

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 February 23, 2023

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
4 FOR

5 SENATE BILL NO. 812

By: Dossett of the Senate

and

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9 An Act relating to state government; directing the  
10 State Purchasing Director to submit certain report;  
11 providing scope of certain report; providing for  
12 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 85.49 of Title 74, unless there  
16 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 Beginning on November 1, 2024, and annually thereafter, the  
18 State Purchasing Director shall submit a written report to the  
19 President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of  
20 Representatives that includes, but is not limited to:

21 1. The number of state contracts awarded to businesses that  
22 have been in operation for less than five (5) years;

1           2. The percentage of the number of state contracts awarded to  
2 businesses that have been in operation for less than five (5) years  
3 compared to the total number of state contracts awarded;

4           3. The total dollar amount of all state contracts awarded to  
5 businesses that have been in operation for less than five (5) years;

6           4. The percentage of the total dollar amount of state contracts  
7 awarded to businesses that have been in operation for less than five  
8 (5) years compared to the total dollar amount of state contracts  
9 awarded; and

10          5. Recommendations on improving access to state contracts for  
11 new Oklahoma businesses that have been in operation for less than  
12 five (5) years on or before November 1, 2024.

13          SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2023.

14          COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT  
15          February 23, 2023 - DO PASS AS AMENDED BY CS

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