

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

SPEAKER:

CHAIR:

I move to amend HB2785 \_\_\_\_\_  
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**

Amendment submitted by: Trey Caldwell

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

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Reading Clerk

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 60th Legislature (2025)

PROPOSED COMMITTEE  
SUBSTITUTE  
FOR  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2785

By: Caldwell (Trey) and Kane of  
the House

and

Hall and Haste of the  
Senate

PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

An Act relating to public finance; imposing duties upon the Office of Management and Enterprise Services with respect to budget procedures for the Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services; specifying procedures; imposing certain requirements related to allocation of funds; providing for codification; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 34.401 of Title 62, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

In addition to other duties imposed upon the Office of Management and Enterprise Services (OMES) by law, the Director of the Office of Management and Enterprise Services shall ensure that

1 the following procedures are strictly adhered to with respect to the  
2 Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services:

3 1. In accordance with paragraph 3 of subsection A of Section  
4 34.6 of this title, prior to releasing the one-twelfth (1/12)  
5 appropriations disbursement, OMES shall conduct a review of the  
6 agency's budget to actuals to ensure the agency is staying within  
7 budget constraints;

8 2. OMES shall provide a report to the Governor, the Speaker of  
9 the Oklahoma House of Representatives, the President Pro Tempore of  
10 the Oklahoma State Senate, and the chairs and vice-chairs of the  
11 standing committees of the Oklahoma House of Representatives and the  
12 Oklahoma State Senate having primary responsibility for the  
13 consideration of agency appropriations concerning the status of  
14 revenue and expenditures of the agency;

15 3. The Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse  
16 Services shall be prohibited from entering into contracts that do  
17 not clearly state a maximum fiscal obligation;

18 4. OMES shall review encumbrances for any multi-year purchase  
19 orders or contracts to ensure that only the anticipated amount of  
20 funds for the current fiscal year are encumbered; and

21 5. OMES shall prohibit the processing of payments for non-  
22 budgeted expenditures.

23 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation  
24 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby

1 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and  
2 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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