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HB1376	Paraphrase: HB1376, by Rep. Randy McDaniel, R-Edmond and Sen. Rick Brinkley, R-Owasso, specifies the employees eligible for a defined contribution system established by the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System as those in a full-time position or a position that is more than half-time and qualifies for employee benefits. It allows an employee who begins participating in a defined benefit plan on or after November 1, 2015, in one of the positions listed, to continue to participate in the defined benefit plan only as long as he or she continues to be employed in that position. (Amended by House, Committee Substitute) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.
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HB1452	Paraphrase: HB1452, by Rep. David Ralph Brumbaugh, R-Broken Arrow and Sen. David Holt, R-Oklahoma City, requires the gross salary of each employee to be made available on state agency websites. It requires the data to be made available in an open-structured format that may be downloaded by the public and which allows the viewer to systematically sort, search, and access all data. It also requires a link to the budget and audited financial statements of the public entity as provided to the State Auditor and Inspector; and raw data sets which include all expenditure data as requested by and provided to the State Auditor and Inspector. (Amended by House, Committee Substitute) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.
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HB1512	Paraphrase: HB1512, by Rep. Sally Kern, R-Oklahoma City and Sen. Clark Jolley, R-Oklahoma City, requires an educational interpreter under the Oklahoma Educational Interpreter for the Deaf Act with to be certified with an Educational Interpreter Performance Assessment (EIPA) before being allowed to be employed by a public school district. It limits them to be assigned to work in only the grade levels covered by the EIPA credentials of the educational interpreter until the interpreter has attained certification. It prohibits employment by those interpreters who have not attained certification. It specifies which credentials may not work for employment as an interpreter. It directs the State Department of Education to provide access to a current registry of the names of educational interpreters and the types and expiration dates of certifications held by each interpreter as provided by the Department of Rehabilitation Services and the Registry of Interpreters of the Deaf (RID). It requires registration by interpreters and directs DRS to investigate reports of uncertified individuals. The bill directs the State Board of Education to establish penalties for noncompliance with registration requirements. It also requires school districts to provide an annual performance evaluation for each educational interpreter and requires them to submit a biannual report to SDE listing the names, the certifications and certification levels held by each educational interpreter employed by the district. (Amended by House, Stricken Title, Committee Substitute) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.
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HB1614  **Paraphrase:** HB1614, by Rep. Katie Henke, R-Tulsa and Sen. Jason Smalley, R-Stroud, creates the Oklahoma Transportation Network Company Services Act. The bill regulates transportation network companies, services and drivers. The bill prohibits transportation network companies (TNCs) or TNC driver from being considered motor carriers of persons defined in Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes, or considered to provide taxicab or for-hire vehicle services. The bill prohibits a person from operating a TNC in Oklahoma without first having obtained a permit from the Corporation Commission. It requires TNCs to maintain an agent for service of process in Oklahoma. It permits TNCs to determine and charge a fare for the services provided to passengers. It requires a TNC's software application or website to display a picture of the TNC driver and the license plate number of the motor vehicle utilized for providing the TNC service before the passenger enters the TNC driver's vehicle. It requires the TNC to transmit an electronic receipt to the passenger that list a set list of information within a reasonable period of time following the trip. It requires that TNCs to implement a zero-tolerance policy on the use of drugs or alcohol while a TNC driver is providing TNC services, and is required to provide notice of this policy and its procedures on its website. It requires that TNCs require any motor vehicle or vehicles that a TNC driver will use to provide TNC services meets the equipment standards required of private motor vehicles under Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes. It requires that a TNC driver exclusively accept rides booked through a TNC's digital network or software application service, and is prohibits to solicit or accept street hails. It requires TNCs to adopt a policy prohibiting solicitation or acceptance of cash payments from passengers. It requires TNCs to adopt a policy of nondiscrimination on the basis of destination, race, color, national origin, religious belief or affiliation, sex, disability, age, sexual orientation, or gender with respect to passengers and potential passengers and notify TNC driver of such policy. It exempts TNCs from political subdivision regulation and oversight. (Amended by House, Stricken Title, Committee Substitute) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

HB1748  **Paraphrase:** HB1748, by Rep. Tom Newell, R-Seminole and Sen. Greg Treat, R-Oklahoma City, requires certain entities to report, through written disclosure and information available on their website, all federal funds under control of the entity and the programs the funds are used for. The bill requires the programs be sorted or ranked by priority. This bill specifies what kinds of information to be included in the disclosure. - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

HB1859  **Paraphrase:** HB1859, by Rep. Harold Wright, R-Weatherford and Sen. Dan Newberry, R-Tulsa, modifies the membership of the Governor's Council for Workforce and Economic Development. - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

HB1969  **Paraphrase:** HB1969, by Rep. Terry O'Donnell, R-Catoosa and Sen. Bill Brown, R-Broken Arrow, creates the Oklahoma Employment First Act. The bill requires all state agencies to coordinate effects and collaborate within and among such agencies to ensure that state programs, policies, procedures and funding support

competitive integrated employment of individuals with disabilities. It requires that all state agencies, whenever feasible, to share data and information across systems in order to track progress toward full implementation of this bill. - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

HB2081  **Paraphrase:** HB2081, by Rep. Jason Nelson, R-Oklahoma City and Sen. Kimberly David, R-Porter, states intent of the Oklahoma State Regents of Higher Education to establish a comprehensive transition and postsecondary program for students with intellectual disabilities which shall be offered by institutions. The bill specifies the parameters of the degree program. This bill requires the state regents establish procedures and criteria to establish a comprehensive transition and postsecondary program for students with intellectual disabilities to be offered by institutions including eligibility for Pell Grants, Work Study and enrollment without meeting certain admission standards. It requires the state regents seeks funding for institutional grants to meet this criteria. (Amended by House, Stricken Title) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

HB2182  **Paraphrase:** HB2182, by Rep. Jeff Hickman, R-Fairview and Sen. Brian Bingman, R-Sapulpa, creates the Incentive Evaluation Act and establishes a commission. The bill establishes membership for the commission and establishes appointing authority. It directs the Office of Management and Enterprise Services, the Oklahoma Department of Commerce, Oklahoma Tax Commission and Office of the State Treasurer to provide staff and administrative support to the Incentive Evaluation Commission. The bill creates the Incentive Approval Committee as a subcommittee of the Incentive Evaluation Commission and specifies the committee's membership. The bill also outlines their duties, including determining if an establishment is a basic industry under the Oklahoma Quality Jobs Program Act. The bill directs the commission to ensure that each tax incentive is evaluated at least once every four years unless the commission determines that the incentive is exempt from evaluation. It adds that the commission may exempt from evaluation any incentive that it concludes has a minimal fiscal impact. The bill requires the commission to develop a four-year schedule for evaluating incentive and requires each schedule to include a list of all incentives in the state, including any it exempts from evaluation by January 1, 2016 and by January 1 each year thereafter. It directs the schedule to be made available to the Governor, President Pro Temp and Speaker upon approval. The bill allows the commission to contract with a private company, nonprofit, or academic institution to assist with the evaluation of each incentive. It requires the commission to develop a scope of services for a request for proposal for professional services necessary to complete incentive evaluations pursuant to the Incentive Evaluation Act. It directs the cost of such contract to be paid by the Office of Management and Enterprise Services. The bill directs the commission to hold at least one public meeting to review, allow for public comment, and vote to approve or disapprove each incentive evaluation conducted that year. The bill requires the commission to provide the results in a written report by Dec. 15 of each year to the Governor, President Pro Temp and the Speaker of the House and to make the report available to through the Oklahoma Department of Commerce website and documents.ok.gov. The bill specifies what each evaluation must contain. (Amended

SB0149  **Paraphrase:** SB0149, by Sen. Earl Garrison, D-Muskogee and Rep. Jerry McPeak, D-Warner, provides that expenditures of funds appropriated to the State Department of Rehabilitation Services for educational programs or educational materials for the Oklahoma School for the Blind and the Oklahoma School for the Deaf be in accordance with procedures adopted by the Commission for Rehabilitation Services in consultation with the State Purchasing Director. (Amended by Senate, Stricken Title) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

SB0153  **Paraphrase:** SB0153, by Sen. Kimberly David, R-Porter and Rep. Pat Ownbey, R-Ardmore, increases the number of unclassified employees in the Disability Determination Division of the State Department of Rehabilitation Services from a total number of 14 to 21. (Amended by Senate) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

SB0162  **Paraphrase:** SB0162, by Sen. Jim Halligan, R-Stillwater and Rep. Lee Denney, R-Cushing, requires the State Board of Education, in consultation with experts in the education and assessment of students with the most significant cognitive disabilities, to promulgate rules providing for exemptions from the mandated tests administered pursuant to the Oklahoma School Testing Program Act for students on an individualized education program (IEP), in accordance with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), that directs that the student is to be assessed with alternate achievement standards through the Oklahoma Alternate Assessment Program (OAAP) who otherwise demonstrate satisfactory knowledge in that subject. (Amended by Senate, Emergency Measure, Committee Substitute) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

SB0308  **Paraphrase:** SB0308, by Sen. Nathan Dahm, R-Broken Arrow and Rep. George Faught, R-Muskogee, requires agencies exempt from the Administrative Procedures Act to publish its exempt rules on its website. The bill requires an agency to respond within 30 days to a request from the Governor, House or Senate to review its rules and respond to a small business within 90 days. The bill requires that all requests to waive requirements be submitted in writing to the Governor. The bill gives the Legislature the authority to amend proposed and effective agency rules. The bill eliminates the process from the legislative cutoff dates. (Amended by Senate, Emergency Measure) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

SB0346  **Paraphrase:** SB0346, by Sen. Nathan Dahm, R-Broken Arrow and Rep. Ken Walker, R-Tulsa, creates the Governor's Transparency Act of 2015. The bill requires a state agency entering into a Memorandum of Understanding or Memorandum of Agreement with any agency, department or any organization receiving appropriated money, grants, contracts from the State of Oklahoma or any other state or funds from the government of the United States to publish a report on its website and the

documents.ok.gov website of all Memorandums of Understanding or Memorandums of Agreement within 15 business days of the memorandum's effective date. The bill establishes the requirements for the report. The bill requires when any state agency enters into a Memorandum of Understanding or Memorandum of Agreement, and when the state Legislature is in session, the state agency to provide the chair of the appropriate legislative committee, based on the subject matter or agency executing the document, with a copy of the Memorandum of Understanding or Memorandum of Agreement. The bill provides the state agency may not publish any such report on a Memorandum of Understanding or Memorandum of Agreement that is privileged under law pursuant to the Oklahoma Open Records Act, but it also requires a report to be published to indicate what entities are subject to the privileged Memorandum of Understanding or Memorandum of Agreement and its duration. The bill also requires that Memorandums of Understanding or Memorandums of Agreement solely between state departments or agencies cite the state constitutional or statutory authority granted for the subject addressed in the Memorandum of Understanding or Memorandum of Agreement. The bill also requires Memorandums of Understanding or Memorandums of Agreement between any agencies, departments and any organizations receiving appropriated money, grants, contracts from the State of Oklahoma, or any other state or funds from the government of the United States cite the authority granted by federal or state statute and/or in the Constitution of the United States as well as the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma for the subject addressed in the Memorandum of Understanding or Memorandum of Agreement. - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

SB0436  **Paraphrase:** SB0436, by Sen. Marty Quinn, R-Claremore and Rep. Glen Mulready, R-Tulsa, requires a transportation network company to disclose in writing to participating drivers the insurance coverage, limits of liability, and deductibles that the driver might be responsible for, that the transportation network company provides while the driver uses a vehicle in connection with a transportation network company's online-enabled application or platform, and to advise a participating driver in writing that the driver's automobile insurance policy may not provide any required or optional coverage because the driver uses a vehicle in connection with a transportation network company's online-enabled application or platform. The bill requires a transportation network company and any participating driver to maintain transportation network company insurance at certain levels. The bill establishes requirements for a transportation network company's insurance from the moment a participating driver accepts a ride request on the transportation network company's online-enabled application or platform until the driver completes the transaction on the online-enabled application or platform or until the ride is complete, whichever is later. It requires an individual acting or seeking to act as a participating driver for a transportation network company to provide written or electronic authorization from any lienholder with a security interest in the vehicle to be used in conjunction with the individual's service as such a driver. The amendment requires the authorization specify that the lienholder has been notified of the individual's intent to use the vehicle for that purpose and that the lienholder agrees to that use of the vehicle. The amendment also requires the transportation network company to cause its insurer to issue payment directly to the business repairing the vehicle or jointly to the owner of

the vehicle and the primary lienholder when a transportation network company insurer makes a payment for a claim covered under comprehensive or collision insurance coverage. (Amended by Senate, Stricken Title, Committee Substitute) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

SB0449  **Paraphrase:** SB0449, by Sen. Corey Brooks, R-Washington and Rep. Dennis Johnson, R-Duncan, requires notification to all adult children of any deceased brothers or sisters of the subject during an adult guardianship proceeding. - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

SB0612  **Paraphrase:** SB0612, by Sen. Dan Newberry, R-Tulsa and Rep. Harold Wright, R-Weatherford, modifies the membership of the Governor's Council for Workforce and Economic Development and requires compliance with the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act. The bill also directs the council to form a subcommittee on health workforce for the purpose of informing, coordinating, and facilitating statewide efforts to ensure that a well-trained, adequately distributed, and flexible health workforce is available to meet the needs of an efficient and effective health care system in Oklahoma. The bill also specifies the duties of the Health Workforce Subcommittee. (Amended by Senate, Committee Substitute) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

SB0660   **Paraphrase:** SB0660, by Sen. Eddie Fields, R-Wynona and Rep. Scott Biggs, R-Chickasha, authorizes the Commissioner of Agriculture to allow food vendors to sell food and Made In Oklahoma products in the parking lots of state agencies or state buildings. (Amended by House, Amended by Senate, Stricken Title, Stricken enacting clause) - © 2015 eCapitol, LLC. All rights reserved.

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