

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 1525

By: Gollihare of the Senate

3 and

4 Lawson of the House

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6 An Act relating to the Department of Human Services;
7 amending 10 O.S. 2021, Section 1412, which relates to
8 advisory committee on service delivery for persons
9 with developmental disabilities; removing obsolete
10 language; removing certain membership requirement;
11 and providing an effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 10 O.S. 2021, Section 1412, is
14 amended to read as follows:

15 Section 1412. A. The Director of Human Services, ~~who shall not~~
16 ~~be removed from office, except for cause, subject to the approval of~~
17 ~~the Commission for Human Services,~~ shall appoint an advisory
18 committee to advise the ~~Commission and~~ Director on matters relating
19 to service delivery for persons with developmental disabilities.

20 B. Such advisory committee shall include among its members
21 representatives of state agencies and persons representative of
22 professional, civic, or other public or nonprofit private agencies,
23 organizations, or groups concerned with services needed by persons
24 with developmental disabilities, ~~including the parent-guardian~~
~~association of the Northern Oklahoma Resource Center of Enid, the~~

1 ~~Southern Oklahoma Resource Center of Pauls Valley~~, and families of
2 individuals receiving services from the Developmental Disabilities
3 Services Division of the Department of Human Services.

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

5 Passed the Senate the 11th day of March, 2024.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

9 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
10 2024.

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