

An Act

ENROLLED SENATE
BILL NO. 237

By: Fields and Pittman of the
Senate

and

Pfeiffer of the House

An Act relating to historical societies and associations; authorizing Board of Directors of Oklahoma Historical Society to enter into certain contracts and create certain endowment; limiting use of endowment proceeds; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

SUBJECT: Oklahoma Historical Society

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 1.22 of Title 53, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

The Board of Directors of the Oklahoma Historical Society may, at its discretion, contract with other state agencies and/or non-profit organizations to create an irrevocable endowment with associated management and administration costs to trade, sell or barter donated and deaccessioned collection items that do not conform to collection policies of the Oklahoma Historical Society. In accordance with the code of ethics established by professional museum management associations, proceeds from the endowment shall be used only for the acquisition, conservation or use of collections at museums, historic sites or research facilities owned and operated by the Oklahoma Historical Society.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2017.
Passed the Senate the 7th day of March, 2017.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the 18th day of April, 2017.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

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