

1                   **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2                                   STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3                                   1st Session of the 59th Legislature (2023)

4 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
5 FOR  
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 2801

By: Kendrix of the House

and

**Bergstrom** of the Senate

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9                                   COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

10                   An Act relating to sunset; amending 20 O.S. 2021,  
11                   Section 1501, which relates to the State Board of  
12                   Examiners of Certified Shorthand Reporters; re-  
13                   creating the Board; and modifying termination date.

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

15                   SECTION 1.           AMENDATORY           20 O.S. 2021, Section 1501, is  
16 amended to read as follows:

17                   Section 1501. There is hereby re-created, to continue until  
18 July 1, ~~2023~~ 2026, in accordance with the provisions of the Oklahoma  
19 Sunset Law, Section 3901 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes, the  
20 State Board of Examiners of Certified Shorthand Reporters which  
21 shall consist of five (5) members, all of whom shall be certified  
22 shorthand reporters. The members shall be persons who have been,  
23 for at least five (5) years prior to their appointment to the Board,  
24 residents of this state and certified shorthand reporters. All

1 members shall be appointed by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court  
2 and shall serve in staggered terms, each for a period of five (5)  
3 years except for the initial appointees. No member may serve more  
4 than one term in succession. The Board shall elect from its  
5 membership a chair and a secretary. Three members shall constitute  
6 a quorum. The Board may adopt a seal for its official use. All  
7 actions of the Board shall be supervised by the Supreme Court and be  
8 subject to approval by the Court.

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10 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES, dated  
11 03/02/2023 - DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.

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