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COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
FOR

SENATE BILL 1380

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An Act relating to long-term care; directing the State Commissioner of Health to update certain rules; stipulating certain criteria for rules; requiring the Commissioner to consider certain input; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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 1-1908.2 of Title 63, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

For the purpose of modernizing and improving the licensure and regulatory system for intermediate care facilities for individuals with intellectual disabilities (ICFs/IID), on or before the effective date of this act, the State Commissioner of Health shall update rules governing ICFs/IID including, but not limited to, rules pertaining to direct care staffing ratios and direct care staff training and qualifications. Such rules shall consider the standards provided by federal regulation, shall take into account

1 the unique setting of ICFs/IID and the needs of residents served,
2 and may alter requirements or standards based on factors determined
3 by the Commissioner including, but not limited to, size of a
4 facility or acuity of the residents. In promulgating such rules,
5 the Commissioner shall consider input from stakeholders including,
6 but not limited to, associations representing long-term care
7 facilities, staff, or residents.

8 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2024.

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