

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
2 BILL NO. 2374

By: Kannady of the House

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7 An Act relating to education; amending 70 O.S. 2021,
8 Section 3311.17, which relates to technology center
9 schools, law enforcement courses and training, and
10 the Council on Law Enforcement Education and
11 Training; modifying who authorized entities may
12 contract with; and providing an effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2021, Section 3311.17, is
15 amended to read as follows:

16 Section 3311.17 A. Any state-supported technology center
17 school in this state operating under the State Board of Career and
18 Technology Education or any higher education institution in this
19 state shall be authorized to, upon application and approval of the
20 Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training (CLEET), offer
21 courses of study for law enforcement certification, basic peace
22 officer certification academies and other law-enforcement-related
23 training. Commissioned and noncommissioned individuals and those
24 individuals appointed or not appointed by a law enforcement agency
may attend the courses or training offered by the technology center

1 school or higher education institution. CLEET shall vote to approve
2 or deny an application to offer courses or training offered pursuant
3 to this section. Notice of denial of application shall include a
4 clear and concise statement for which the denial is based. The
5 application created by CLEET shall not exceed twenty pages in total
6 form. Courses and training offered by authorized entities shall
7 consist of actual classroom training at each entity location.
8 Authorized entities may contract with CLEET, counties, or
9 municipalities for non-classroom training.

10 B. Any courses or training offered pursuant to this section
11 shall meet minimum standards established for peace officers as set
12 forth in Section 3311 of this title and meet all applicable
13 eligibility requirements for students to receive benefits pursuant
14 to any of the federal G.I. bills. All participants in any courses
15 or training offered pursuant to this section shall be required to
16 submit all background investigation requirements as set forth in
17 Section 3311 of this title.

18 C. Any state-supported technology center school in this state
19 operating under the State Board of Career and Technology Education
20 or any higher education institution in this state shall be
21 authorized to set and administer their own rates for tuition and
22 fees for courses or training offered pursuant to this section.

23 D. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any materials
24 and records provided by CLEET to any institution of higher education

1 or state-supported technology center school conducting a basic law
2 enforcement training shall remain the property of CLEET and retain
3 confidential status and shall not be released except under the
4 conditions contained in Section 24A.8 of Title 51 of the Oklahoma
5 Statutes. In addition, any materials and records provided by any
6 institution of higher education or state-supported technology center
7 school conducting basic law enforcement training to CLEET shall be
8 subject to these same limitations on release. Such materials and
9 records include, but are not limited to, all records maintained
10 pursuant to Section 3311 of this title and records relating to any
11 employed or certified full-time officer, reserve officer, retired
12 officer or other person; teacher lesson plans, tests and other
13 teaching materials; and personal communications concerning
14 individual students except under the circumstances set forth in
15 Section 24A.8 of Title 51 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

16 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2023.
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1 Passed the House of Representatives the 14th day of March, 2023.

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4 Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

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