

An Act

ENROLLED HOUSE
BILL NO. 2874

By: Wallace of the House

and

Thompson of the Senate

An Act relating to the University Hospitals Trust; requiring certain annual reports be provided to certain state officials; requiring certain information be included in reports; providing reporting procedures; requiring certain annual confirmation and verifications; requiring increased funding to meet certain position category benchmarks by certain fiscal years; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

SUBJECT: University Hospitals Trust

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 3229 of Title 63, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

With respect to the provisions of paragraph 30 of Section 1356 of Title 68 of the Oklahoma Statutes as amended by Enrolled Senate Bill No. 79 of the 1st Session of the 58th Oklahoma Legislature, the University Hospitals Authority shall report the total value of the sales tax exemption from the prior fiscal year to the Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Chair of the House Appropriations and Budget Committee or successor committee, and the Chair of the Senate Appropriations Committee or successor committee as part of its annual budget and performance review materials submitted for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024, and for fiscal years thereafter. The Authority shall further report the total number of filled resident positions and the number of nursing graduates of the

University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center compared to the baseline numbers for fiscal year 2021 as part of the same report each year. The University Hospitals Trust shall confirm for each fiscal year beginning in fiscal year 2023 that any nonprofit entity which has entered into a joint operating agreement with the Trust and is subject to the provisions of paragraph 30 of Section 1356 of Title 68 of the Oklahoma Statutes has budgeted an amount equal to or greater than the baseline amount for fiscal year 2021 for physician and nursing workforce development, and the Trust shall verify that:

1. The nonprofit entity subject to these provisions has increased funding to the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center College of Medicine in a sufficient amount to support seventy additional medical residency positions by fiscal year 2025 than the baseline amount supported in fiscal year 2021;

2. The nonprofit entity subject to these provisions has increased funding to the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center College of Nursing in a sufficient amount to support fifty additional Nurse Practitioner graduates by fiscal year 2026 than the baseline amount supported in fiscal year 2021; and

3. The nonprofit entity subject to these provisions has increased funding to the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center College of Nursing in a sufficient amount to support one hundred ten additional Registered Nurse graduates by fiscal year 2024 than the baseline amount supported in fiscal year 2021.

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

Passed the House of Representatives the 19th day of May, 2021.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

Passed the Senate the 26th day of May, 2021.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Received by the Office of the Governor this _____

day of _____, 20_____, at _____ o'clock _____ M.

By: _____

Approved by the Governor of the State of Oklahoma this _____

day of _____, 20_____, at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Governor of the State of Oklahoma

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

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By: _____