

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE BILL 3257

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to school expenditures; defining
8 instructional expenditure; requiring the reporting or
9 publishing of certain categories; providing for
codification; providing an effective date; and
declaring an emergency.

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

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-125 of Title 70, unless there
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. As used in this section, "instructional expenditure" shall
17 mean expenditures for instruction and instructional staff support
18 services, including those that directly relate to providing
19 instruction, and for activities that assist with classroom
20 instruction.

21 B. Instructional expenditures shall include expenditures
22 related to:

23 1. Salaries and benefits for teachers, teaching assistants,
24 librarians, library aides and in-service teacher trainers;

1 2. Curriculum development;

2 3. Student assessments;

3 4. Technology for students;

4 5. Supplies; and

5 6. Purchased services related to expenditures referenced in
6 paragraphs 1 through 5 of this subsection.

7 C. The provisions of subsection A of this section shall apply
8 when related to the expenditure of public funds by school districts.
9 When reporting or publishing the instructional expenditures for any
10 purpose, the State Department of Education shall also report or
11 publish each category of instructional expenditure as listed in
12 subsection B of this section as well as the aggregate instructional
13 expenditure.

14 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2020.

15 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
16 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
17 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
18 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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