

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 2nd Session of the 59th Legislature (2024)

4 ENGROSSED SENATE
5 BILL NO. 1528

 By: Weaver of the Senate

 and

 Ford of the House

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9 An Act relating to the Interstate Compact for Adult
10 Offender Supervision; amending 22 O.S. 2021, Section
11 1094, which relates to the Oklahoma State Council for
12 Interstate Adult Offender Supervision; modifying
13 voting membership of Council; updating statutory
14 reference; and providing an effective date.

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

16 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 22 O.S. 2021, Section 1094, is
17 amended to read as follows:

18 Section 1094. A. There is hereby created the Oklahoma State
19 Council for Interstate Adult Offender Supervision in accordance with
20 Article IV of the Interstate Compact for ~~Interstate~~ Adult Offender
21 Supervision. The State Council shall consist of the compact
22 administrator who shall be a nonvoting member, the Executive
23 Coordinator or designee of the District Attorneys Council, the
24 Executive Director or designee of the Oklahoma Indigent Defense
 System and the Administrative Director of the Courts or designee,

1 ~~who shall be nonvoting members~~ and five appointed members who,
2 except for the initial appointments, shall be appointed for three-
3 year terms. The members appointed to initial terms shall serve
4 staggered terms as prescribed in this section. Terms of office
5 shall expire on June 30. Members may be reappointed as deemed
6 appropriate by the appointing authority. Members may be removed by
7 the appointing authority for incompetence, willful neglect of duty,
8 corruption in office, or malfeasance in office. Vacancies shall be
9 filled in the same manner as the original appointment. The members
10 of the Council shall not be subject to the dual office holding
11 prohibitions set forth in Section 6 of Title 51 of the Oklahoma
12 Statutes. The members shall be appointed as follows:

13 1. One member of the Senate, who shall serve an initial term of
14 three (3) years, who shall be appointed by the President Pro
15 Tempore;

16 2. One member of the House of Representatives, who shall serve
17 an initial term of three (3) years, who shall be appointed by the
18 Speaker of the House of Representatives;

19 3. One member of the judiciary who shall be a district judge
20 with experience in criminal proceedings, who shall serve an initial
21 term of two (2) years, to be appointed by the Presiding Judge of the
22 Court of Criminal Appeals;

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1 4. One member of the Pardon and Parole Board, who shall serve
2 an initial term of two (2) years, who shall be appointed by the
3 Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate; and

4 5. One member who represents a crime victims advocacy group,
5 who shall serve an initial term of one (1) year, to be appointed by
6 the Governor.

7 B. The members of the State Council shall elect from their
8 membership a chair and ~~vice-chair~~ vice chair to serve for one (1)
9 year terms. A majority of the members shall constitute a quorum for
10 the purpose of conducting the business of the Council. The Council
11 shall meet at least annually and at the call of the chair.

12 C. The Council shall comply with the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act,
13 the Oklahoma Open Records Act, and the ~~Oklahoma~~ Administrative
14 Procedures Act.

15 D. Members of the Council, except the compact administrator,
16 shall serve without compensation but shall be reimbursed by their
17 appointing authorities for expenses incurred in the performance of
18 their duties as provided in the State Travel Reimbursement Act until
19 the Council is funded.

20 E. The Council shall oversee and administer this state's
21 participation in the Compact. The Council may promulgate rules to
22 implement operations and procedures necessary for administration of
23 the compact.

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1 F. Until the Compact becomes effective upon its adoption by
2 thirty-five states, the Council may select a person who is employed
3 by a state agency, subject to the assent of the administrative head
4 of the agency, to serve as the compact administrator. The agency
5 that employs the compact administrator shall pay the salary of the
6 compact administrator and any expenses the compact administrator
7 incurs in fulfilling duties related to the Compact. The Council and
8 the administrative head of the agency shall determine what portion
9 of the employee's time shall be devoted to Compact activities. The
10 compact administrator shall serve as this state's commissioner on
11 the Interstate Commission for Adult Offender Supervision. In the
12 event the compact administrator cannot attend a meeting of the
13 Interstate Commission, the Council shall appoint a Council member to
14 represent this state at the meeting.

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

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17 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND CORRECTIONS,
18 dated 04/04/2024 - DO PASS.

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