

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 55th Legislature (2015)

3 SENATE BILL 441

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to institutions of higher education;
8 creating certain cause of action; authorizing
9 recovery of certain damages; authorizing recovery of
10 certain fees and costs; providing for codification;
11 and providing an effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 4315 of Title 70, unless there
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 Any public or private institution of higher education that is a
17 member of a governing authority shall have a cause of action against
18 a third party who engages or conspires with another to engage in
19 conduct in violation of the rules of the governing authority that
20 causes the educational institution to incur sanctions by the
21 governing authority or other economic penalties or losses. The
22 educational institution may recover damages in the amount of the
23 sanctions, penalties or economic losses incurred as a result of the
24 conduct of the third party, and reasonable attorney fees and costs.

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SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2015.

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