benefits.

7 C. Appropriate conveyances and other documents shall be  
8 executed by January 1, 2015, to effectuate the transfer of property  
9 owned by the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Preparation to the  
10 Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability.

11 D. Any monies donated or accruing to or in the name of the  
12 Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Preparation after July 1, 2014,  
13 shall be transferred to the Commission for Educational Quality and  
14 Accountability. Any other monies from appropriations, fees,  
15 licenses, fines, penalties, or other similar types of monies that  
16 accrue in any funds or accounts after July 1, 2014, in the name of  
17 the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Preparation or maintained for  
18 the benefit of the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Preparation are  
19 transferred to the Commission.

20 E. The Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability  
21 shall succeed to any contractual rights and responsibilities  
22 incurred by the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Preparation.

23 F. The rules of the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Preparation  
24 that are in effect on July 1, 2014, shall be enforceable by the

1 Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability until the  
2 Commission establishes rules.

3 G. The Statewide Virtual Charter School Board is hereby  
4 abolished. On July 1, 2020, all duties, powers, liabilities and  
5 property of the Statewide Virtual Charter School Board shall be  
6 transferred to the Commission for Educational Quality and  
7 Accountability. Except as otherwise provided for in this section,  
8 the transfer shall include all real property, buildings, furniture,  
9 equipment, supplies, records, personnel, assets, current and future  
10 liabilities, fund balances, encumbrances, obligations and  
11 indebtedness associated with the Statewide Virtual Charter School  
12 Board.

13 H. All employees of the Statewide Virtual Charter School Board  
14 on July 1, 2020, including related liabilities for sick leave,  
15 annual leave, holidays, unemployment benefits and workers'  
16 compensation benefits accruing prior to July 1, 2020, to such  
17 personnel shall be transferred to the Commission for Educational  
18 Quality and Accountability as of July 1, 2020. It is the intent of  
19 the Legislature that the Commission ensure that the employees retain  
20 pay and benefits including longevity, dependent insurance benefits,  
21 seniority, rights and other privileges or benefits.

22 I. Appropriate conveyances and other documents shall be  
23 executed by January 1, 2021, to effectuate the transfer of property  
24



1 owned by Statewide Virtual Charter School Board to the Commission  
2 for Educational Quality and Accountability.

3 J. Any monies donated or accruing to or in the name of the  
4 Statewide Virtual Charter School Board after July 1, 2020, shall be  
5 transferred to the Commission for Educational Quality and  
6 Accountability. Any other monies from appropriations, fees,  
7 licenses, fines, penalties or other similar types of monies that  
8 accrue in any funds or accounts after July 1, 2020, in the name of  
9 the Statewide Virtual Charter School Board or maintained for the  
10 benefit of the Statewide Virtual Charter School Board are  
11 transferred to the Commission.

12 K. The Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability  
13 shall succeed to any contractual rights and responsibilities  
14 incurred by the Statewide Virtual Charter School Board.

15 L. The rules of the Statewide Virtual Charter School Board that  
16 are in effect on July 1, 2020, shall be enforceable by the  
17 Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability until the  
18 Commission establishes rules.

19 SECTION 4. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2011, Section 3-117, as  
20 amended by Section 5, Chapter 223, O.S.L. 2012 (70 O.S. Supp. 2019,  
21 Section 3-117), is amended to read as follows:

22 Section 3-117. A. There is hereby created the Office of  
23 Educational Quality and Accountability. ~~The Office of Educational~~  
24 ~~Quality and Accountability, its personnel, budget, and expenditure~~

1 ~~of funds shall be solely under the direction of the Commission for~~  
2 ~~Educational Quality and Accountability. The Commission shall~~  
3 ~~demonstrate a savings of fifteen percent (15%) by merging the former~~  
4 ~~Office of Accountability into the Office of Educational Quality and~~  
5 ~~Accountability. The Administrator of the Office of Educational~~  
6 Quality and Accountability shall have the training and experience  
7 necessary for the administration of the agency. The Administrator  
8 shall be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of  
9 the Senate and shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor and may  
10 be removed or replaced without cause. Compensation for the  
11 Administrator shall be determined by the Governor. The  
12 Administrator may be removed from office by a two-thirds (2/3) vote  
13 of the members elected to and constituting each chamber of the  
14 Legislature.

15 B. The Administrator of the Office of Educational Quality and  
16 Accountability shall be the chief executive officer of the agency  
17 and shall act for the agency in all matters except as may be  
18 otherwise provided by law. The powers and duties of the  
19 Administrator shall include but not be limited to:

- 20 1. Supervision of the activities of the agency;
- 21 2. Formulation and recommendation of rules for approval or  
22 rejection by the Commission for Educational Quality and  
23 Accountability;

1        3. Preparation of the plans, reports and proposals required by  
2 the Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability, other  
3 reports as necessary and appropriate, and an annual budget for the  
4 review and approval of the Commission; and

5        4. Employment of such staff as may be necessary to perform the  
6 duties of the agency.

7        SECTION 5.        AMENDATORY        70 O.S. 2011, Section 3-118, as  
8 last amended by Section 591, Chapter 304, O.S.L. 2012 (70 O.S. Supp.  
9 2019, Section 3-118), is amended to read as follows:

10       Section 3-118. The Secretary of Education shall:

11       1. ~~Oversee the Office of Educational Quality and~~  
12 ~~Accountability;~~

13       2. ~~Employ necessary personnel according to procedures~~  
14 ~~established for the employment of personnel by the Office of~~  
15 ~~Management and Enterprise Services;~~

16       3. Monitor the efforts of the public school districts to comply  
17 with the provisions of this act and of Enrolled Senate Bill No. 183  
18 of the 1st Session of the 42nd Oklahoma Legislature which relate to  
19 common education;

20       4. 2. Identify districts not making satisfactory progress  
21 toward compliance with the provisions and recommend appropriate  
22 corrective actions to the State Board of Education concerning each  
23 district so identified;

1       ~~5. Have executive responsibility for the Oklahoma Educational~~  
2 ~~Indicators Program and the annual report required pursuant to~~  
3 ~~Section 1210.531 of this title;~~

4       ~~6.~~ 3. Review and make periodic public comment on the progress  
5 and effectiveness of the State Board and State Department of  
6 Education, the Office of the State Superintendent of Public  
7 Instruction, other bodies created by this act, and the public  
8 schools of this state concerning the implementation of the  
9 provisions of this act and of Enrolled Senate Bill No. 183 of the  
10 1st Session of the 42nd Oklahoma Legislature which relate to common  
11 education;

12       ~~7.~~ 4. Analyze the revenues for all systems of education and the  
13 expenditure of common education revenue, giving close attention to  
14 expenditures for administrative expenses relating to the common  
15 schools;

16       ~~8.~~ 5. Make reports to the public concerning these matters  
17 whenever appropriate; and

18       ~~9.~~ 6. Submit recommendations regarding funding for education or  
19 statutory changes to the Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
20 the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Governor whenever  
21 appropriate.

22       SECTION 6.       AMENDATORY       Section 5, Chapter 367, O.S.L.  
23 2012, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 272, O.S.L. 2019 (70  
24 O.S. Supp. 2019, Section 3-145.3), is amended to read as follows:

1       Section 3-145.3 A. Subject to the requirements of the Oklahoma  
2 Charter Schools Act, the ~~Statewide Virtual Charter School Board~~  
3 Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability shall:

4       1. Provide oversight of the operations of statewide virtual  
5 charter schools in this state;

6       2. Establish a procedure for accepting, approving and  
7 disapproving statewide virtual charter school applications and a  
8 process for renewal or revocation of approved charter school  
9 contracts which minimally meet the procedures set forth in the  
10 Oklahoma Charter Schools Act;

11       3. Make publicly available a list of supplemental online  
12 courses which have been reviewed and certified by the Statewide  
13 Virtual Charter School Board to ensure that the courses are high  
14 quality options and are aligned with the subject matter standards  
15 adopted by the State Board of Education pursuant to Section 11-103.6  
16 of this title. The ~~Statewide Virtual Charter School Board~~  
17 Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability shall give  
18 special emphasis on listing supplemental online courses in science,  
19 technology, engineering and math (STEM), foreign language and  
20 advanced placement courses. School districts shall not be limited  
21 to selecting supplemental online courses that have been reviewed and  
22 certified by the ~~Statewide Virtual Charter School Board~~ Commission  
23 for Educational Quality and Accountability and listed as provided  
24 for in this paragraph; and

1        4. In conjunction with the Office of Management and Enterprise  
2 Services, negotiate and enter into contracts with supplemental  
3 online course providers to offer a state rate price to school  
4 districts for supplemental online courses that have been reviewed  
5 and certified by the ~~Statewide Virtual Charter School Board~~  
6 Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability and listed as  
7 provided for in paragraph 3 of this subsection.

8        B. Each statewide virtual charter school which has been  
9 approved and sponsored by the Board or any virtual charter school  
10 for which the Board has assumed sponsorship of as provided for in  
11 Section 3-145.5 of this title shall be considered a statewide  
12 virtual charter school and the geographic boundaries of each  
13 statewide virtual charter school shall be the borders of the state.

14        C. Each statewide virtual charter school approved by the  
15 ~~Statewide Virtual Charter School Board~~ Commission for Educational  
16 Quality and Accountability shall be eligible to receive federal  
17 funds generated by students enrolled in the charter school for the  
18 applicable year. Each statewide virtual charter school shall be  
19 considered a separate local education agency for purposes of  
20 reporting and accountability.

21        D. As calculated as provided for in Section 3-142 of this  
22 title, a statewide virtual charter school shall receive the State  
23 Aid allocation and any other state-appropriated revenue generated by  
24 students enrolled in the virtual charter school for the applicable

1 year, less up to five percent (5%) of the State Aid allocation,  
2 which may be retained by the ~~Statewide Virtual Charter School Board~~  
3 Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability for  
4 administrative expenses and to support the mission of the Board. A  
5 statewide virtual charter school shall be eligible for any other  
6 funding any other charter school is eligible for as provided for in  
7 Section 3-142 of this title. Each statewide virtual charter school  
8 shall be considered a separate local education agency for purposes  
9 of reporting and accountability.

10 E. A virtual charter school shall be subject to the same  
11 reporting requirements, financial audits, audit procedures and audit  
12 requirements as a school district. The State Department of  
13 Education or State Auditor and Inspector may conduct financial,  
14 program or compliance audits. A virtual charter school shall use  
15 the Oklahoma Cost Accounting System (OCAS) to report financial  
16 transactions to the State Department of Education.

17 F. A virtual charter school governing body shall be responsible  
18 for the policies that govern the operational decisions of the  
19 virtual charter school. The governing body of a virtual charter  
20 school shall be subject to the same conflict of interest  
21 requirements as a member of a local school board including, but not  
22 limited to, Sections 5-113 and 5-124 of this title. Members  
23 appointed to the governing body of a virtual charter school after  
24 July 1, 2019, shall be subject to the same instruction and

1 continuing education requirements as a member of a local school  
2 board and pursuant to Section 5-110 of this title, complete twelve  
3 (12) hours of instruction within fifteen (15) months of appointment  
4 to the governing body, and pursuant to Section 5-110.1 of this  
5 title, attend continuing education.

6 G. Students enrolled full-time in a statewide virtual charter  
7 school sponsored by the ~~Statewide Virtual Charter School Board~~  
8 Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability shall not be  
9 authorized to participate in any activities administered by the  
10 Oklahoma Secondary Schools Activities Association. However, the  
11 students may participate in intramural activities sponsored by a  
12 statewide virtual charter school, an online provider for the charter  
13 school or any other outside organization.

14 ~~H. The decision of the Statewide Virtual Charter School Board~~  
15 ~~to deny, nonrenew or terminate the charter contract of a statewide~~  
16 ~~virtual charter school may be appealed to the State Board of~~  
17 ~~Education within thirty (30) days of the decision by the Statewide~~  
18 ~~Virtual Charter School Board. The State Board of Education shall~~  
19 ~~act on the appeal within sixty (60) days of receipt of the request~~  
20 ~~from the statewide virtual charter school applicant. The State~~  
21 ~~Board of Education may reverse the decision of the Statewide Virtual~~  
22 ~~Charter School Board or may remand the matter back to the Statewide~~  
23 ~~Virtual Charter School Board for further proceeding as directed.~~



1       SECTION 7.       AMENDATORY       Section 7, Chapter 367, O.S.L.

2   2012, as amended by Section 7, Chapter 212, O.S.L. 2013 (70 O.S.  
3   Supp. 2019, Section 3-145.5), is amended to read as follows:

4       Section 3-145.5   A.   Notwithstanding any other provision of law,  
5   beginning July 1, 2014, no school district shall offer full-time  
6   virtual education to students who are not residents of the school  
7   district or enter into a virtual charter school contract with a  
8   provider to provide full-time virtual education to students who do  
9   not reside within the school district boundaries.

10       B.   Effective July 1, 2014, the ~~Statewide Virtual Charter School~~  
11   ~~Board~~ Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability shall  
12   succeed to any contractual rights and responsibilities incurred by a  
13   school district in a virtual charter school contract executed prior  
14   to January 1, 2014, with a provider to provide full-time virtual  
15   education to students who do not reside within the school district  
16   boundaries. All property, equipment, supplies, records, assets,  
17   current and future liability, encumbrances, obligations and  
18   indebtedness associated with the contract shall be transferred to  
19   the ~~Statewide Virtual Charter School Board~~ Commission for  
20   Educational Quality and Accountability. Appropriate conveyances and  
21   other documents shall be executed to effectuate the transfer of any  
22   property associated with the contract. Upon succession of the  
23   contract, the ~~Board~~ Commission shall assume sponsorship of the  
24   virtual charter school for the remainder of the term of the

1 contract. Prior to the end of the current term of the contract, the  
2 ~~Board~~ Commission shall allow the provider of the virtual charter  
3 school to apply for renewal of the contract with the ~~Board~~  
4 Commission in accordance with the renewal procedures established  
5 pursuant to Section 3-145.3 of this title.

6 SECTION 8. AMENDATORY Section 1, Chapter 247, O.S.L.  
7 2017 (70 O.S. Supp. 2019, Section 3-145.8), is amended to read as  
8 follows:

9 Section 3-145.8 A. It shall be the duty of each virtual  
10 charter school approved and sponsored by the ~~Statewide Virtual~~  
11 ~~Charter School Board~~ Commission for Educational Quality and  
12 Accountability pursuant to the provisions of Section 3-145.3 of  
13 Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes to keep a full and complete record  
14 of the attendance of all students enrolled in the virtual charter  
15 school in one of the student information systems approved by the  
16 State Department of Education and locally selected by the virtual  
17 school from the approved list.

18 B. By July 1, 2018, the governing body of each virtual charter  
19 school shall adopt an attendance policy. The policy may allow  
20 attendance to be a proportional amount of the required attendance  
21 policy provisions based upon the date of enrollment of the student.  
22 The attendance policy shall include the following provisions:

23 1. A student who attends a virtual charter school shall be  
24 considered in attendance for a quarter if the student:

- a. completes instructional activities on no less than ninety percent (90%) of the days within the quarter,
- b. is on pace for on-time completion of the course as defined by the governing board of the virtual charter school, or
- c. completes no less than forty instructional activities within the quarter of the academic year.

2. For a student who does not meet any of the criteria set forth in paragraph 1 of this subsection, the amount of attendance recorded shall be the greater of:

- a. the number of school days during which the student completed the instructional activities during the quarter,
- b. the number of school days proportional to the percentage of the course that has been completed, or
- c. the number of school days proportional to the percentage of the required minimum number of completed instructional activities during the quarter.

C. For the purposes of this section, "instructional activities" shall include but not be limited to online logins to curriculum or programs offered by the virtual charter school, offline activities, completed assignments, testing, face-to-face communications with virtual charter school staff or service providers or meetings with

1 virtual charter school staff or service providers via  
2 teleconference, videoconference, email, text or phone.

3 D. The virtual charter school shall submit a notification to  
4 the parent or legal guardian of a student who has been withdrawn for  
5 truancy or is approaching truancy.

6 E. The ~~Statewide Virtual Charter School Board~~ Commission for  
7 Educational Quality and Accountability may promulgate rules to  
8 implement the provisions of this section.

9 SECTION 9. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2011, Section 1210.531, as  
10 amended by Section 14, Chapter 223, O.S.L. 2012 (70 O.S. Supp. 2019,  
11 Section 1210.531), is amended to read as follows:

12 Section 1210.531 A. The Commission for Educational Quality and  
13 Accountability shall establish an Oklahoma Educational Indicators  
14 Program. The purpose of the Program shall be to develop and  
15 implement a system of measures whereby the performance of public  
16 schools and school districts is assessed and reported without undue  
17 reliance upon any single type of indicator, and whereby the public,  
18 including students and parents, may be made aware of the proper  
19 meaning and use of any tests administered under the Oklahoma School  
20 Testing Program Act, relative accomplishments of the public schools,  
21 and of progress being achieved. The Commission shall involve  
22 representatives of school teachers and of school administrators in  
23 the development of the Program. The Program shall be so designed  
24 that use of standardized definitions and measures and opportunities

1 for coordination with national reports, including those of the  
2 National Assessment of Educational Progress, are maximized.

3 B. The Oklahoma Educational Indicators Program shall present  
4 information for comparisons of graduation rates, dropout rates,  
5 pupil-teacher ratios, student enrollment gain and loss rates, and  
6 test results in the contexts of socioeconomic status and the  
7 finances of school districts. Information shall be provided  
8 individually for all public school sites and school districts in a  
9 format that facilitates comparisons. As necessary data become  
10 available, comparisons shall also be provided individually for all  
11 schools and school districts on a historical basis. Reports of all  
12 tests administered pursuant to the Oklahoma School Testing Program  
13 Act shall be a part of the Oklahoma Educational Indicators Program  
14 and shall be provided for each grade and each test subject or set of  
15 competencies. Test results for students enrolled in Internet-based  
16 courses, including regularly enrolled and alternative education  
17 students, shall be disaggregated and reported. The Commission for  
18 Educational Quality and Accountability shall seek to develop and  
19 incorporate additional indicators of comparative standing and  
20 accomplishment.

21 C. Additionally, the Commission for Educational Quality and  
22 Accountability, with the cooperation of the State Department of  
23 Education, the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, and the  
24 State Board of Career and Technology Education, shall develop

1 procedures for obtaining and reporting data to the high schools and  
2 to the general public regarding the performance of each high  
3 school's graduates in Oklahoma's institutions of higher education  
4 and in postsecondary vocational-technical education. The Commission  
5 for Educational Quality and Accountability shall include such data  
6 in the report of the Oklahoma Educational Indicators Program. The  
7 State Department of Education shall make all its data available to  
8 the Office of Educational Quality and Accountability annually.

9 D. By February 1 of each year the Commission for Educational  
10 Quality and Accountability shall publish:

11 1. A summary report to the people and Legislature of Oklahoma  
12 of the information provided by the Oklahoma Educational Indicators  
13 Program; and

14 2. State, district, and site level reports which shall include  
15 the percentage of students who perform at the various levels on the  
16 tests required by the Oklahoma State Testing Program.

17 Immediately following the publication of the reports required in  
18 this subsection each year, all data gathered pursuant to the  
19 Oklahoma Educational Indicators Program shall be made available for  
20 public inspection at the Office of Educational Quality and  
21 Accountability. The confidentiality of individual student and  
22 personnel records shall be preserved as required by law.

23 SECTION 10. REPEALER Section 3, Chapter 367, O.S.L.  
24 2012, as amended by Section 4, Chapter 212, O.S.L. 2013, Section 4,

1 Chapter 367, O.S.L. 2012 and Section 6, Chapter 367, O.S.L. 2012, as  
2 amended by Section 6, Chapter 212, O.S.L. 2013 (70 O.S. Supp. 2019,  
3 Sections 3-145.1, 3-145.2 and 3-145.4), are hereby repealed.

4 SECTION 11. It being immediately necessary for the preservation  
5 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby  
6 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and  
7 be in full force from and after its passage and approval."

8

9 57-2-10869 AMM 02/21/20

10

11

12

13

14

15

16

17

18

19

20

21

22

23

24