

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE  
2 BILL NO. 1026

By: Worthen of the House

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4 Montgomery of the Senate

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7 An Act relating to Council on Law Enforcement  
8 Education and Training; amending Section 1, Chapter  
9 168, O.S.L. 2018 (70 O.S. Supp. 2020, Section  
10 3311.16), which relates to authority of CLEET to  
11 conduct training; allowing CLEET to establish and  
12 certify certain programs at technology center  
13 schools; updating language and internal citations;  
14 and providing an effective date.

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

16 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 1, Chapter 168, O.S.L.  
17 2018 (70 O.S. Supp. 2020, Section 3311.16), is amended to read as  
18 follows:

19 Section 3311.16 A. 1. The Council on Law Enforcement  
20 Education and Training (CLEET) is authorized to conduct full-time  
21 Basic Peace Officer Certification Academies and other law  
22 enforcement related training for individuals not commissioned or  
23 appointed by a law enforcement agency under rules established by the  
24 Council.

2. CLEET may establish and certify additional law enforcement  
and criminal justice programs at state-supported technology center

1 schools in the State of Oklahoma operating under the State Board of  
2 Career and Technology Education for teaching students between  
3 sixteen (16) and nineteen (19) years of age. The tuition or fees  
4 for law enforcement and criminal justice-related programs shall be  
5 similar in cost as other vocational and technical education courses  
6 and subjects offered at technology center schools and shall be  
7 determined by the State Board of Career and Technology Education.

8 B. The tuition ~~and/or~~ or fees for attending the Basic Peace  
9 Officer Certification Academies ~~and/or~~ or other law enforcement  
10 related training will be at a rate established by CLEET and approved  
11 by the Council. Tuition ~~and/or~~ or fees charged under this section  
12 ~~will~~ shall be deposited in the Peace Officer Revolving Fund  
13 established in Section 3311.7 of ~~Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes~~  
14 this title.

15 C. Individuals not commissioned or appointed by a law  
16 enforcement agency who are trained in the Basic Peace Officer  
17 Certification Academies ~~will~~ shall be required to meet minimum  
18 requirements established for peace officers as set forth in Section  
19 3311 of ~~Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes~~ this title. Any fees  
20 relating to meeting these requirements shall be the responsibility  
21 of the individual. Individuals applying for the Academies ~~will~~  
22 shall be required to submit a fingerprint check to CLEET prior to  
23 acceptance.

1 D. The Council is authorized to promulgate emergency rules to  
2 effectuate the provisions of this ~~subsection~~ section.

3 E. Upon successful completion of the Basic Peace Officer  
4 Certification Academy, ~~the individual's~~ CLEET certification ~~will~~ of  
5 the individual shall become effective upon employment by an Oklahoma  
6 law enforcement agency. Employment and certification must be  
7 obtained within two (2) years of completion of the Basic Peace  
8 Officer Certification Academy.

9 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2021.

10 Passed the House of Representatives the 8th day of March, 2021.

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13 Presiding Officer of the House  
14 of Representatives

15 Passed the Senate the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

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