

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 57th Legislature (2020)

HOUSE BILL 3009

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to statutes and reports; amending 75 O.S. 2011, Section 255, which relates to the Administrative Procedures Act; making distribution of The Oklahoma Register permissive; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 75 O.S. 2011, Section 255, is amended to read as follows:

Section 255. A. 1. The Secretary is hereby authorized, directed, and empowered to publish "The Oklahoma Register" not less than monthly for the publication of new rules, any amendment, revision or revocation of an existing rule, emergency rules, any notices of such rulemaking process and Executive Orders as are required by law to be published in "The Oklahoma Register". Said rules or amendments, revisions, or revocations of existing rules shall be published in the first issue of "The Oklahoma Register" ~~published~~ pursuant to Sections 251, 253, 256, 303, 303.1, ~~303.2~~ and 308 of this title after the date of acceptance by the Secretary.

1 2. The Secretary ~~shall~~ may cause a copy of each publication of
2 "The Oklahoma Register" to be sent to those county clerks who
3 request it, to members of the Legislature upon request, and to such
4 other agencies, libraries, and officials as the Secretary may
5 select. The Secretary may charge recipients of the publication a
6 cost sufficient to defray the cost of publication and mailing.

7 3. The Secretary shall cause a copy of all rules, all new
8 rules, and all amendments, revisions, or revocations of existing
9 rules to be on file and available for public examination in the
10 Office during normal office hours.

11 4. The Secretary shall promulgate rules to systematize the
12 designations of rules. To establish said system or to preserve
13 uniformity of designations, the Secretary may require the agency to
14 change the title or numbering of any rule or any amendment,
15 revision, or revocation thereof.

16 B. The Secretary is authorized to provide for the publication
17 of rules in summary form when the rules are of such length that
18 publication of the full text would be too costly. The summary shall
19 be prepared by the agency submitting the rules and shall state where
20 the full text of the rule may be obtained.

21 C. The notice required pursuant to the provisions of Section
22 303 of this title shall be published in "The Oklahoma Register"
23 prior to the adoption of a new rule, or amendment, revision or
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1 revocation of any existing rule. The notice shall include the
2 information required by Section 303 of this title.

3 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2020.
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