

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:

CHAIR:

I move to amend HB2471 \_\_\_\_\_  
Of the printed Bill  
Page \_\_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_\_ Lines \_\_\_\_\_  
Of the Engrossed Bill

By deleting the content of the entire measure, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following language:

**AMEND TITLE TO CONFORM TO AMENDMENTS**

Adopted: \_\_\_\_\_

Amendment submitted by: Brian Hill

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Reading Clerk

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 60th Legislature (2026)

3 PROPOSED OVERSIGHT  
4 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
5 FOR  
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 2471

By: Hill

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8 PROPOSED OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

9 An Act relating to labor; amending Section 4, Chapter  
10 361, O.S.L. 2023 (40 O.S. Supp. 2025, Section 903),  
11 which relates to the Oklahoma Workforce Commission;  
12 modifying the number of members; detailing specific  
13 members; and providing an effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 4, Chapter 361, O.S.L.  
16 2023 (40 O.S. Supp. 2025, Section 903), is amended to read as  
17 follows:

18 Section 903. A. The Oklahoma Workforce Commission shall  
19 consist of ~~nine (9)~~ fifteen (15) members. The ~~nine~~ fifteen (15)  
20 members shall ~~be~~ consist of the following listed public officials  
21 and private sector leaders conducting business in this state:

- 22 1. Lieutenant Governor;  
23 2. Labor Commissioner;  
24 3. Adjutant General;

1        4. State Superintendent of Public Instruction;

2        5. Director of the Department of Career and Technology

3 Education;

4        6. Chancellor of Higher Education;

5        7. Three members to be appointed by the President Pro Tempore  
6 of the Senate;

7        ~~2.~~ 8. Three members to be appointed by the Speaker of the House  
8 of Representatives; and

9        ~~3.~~ 9. Three members to be appointed by the Governor, one of  
10 whom shall be designated by the Governor to serve as chair of the  
11 Commission.

12        B. The members of the Commission shall be qualified electors of  
13 this state and ~~shall not be employed by any government entity or~~  
14 ~~have been employed by a government entity within the preceding one-~~  
15 ~~year period.~~

16        C. The members appointed under paragraphs 7 through 9 in  
17 subsection A of this section shall not be employed by any government  
18 entity or have been employed by a government entity within the  
19 preceding one-year period.

20        D. For the initial appointments of Commissioners, each  
21 appointing authority shall make one appointment for a one-year term,  
22 one appointment for a two-year term, and one appointment for a  
23 three-year term. Thereafter, the terms of the Commissioners shall  
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1 be for three (3) years. Commissioners may be appointed to  
2 subsequent terms without limit as to number.

3 ~~D.~~ E. Vacancies on the Commission shall be filled for the  
4 unexpired term of office in the same manner as the original  
5 appointment. The appointed members shall serve at the pleasure of  
6 the appointing authorities.

7 ~~E.~~ F. In addition to the chair appointed by the Governor, the  
8 Commission may establish and elect additional officers by a majority  
9 vote of the Commissioners. The chair shall preside over meetings of  
10 the Commission and officers shall perform duties as may be required  
11 by the Commission. The first meeting of the Commission shall be  
12 called by the chair no later than sixty (60) days after the  
13 effective date of this act.

14 ~~F.~~ G. No member of the Commission shall receive a salary for  
15 duties performed as a member of the Commission; however, members are  
16 eligible to receive reimbursement for expenses and travel  
17 reimbursement as provided for in the State Travel Reimbursement Act.

18 ~~G.~~ H. Members serving on the Commission shall be eligible to  
19 serve on any other state board or commission if such member is  
20 otherwise qualified to hold such appointed office, notwithstanding  
21 the provisions of Section 6 of Title 51 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

22 ~~H.~~ I. A quorum of ~~five~~ eight members shall be required to  
23 conduct official business of the Commission.

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SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2026.

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