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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to sex education; amending 25 O.S. 2021, Section 2003, which relates to the Parents' Bill of Rights; providing for parental opt in for child to participate in sex education; providing for parental notification of school choice options; providing for parental opt in for certain instruction; permitting parental appeal of certain information request denial; directing State Board of Education to establish standard appeals process; requiring accreditation deficiency if school is not in compliance; defining terms; establishing school policy prohibiting certain pronouns; providing exceptions for certain disorders; banning requirement of using certain preferred personal title or pronouns; requiring student school records to comply with certain policy; prescribing punishment for changing certain student records; directing boards of education to adopt certain parental notification procedures; prohibiting adoption of certain procedures to discourage parental notification; allowing district to withhold information in certain instances; banning instruction on sexual orientation or gender identity; providing exception; requiring instruction to be age-appropriate or developmentally appropriate; prescribing student support services training to adhere to certain guidelines; mandating annual notification of health care services; providing for parental option to consent or withhold consent; requiring parental permission before administering certain student questionnaire or form; establishing process to address parental concerns; authorizing parent to file civil action; providing for award of damages and other costs and fees; directing school district to publish certain policies on its website; amending 70 O.S. 2021, Section 11-

1 103.3, which relates to AIDS prevention education;
2 prohibiting student from participating in AIDS
3 education without parental permission; amending 70
4 O.S. 2021, Section 11-105.1, which relates to sex
5 education; striking information to be included in
6 curriculum; deleting definition for consent; barring
7 student from participating in sex education without
8 parental permission; directing certain curriculum and
9 materials to be approved annually by the board of
10 education; requiring certain concepts and ideas to be
11 taught in sex education; prohibiting inclusion of
12 certain concepts and ideas in sex education
13 instruction; directing certain concepts in sex
14 education to be emphasized; prescribing who can teach
15 sex education programs; disallowing other
16 organizations from providing sex education; directing
17 certain coordination between the Department of
18 Education and State Textbook Committee; requiring
19 State Textbook Committee to provide instructional
20 material guidelines; directing board of education to
21 review and revise certain policies and procedures;
22 mandating State Board of Education to consider
23 certain compliance when reviewing school
24 accreditation; providing for codification; providing
-- an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 25 O.S. 2021, Section 2003, is
amended to read as follows:

Section 2003. A. The board of education of a school district,
in consultation with parents, teachers and administrators, shall
develop and adopt a policy to promote the involvement of parents and
guardians of children enrolled in the schools within the school
district, including:

1 1. A plan for parent participation in the schools which is
2 designed to improve parent and teacher cooperation in ~~such~~ areas
3 such as homework, attendance, and discipline;

4 2. Procedures by which parents may learn about the course of
5 study for their children and review learning materials, including
6 the source of any supplemental educational materials;

7 3. Procedures by which parents who object to any learning
8 material or activity on the basis that it is harmful may withdraw
9 their children from the activity or from the class or program in
10 which the material is used. Objection to a learning material or
11 activity on the basis that it is harmful includes objection to a
12 material or activity because it questions beliefs or practices in
13 sex, morality or religion;

14 4. If a school district offers any sex education curricula
15 pursuant to Section 11-105.1 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes or
16 pursuant to any rules adopted by the State Board of Education,
17 procedures to opt ~~out of~~ in to a school ~~district from providing~~
18 district's sex education instruction ~~to a child~~ if the child's
19 parent provides written ~~objection to~~ permission for the ~~child's~~
20 ~~participation~~ child to participate in the sex education curricula;

21 5. Procedures by which parents will be notified in advance of
22 and given the opportunity to withdraw their children from any
23 instruction or presentations regarding sexuality in courses other
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1 than formal sex education curricula pursuant to Section 11-105.1 of
2 Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

3 6. Procedures by which parents may learn about the nature and
4 purpose of clubs and activities that are part of the school
5 curriculum, as well as extracurricular clubs and activities that
6 have been approved by the school; and

7 7. Procedures by which parents may learn about parental rights
8 and responsibilities under the laws of this state, including the
9 following:

- 10 a. the right to opt ~~out of~~ in to a sex education
11 curriculum if one is provided by the school district,
- 12 b. open enrollment rights and school choice options,
- 13 c. the right to opt out of assignments pursuant to this
14 section,
- 15 d. the right to be exempt from the immunization laws of
16 the state pursuant to Section 1210.192 of Title 70 of
17 the Oklahoma Statutes,
- 18 e. the promotion requirements prescribed in Section
19 1210.508E of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes,
- 20 f. the minimum course of study and competency
21 requirements for graduation from high school
22 prescribed in Section 11-103.6 of Title 70 of the
23 Oklahoma Statutes,

- 1 g. the right to opt ~~out of~~ in to instruction on the
2 acquired immune deficiency syndrome pursuant to
3 Section 11-103.3 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes,
4 h. the right to review test results,
5 i. the right to participate in gifted programs pursuant
6 to Sections 1210.301 through 1210.308 of Title 70 of
7 the Oklahoma Statutes,
8 j. the right to inspect instructional materials used in
9 connection with any research or experimentation
10 program or project pursuant to Section 11-106 of Title
11 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes,
12 k. the right to receive a school report card,
13 l. the attendance requirements prescribed in Section 10-
14 106 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes,
15 m. the right to public review of courses of study and
16 textbooks,
17 n. the right to be excused from school attendance for
18 religious purposes,
19 o. policies related to parental involvement pursuant to
20 this section,
21 p. the right to participate in parent-teacher
22 associations and organizations that are sanctioned by
23 the board of education of a school district, and
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1 q. the right to opt out of any data collection instrument
2 at the district level that would capture data for
3 inclusion in the state longitudinal student data
4 system except what is necessary and essential for
5 establishing a student's public school record.

6 B. The board of education of a school district may adopt a
7 policy to provide to parents the information required by this
8 section in an electronic form.

9 C. A parent shall submit a written request for information
10 pursuant to this section during regular business hours to either the
11 school principal at the school site or the superintendent of the
12 school district at the office of the school district. Within ten
13 (10) days of receiving the request for information, the school
14 principal or the superintendent of the school district shall either
15 deliver the requested information to the parent or submit to the
16 parent a written explanation of the reasons for the denial of the
17 requested information. If the request for information is denied or
18 the parent does not receive the requested information within fifteen
19 (15) days after submitting the request for information, the parent
20 may submit a written request for the information to the board of
21 education of a school district, which shall formally consider the
22 request at the next scheduled public meeting of the board if the
23 request can be properly noticed on the agenda. If the request
24 cannot be properly noticed on the agenda, the board of education of

1 a school district shall formally consider the request at the next
2 subsequent public meeting of the board. A parent may appeal a
3 denial of request for information to the State Board of Education
4 through a standard appeals process established by the Board. If a
5 school is determined to be out of compliance with this section, the
6 school shall be given a deficiency in its accreditation.

7 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
8 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-126 of Title 70, unless there
9 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

10 As used in Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes:

- 11 1. "Father" means the male parent of a child or children;
- 12 2. "Female" means a natural person whose biological
13 reproductive system is developed to produce ova;
- 14 3. "Male" means a natural person whose biological reproductive
15 system is developed to fertilize the ova of a female;
- 16 4. "Man" or "boy" means a natural person who is male;
- 17 5. "Mother" means the female parent of a child or children;
- 18 6. "Natural person" means a person as defined in paragraph 7 of
19 this section, except for bodies politic or corporate;
- 20 7. "Person", except when used by way of contrast, includes not
21 only human beings, but bodies politic or corporate;
- 22 8. "Sex" means the classification of a person as either female
23 or male based on the organization of the body of the person for a
24 specific reproductive role, as indicated by the person's sex

1 chromosomes, naturally occurring sex hormones, and internal and
2 external genitalia present at birth. The term "gender" shall be
3 synonymous with the term "sex" as defined here; and

4 9. "Woman" or "girl" means a natural person who is female.

5 SECTION 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
6 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-127 of Title 70, unless there
7 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

8 A. It shall be the policy of every public school or charter
9 school that is provided or authorized by the Oklahoma Constitution
10 and state laws that a person's sex is an immutable biological trait
11 and that it is false to ascribe to a person a pronoun that does not
12 correspond to the person's sex. This section shall not apply to
13 individuals born with a genetically or biochemically verifiable
14 disorder of sex development, including, but not limited to, 46, XX
15 disorder of sex development; 46, XY disorder of sex development; sex
16 chromosome disorder of sex development; XX or XY sex reversal; and
17 ovotesticular disorder.

18 B. An employee, contractor, or student of a public school or
19 charter school shall not be required, as a condition of employment,
20 enrollment, or participation in any program, to refer to another
21 person using that person's preferred personal title or pronouns if
22 the personal title or pronouns do not correspond to that person's
23 sex.
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1 C. An employee or contractor of a public school or charter
2 school shall not provide to a student his or her preferred personal
3 title or pronouns if the preferred personal title or pronouns do not
4 correspond to that person's sex.

5 D. A student shall not be asked by an employee or contractor of
6 a public school or charter school to provide his or her preferred
7 personal title or pronouns or be penalized or subjected to adverse
8 or discriminatory treatment for not providing his or her preferred
9 personal title or pronouns.

10 E. Public school and charter school records regarding a
11 student's sex or gender shall always comply with subsection A of
12 this section, and the definition of the word sex defined in
13 paragraph 8 of Section 2 of this act. Any person who changes a
14 student's records described under this subsection not in compliance
15 with subsection A of this section and Section 2 of this act shall be
16 guilty of a misdemeanor pursuant to Section 587 of Title 21 of the
17 Oklahoma Statutes.

18 SECTION 4. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
19 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-128 of Title 70, unless there
20 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

21 A. In accordance with the Parents' Bill of Rights enumerated in
22 Sections 2002 and 2003 of Title 25 of the Oklahoma Statutes, school
23 district boards of education shall adopt procedures for notifying a
24 student's parent if there is a change in the student's services or
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1 monitoring related to the student's mental, emotional, or physical
2 health or well-being and the school's ability to provide a safe and
3 supportive learning environment for the student. The procedures
4 shall reinforce the fundamental right of parents to make decisions
5 regarding the upbringing and control of their children by requiring
6 school personnel to encourage a student to discuss issues related to
7 his or her well-being with his or her parent or to facilitate
8 discussion of the issue with the parent. The procedures shall not
9 prohibit parents from accessing any of their student's education and
10 health records created, maintained, or used by the school district,
11 as required by Section 2002 of Title 25 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

12 B. A school district shall not adopt procedures or student
13 support forms that prohibit school district personnel from notifying
14 a parent about his or her student's mental, emotional, or physical
15 health or well-being, or a change in related services or monitoring,
16 or that encourage or have the effect of encouraging a student to
17 withhold from a parent such information. School district personnel
18 shall not discourage or prohibit parental notification of and
19 involvement in critical decisions affecting a student's mental,
20 emotional, or physical health or well-being. This subsection shall
21 not prohibit a school district from adopting procedures that permit
22 school personnel to withhold the information from a parent if a
23 reasonably prudent person would believe that disclosure would result
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1 in abuse as defined in Section 843.5 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma
2 Statutes.

3 C. Classroom instruction by school personnel or third parties
4 in schools and charter schools on sexual orientation or gender
5 identity shall not occur in prekindergarten through grade twelve,
6 except when required by Section 11-103.3 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma
7 Statutes. The instruction shall be age-appropriate or
8 developmentally appropriate for students in accordance with state
9 standards and statutes.

10 D. Student support services training developed or provided by a
11 school district to school district personnel shall adhere to student
12 services guidelines, standards, and frameworks established by the
13 State Department of Education.

14 E. At the beginning of the school year, each school district
15 shall notify parents of each health care service offered at their
16 student's school and the option to withhold consent or decline any
17 specific service in accordance with Section 2002 of Title 25 of the
18 Oklahoma Statutes. Parental consent to a health care service shall
19 not waive the parent's right to access his or her student's
20 educational or health records or to be notified about a change in
21 his or her student's services or monitoring as provided by this
22 section.

23 F. Before administering a student well-being questionnaire or
24 health screening form to a student in kindergarten through third
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1 grade, the school district shall provide the questionnaire or health
2 screening form to the parent and obtain the permission of the
3 parent. Each school district shall adopt procedures for a parent to
4 notify the principal, or his or her designee, regarding concerns
5 under this section at his or her student's school and the process
6 for resolving those concerns within seven (7) calendar days after
7 notification by the parent.

8 1. At a minimum, the procedures shall require that within thirty
9 (30) days after notification by the parent that the concern remains
10 unresolved, the school district shall either resolve the concern or
11 provide a statement of the reasons for not resolving the concern.

12 2. If a concern is not resolved by the school district, a parent
13 may file a civil action in court against the school district to
14 obtain a declaratory judgment that the school district procedure or
15 practice violates this section and seek injunctive relief. A court
16 may award damages and shall award reasonable attorney fees and court
17 costs to a parent who receives declaratory or injunctive relief.

18 G. Each school district shall adopt and post on its website, in
19 an obvious place on the front page, policies to notify parents of the
20 procedures required by this section.

21 SECTION 5. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2021, Section 11-103.3, is
22 amended to read as follows:

23 Section 11-103.3 A. Acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)
24 prevention education shall be taught in the public schools of this
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1 state. AIDS prevention education shall be limited to the discussion
2 of the disease AIDS and its spread and prevention. Students shall
3 receive ~~such~~ the education:

4 1. ~~at~~ At the option of the local school district, a minimum of
5 once during the period from grade five through grade six;

6 2. ~~a~~ A minimum of once during the period from grade seven
7 through grade nine; and

8 3. ~~a~~ A minimum of once during the period from grade ten through
9 grade twelve.

10 B. The State Department of Education shall develop curriculum
11 and materials for AIDS prevention education in conjunction with the
12 State Department of Health. A school district may also develop its
13 own AIDS prevention education curriculum and materials. Any
14 curriculum and materials developed for use in the public schools
15 shall be approved for medical accuracy by the State Department of
16 Health and in compliance with Section 11-105.1 of this title. A
17 school district may use any curriculum and materials which have been
18 developed and approved pursuant to this subsection.

19 C. School districts shall make the curriculum and materials
20 that will be used to teach AIDS prevention education available for
21 inspection by the parents and guardians of the students that will be
22 involved with the curriculum and materials. Furthermore, the
23 curriculum ~~must~~ shall be limited in time frame to deal only with
24 factual medical information for AIDS prevention. The school
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1 districts, at least one (1) month prior to teaching AIDS prevention
2 education in any classroom, shall conduct for the parents and
3 guardians of the students involved during weekend and evening hours
4 at least one presentation concerning the curriculum and materials
5 that will be used for ~~such~~ the education. No student shall be
6 required to participate in AIDS prevention education ~~if a parent or~~
7 ~~guardian of the student objects in writing to such participation and~~
8 shall have written permission from a parent or guardian to
9 participate.

10 D. AIDS prevention education shall specifically teach students
11 that:

12 1. ~~engaging~~ Engaging in homosexual activity, promiscuous sexual
13 activity, intravenous drug use or contact with contaminated blood
14 products is now known to be primarily responsible for contact with
15 the AIDS virus;

16 2. ~~avoiding~~ Avoiding the activities specified in paragraph 1 of
17 this subsection is the only method of preventing the spread of the
18 virus; and

19 3. ~~sexual~~ Sexual intercourse, with or without condoms, with any
20 person testing positive for human immunodeficiency virus (HIV)
21 antibodies, or any other person infected with HIV, places that
22 individual in a high risk category for developing AIDS.

23 E. The program of AIDS prevention education shall teach that
24 abstinence from sexual activity is the only certain means for the
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1 prevention of the spread or contraction of the AIDS virus through
2 sexual contact. It shall also teach that artificial means of birth
3 control are not a certain means of preventing the spread of the AIDS
4 virus and reliance on ~~such~~ those methods puts a person at risk for
5 exposure to the disease.

6 F. The State Department of Health and the State Department of
7 Education shall update AIDS education curriculum material as newly
8 discovered medical facts make it necessary.

9 SECTION 6. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2021, Section 11-105.1, is
10 amended to read as follows:

11 Section 11-105.1 A. All curriculum and materials including
12 supplementary materials which will be used to teach or will be used
13 for or in connection with a sex education class or program which is
14 designed for the exclusive purpose of discussing sexual behavior or
15 attitudes, or any test, survey, or questionnaire whose primary
16 purpose is to elicit responses on sexual behavior or attitudes shall
17 be available through the superintendent or a designee of the school
18 district for inspection by parents and guardians of the student who
19 will be involved with the class, program or test, survey, or
20 questionnaire. ~~Such curriculum, materials, classes, programs,~~
21 ~~tests, surveys or questionnaires shall include information about~~
22 ~~consent and shall have as one of its primary purposes the teaching~~
23 ~~of or informing students about the practice of abstinence. For the~~
24 ~~purposes of this section, "consent" shall have the same meaning as~~
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~~that provided by Section 113 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes.~~

The superintendent or a designee of the school district shall provide prior written notification to the parents or guardians of the students involved of their right to inspect the curriculum and material and of their obligation to notify the school in writing if they do not want their child to participate in the class, program, test, survey, or questionnaire. Each local board of education shall determine the means of providing written notification to the parents and guardian which will ensure effective notice in an efficient and appropriate manner. No student shall ~~be required to~~ participate in a sex education class or program which discusses sexual behavior or attitudes ~~if~~ unless a parent or guardian of the student ~~objects~~ provides permission in writing to ~~such~~ the participation. If the type of program referred to in this section is a part of or is taught during a credit course, a student may be required to enroll in the course but shall not be required to receive instruction in or participate in the program ~~if~~ unless a parent or guardian ~~objects~~ provides permission in writing.

B. ~~The superintendent or a designee of a school district in which sex education is taught or a program is offered which is designed for the exclusive purpose of discussing sexual behavior or attitudes shall approve all~~ All curriculum and materials ~~which will be used for such education and any test, survey or questionnaire whose primary purpose is to elicit responses on sexual behavior or~~

1 ~~attitudes used in the school prior to their use in the classroom or~~
2 ~~school. The teacher involved in the class, program, testing or~~
3 ~~survey shall submit the curriculum, materials, tests or surveys to~~
4 ~~the superintendent or a designee for approval prior to their use in~~
5 ~~the classroom or school. This section shall not apply to those~~
6 ~~students enrolled in classes, programs, testings or surveys offered~~
7 ~~through an alternative education program to teach sex education,~~
8 reproductive health, or any disease, including acquired immune
9 deficiency syndrome (AIDS) and human immunodeficiency virus (HIV),
10 its symptoms, development, and treatment as part of the course
11 referenced in this section and education referenced in Section 11-
12 103.3 of this title, shall be annually approved by a school district
13 board of education in a public meeting in compliance with the
14 Oklahoma Open Meeting Act.

15 C. Throughout instruction in sex education, AIDS or HIV,
16 sexually transmitted diseases, or health education, when the
17 instruction and course material contain instruction in human
18 sexuality, a school shall:

19 1. Classify males and females as provided in Section 2 of this
20 act and teach that biological males impregnate biological females by
21 fertilizing the female egg with male sperm; that the female then
22 gestates the offspring; and that these reproductive roles are
23 binary, stable, and unchangeable;
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1 2. Teach abstinence from sexual activity outside of marriage as
2 the expected standard for all school-age students while teaching the
3 benefits of monogamous heterosexual marriage;

4 3. Emphasize that abstinence from sexual activity is the only
5 certain way to avoid out-of-wedlock pregnancy, sexually transmitted
6 diseases including AIDS, and other associated health problems;

7 4. Teach that each student has the power to control personal
8 behavior and encourage students to base actions on reasoning, self-
9 esteem, and respect for others; and

10 5. Provide instruction and material that is appropriate for the
11 grade and age of the student.

12 D. Instruction concerning sex education, AIDS, sexually
13 transmitted diseases, or health education, when the instruction and
14 course material contain instruction in human sexuality, shall not
15 contain:

16 1. Advocacy of sexual activity outside of marriage;

17 2. Advocacy of any form of sexual activity that deviates from
18 the understanding of sexual norms within a traditional family
19 structure;

20 3. Information about contraceptive methods without emphasizing
21 their potential risks and failure rates;

22 4. Endorsement or promotion of non-heterosexual orientations as
23 preferable to heterosexual orientations;

1 5. Teaching of explicit sexual techniques without a focus on
2 abstinence as the preferred choice for avoiding the consequences of
3 premarital sexual relations;

4 6. Inclusion of materials that may be considered obscene or
5 harmful to minors;

6 7. Teaching of gender identity and gender expression outside
7 the binary concept of male and female, without emphasizing the
8 biological basis of sex;

9 8. Instruction that advocates the pursuit of sexual pleasure
10 outside the context of marriage, the use of modern forms of risk
11 minimization, the main purpose of sex is pleasure, or the
12 exploration of which sexual techniques can be used for more
13 pleasure;

14 9. Teaching of consent and negotiation skills for sexual
15 activity;

16 10. Normalization or trivialization of sexually transmitted
17 diseases (STDs) with the effect of decreasing their perceived
18 seriousness or harm;

19 11. Instruction segmented specifically for the purpose of
20 exploring gender identity or sexual orientation;

21 12. Abortion presented as a safe, reproductive health care
22 choice and right;

1 13. Language or instruction that would undermine student-parent
2 relationships, degrade students' opinion of their parents, or
3 degrade the importance of parental advice or help; and

4 14. Encouragement for students to seek other help apart from
5 parents or guardians.

6 E. Instruction concerning sex education, AIDS, sexually
7 transmitted diseases, or health education, when the instruction and
8 course material contain instruction in human sexuality, shall
9 emphasize:

10 1. The importance of monogamous, heterosexual relationships
11 within the context of marriage;

12 2. The benefits of abstaining from premarital sexual activity;

13 3. The physical, psychological, and emotional risks and
14 consequences of engaging in premarital sexual activity;

15 4. The importance of personal responsibility and self-
16 discipline;

17 5. The positive aspects of healthy relationships, including
18 communication skills, mutual respect, and emotional intimacy;

19 6. The development of decision-making skills and setting
20 personal boundaries;

21 7. The understanding of the potential social, emotional, and
22 physical consequences of early sexual activity;

23 8. The biological reproductive function of sex and the healthy
24 practice of abstinence from the relation until marriage;
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1 9. Refusal and resistance skills for sexual avoidance;

2 10. That STDs can cause serious health concerns and can and
3 should be avoided;

4 11. Information provided and risk avoidance promoted for all
5 students, regardless of sexual orientation or gender identity;

6 12. That abortion is only legal in the state in cases where the
7 life of the mother is at risk with reference to the language of the
8 law, and that it is a practice with physical and emotional risks
9 with alternatives, including parenting and adoption; and

10 13. That parental involvement, communication, and authority
11 shall be upheld or promoted and that family is important whether
12 biological or adoptive.

13 F. Sex education programs shall be taught by persons who are
14 employed by the school district where the sex education takes place
15 and who hold standard teaching certification issued by the State
16 Department of Education.

17 G. Other organizations, including health departments, shall not
18 provide sex education instruction in public schools.

19 SECTION 7. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
20 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 16-125 of Title 70, unless there
21 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

22 A. The State Department of Education shall coordinate with the
23 State Textbook Committee to ensure the proper review and approval of
24 sex education instructional materials in accordance with this act.

1 B. The State Textbook Committee shall provide guidelines for the
2 submission of instructional materials to ensure transparency and
3 public input.

4 C. Each school district board of education shall review and
5 revise any current policies and procedures, its sex education
6 curriculum, parental consent process, and instructor qualifications
7 to ensure compliance with this act.

8 D. The State Board of Education shall take compliance with this
9 act into account when considering the accreditation status of a
10 public school.

11 E. The Statewide Charter School Board shall take compliance with
12 this act into account when implementing Section 3-132.2 of Title 70
13 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

14 SECTION 8. This act shall become effective July 1, 2024.

15 SECTION 9. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
16 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
17 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
18 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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