

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 March 2, 2022

3 SENATE BILL NO. 1384

By: Floyd of the Senate

4 and

5 Caldwell (Chad) of the
6 House

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8 An Act relating to records; amending 67 O.S. 2021,
9 Section 305, which relates to the Archives and
10 Records Commission; re-creating the Commission;
11 modifying termination date; making language gender
12 neutral; updating statutory reference; and declaring
13 an emergency.

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

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 67 O.S. 2021, Section 305, is
16 amended to read as follows:

17 Section 305. There is hereby re-created until July 1, ~~2021~~
18 2025, in accordance with the Oklahoma Sunset Law, the Archives and
19 Records Commission, hereinafter referred to as the Commission, to be
20 composed of one member to be appointed by the Governor who shall
21 serve as Chairman, the State Librarian as Vice Chairman and
22 Secretary, the Lieutenant Governor, the State Auditor and Inspector
23 and the State Treasurer as members. Any member may appoint and
24 designate a subofficer or employee as his or her proxy for purposes
of carrying on the duties of the Commission. The Commission shall

1 have sole, entire and exclusive authority of the disposition for all
2 public records and archives of state officers, departments, boards,
3 commissions, agencies and institutions of this state. The authority
4 herein granted shall not apply to records and archives of political
5 subdivisions of the state; provided, however, ~~this act~~ Section 305
6 et seq. of this title shall not apply to the confidential records
7 and files of the Oklahoma Tax Commission which are exempt from all
8 provisions of this act.

9 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
10 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
11 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
12 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

13 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON RULES
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