An Act

ENROLLED HOUSE
BILL NO. 1749

By: Newell, Osborn, Ritze, Nelson, Cockroft, Billy, Dunlap and Kirby of the House

and

Dahm and Loveless of the Senate

An Act relating to payroll deductions; criminalizing certain payroll deductions by state agencies; defining terms; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

SUBJECT: Payroll deductions

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 34.70.1 of Title 62, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. It shall be unlawful for any state agency to make payroll deductions on behalf of a state employee for membership dues in any public employee association or organization or professional organization that on or after November 1, 2015, collectively bargains on behalf of its membership pursuant to any provision of federal law.

B. For purposes of this section:

1. "State agency" means any office, officer, bureau, board, counsel, court, commission, institution, unit, division, body or house of the executive or judicial branches of the state government, whether elected or appointed, excluding political subdivisions of the state. State agency shall include public school districts, the

Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, the institutions, centers, or other constituent agencies of The Oklahoma State System of Higher Education, the State Board of Career and Technology Education, technology center school districts, the State Legislature, and the Office of the Governor; and

2. "Public employee" means an elected or appointed officer or employee or contract employee of a state agency as defined in this section, unless otherwise indicated.

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

Passed the House of Representatives the 18th day of February, 2015.

Presiding Officer of the House of Representatives

Passed the Senate the 26th day of March, 2015.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Received by the Office of the Governor this 30th day of March, 2015, at 2:48 o'clock P M.

By: Audrey Rockwell

Approved by the Governor of the State of Oklahoma this 2nd day of April, 2015, at 3:19 o'clock P M.

Mary Fallin

Governor of the State of Oklahoma

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Received by the Office of the Secretary of State this 2nd day of April, 2015, at 3:48 o'clock P. M.

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