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A Notice of Rulemaking Intent announces a comment period, or a comment period and public hearing, and provides other information about the intended rulemaking action as required by law, including where copies of proposed rules may be obtained.

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TITLE 210. STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION CHAPTER 15. CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

[OAR Docket #16-741]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 11. Early Childhood Education Programs
210:15-11-2. Rules and regulations for early childhood education programs [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

House Bill 2404 (2016) added a new provision to the statute on free attendance at public schools. 70 O.S. § 1-114(B)(3) directs the State Board of Education to promulgate a rule creating exemptions to the maximum age at which a child may attend an early childhood (pre-kindergarten or "pre-k") program. The proposed rule provides that school districts are authorized to adopt policies providing for exemptions to the maximum age limit for enrollment in the district's early childhood programs. Under the proposed rule, school districts are encouraged to consider exemption guidelines which take into consideration that young children may differ in developmental age due to factors including, but not limited to, premature birth and illness or injury during childhood.

AUTHORITY:

State Board of Education; 70 O.S. § 3-104; 70 O.S. § 1-114

COMMENT PERIOD:

Written comments on the proposed rule(s) will be accepted from October 3, 2016 until 4:30 p.m., Friday, November 4, 2016.

Written comments in electronic form will be accepted during the open public comment period via email at rules@sde.ok.gov or by fax at (405) 521-6256. During the open public comment period, written comments may also be hand delivered to the agency during regular business hours or via regular mail to the individual at the address shown below under "Contact Person."

Oral comments may be submitted for the record at the public hearing at the time, date, and place shown below.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing is scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Friday, November 4, at the Hodge Education Building, State Board Room, Room 1-20, 2500 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Persons wishing to speak must sign in at the door of the State Board Room prior to the start of the hearing.

Time limitations may be imposed on oral presentations to ensure that all persons who desire to make oral comments will have an opportunity to do so.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

N/A

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rule(s) may be obtained for review by the public from the Office of Legal Services, State Department of Education, Room 1-17, Hodge Education Building, 2500 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Electronic copies of proposed rules are also available for review thirty (30) days prior to the hearing on the State Department of Education Legal Services website at: <http://ok.gov/sde/administrative-rules>

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(D), a Rule Impact Statement will be prepared and available for review at the Office of Legal Services, State Department of Education, Room 1-17, Hodge Education Building, 2500 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma on and after the date of publication of this Notice of Rulemaking Intent. A copy of the RIS will also be available on the State Department of Education Legal Services website at: <http://ok.gov/sde/administrative-rules>

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[OAR Docket #16-741; filed 9-8-16]

TITLE 210. STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION CHAPTER 15. CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

[OAR Docket #16-742]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 39. Student Internship, Mentorship, and Apprenticeship Programs [NEW]
210:15-39-1. Student internship, mentorship, and apprenticeship programs [NEW]

Notices of Rulemaking Intent

SUMMARY:

The Apprenticeships, Internships and Mentorships (AIM) Act of 2016 (House Bill 2535) authorizes the governing board of any public, charter, or private school in Oklahoma to enter into agreements with public or private organizations, beginning in school year 2017-2018, for the purpose of creating internship or apprenticeship programs for high school juniors and seniors. Under the Act, each school's governing board is authorized to adopt relevant policies. The Act directs the State Department of Education to promulgate any necessary rules, and the proposed rule requires schools to have a policy in place before entering an internship, mentorship, or apprenticeship program agreement with a public or private organization.

AUTHORITY:

State Board of Education; 70 O.S. § 3-104; 70 O.S. § 1210.528 et seq.

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TITLE 210. STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION CHAPTER 20. STAFF

[OAR Docket #16-744]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 29. Standards of Performance and Conduct for Teachers

210:20-29-5. Principle III [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

Pursuant to House Bill 1017 (1990), the State Board of Education promulgated Standards of Performance and Conduct for Teachers as administrative rules. 70 O.S. § 6-101.21 requires the Standards of Performance and Conduct to include the statutory grounds for dismissal of career teachers, which are codified in the rules as "Principle III". House Bill 2957 (2016) and previous bills amended 70 O.S. § 6-101.22, "Reasons for Dismissal of Career Teachers", and the rule addressing grounds for dismissal must be aligned with the new statutory language. One change to the statute that must be incorporated into the rule is the requirement to dismiss a teacher who has been convicted of an offense requiring sex offender registration. The amendment also adds the new statutory language allowing for dismissal of a teacher who has been found to have engaged in acts that could form the basis of criminal charges that result in the revocation of a certificate under 70 O.S. § 3-104(6)(a), which primarily lists crimes involving the sexual exploitation of children.

AUTHORITY:

State Board of Education; 70 O.S. § 3-104; 70 O.S. § 6-101.21; 70 O.S. § 6-101.22

COMMENT PERIOD:

Written comments on the proposed rule(s) will be accepted from October 3, 2016 until 4:30 p.m., Friday, November 4, 2016.

Written comments in electronic form will be accepted during the open public comment period via email at rules@sde.ok.gov or by fax at (405) 521-6256. During the open public comment period, written comments may also be hand delivered to the agency during regular business hours or

via regular mail to the individual at the address shown below under "Contact Person."

Oral comments may be submitted for the record at the public hearing at the time, date, and place shown below.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing is scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Friday, November 4, at the Hodge Education Building, State Board Room, Room 1-20, 2500 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Persons wishing to speak must sign in at the door of the State Board Room prior to the start of the hearing. Time limitations may be imposed on oral presentations to ensure that all persons who desire to make oral comments will have an opportunity to do so.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

N/A

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rule(s) may be obtained for review by the public from the Office of Legal Services, State Department of Education, Room 1-17, Hodge Education Building, 2500 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Electronic copies of proposed rules are also available for review thirty (30) days prior to the hearing on the State Department of Education Legal Services website at: <http://ok.gov/sde/administrative-rules>

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(D), a Rule Impact Statement will be prepared and available for review at the Office of Legal Services, State Department of Education, Room 1-17, Hodge Education Building, 2500 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma on and after the date of publication of this Notice of Rulemaking Intent. A copy of the RIS will also be available on the State Department of Education Legal Services website at: <http://ok.gov/sde/administrative-rules>

CONTACT PERSON:

Lori Murphy, Assistant General Counsel, Office of Legal Services, State Department of Education, Room 1-17, Hodge Education Building, 2500 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105-4599. Telephone number: (405) 522-5260

[OAR Docket #16-744; filed 9-8-16]

**TITLE 210. STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
CHAPTER 35. STANDARDS FOR ACCREDITATION OF ELEMENTARY, MIDDLE LEVEL, SECONDARY, AND CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY SCHOOLS**

[OAR Docket #16-743]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 3. Standards for Elementary, Middle Level, Secondary, and Career and Technology Schools
Part 19. Standard X: School Facilities
210:35-3-188. Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline signs in schools [NEW]

SUMMARY:

House Bill 2432 (2016) requires each public school to post a clearly visible sign in English and Spanish that contains the telephone number of the Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline operated by the Department of Human Services. 70 O.S. § 1210.162 directs the State Board of Education to promulgate rules relating to the size and location of the required signs, and the proposed rule gives guidelines for size and placement.

AUTHORITY:

State Board of Education; 70 O.S. § 3-104; 70 O.S. § 1210.162

COMMENT PERIOD:

Written comments on the proposed rule(s) will be accepted from October 3, 2016 until 4:30 p.m., Friday, November 4, 2016.

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REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

N/A

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

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RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

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[OAR Docket #16-743; filed 9-8-16]

TITLE 310. OKLAHOMA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CHAPTER 2. PROCEDURES OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

[OAR Docket #16-745]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

- Subchapter 31. Humanity of the Unborn Child Act [NEW]
- 310:2-31-1. Purpose [NEW]
- 310:2-31-2. Definitions [NEW]
- 310:2-31-3. Signage [NEW]
- 310:2-31-4. Language and web portal requirements [NEW]

SUMMARY:

These proposed regulations, if adopted, will implement the Department's requirements contained in House Bill Number 2797, from the 2nd Session of the 55th Oklahoma Legislature (2016) known as "Humanity of the Unborn Child Act" and codified at 63 O.S. § 1-751 et seq. The proposed regulations set forth the requirements to be used by facilities regulated by the Department to place signage in restrooms and other areas in compliance with the Act.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma State Board of Health; Title 63 O.S. Section 1-104; Title 63 O.S. § 1-751 et seq.

COMMENT PERIOD:

October 3, 2016, through November 3, 2016. Interested persons may informally discuss the proposed rules with the contact person identified below; or may, through November 3, 2016, submit written comment to the contact person identified below; or may, at the hearing, ask to present written or oral views.

PUBLIC HEARING:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303 (A), the public hearing for the proposed rulemaking in this chapter shall be on November 3, 2016, at the Oklahoma State Department of Health, 1000 Northeast Tenth Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1207, in room 1102 beginning at 10:00 a.m. Those wishing to present oral comments should be present at that time to register to speak. The hearing will close at the conclusion of those

registering to speak. Interested persons may attend for the purpose of submitting data, views or concerns, orally or in writing, about the rule proposal described and summarized in this Notice.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Business entities affected by these proposed rules are requested to provide the agency with information, in dollar amounts if possible, on the increase in the level of direct costs such as fees, and indirect costs such as reporting, recordkeeping, equipment, construction, labor, professional services, revenue loss, or other costs expected to be incurred by a particular entity due to compliance with the proposed rule. Business entities may submit this information in writing through November 3, 2016, to the contact person identified below.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

The proposed rules may be obtained for review from the contact person identified below or via the agency website at www.health.ok.gov.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S., §303(D), a rule impact statement is available through the contact person identified.

CONTACT PERSON:

Donald D. Maisch, General Counsel, Oklahoma State Department of Health, 1000 N.E. 10th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1207; phone (405) 271-6017, e-mail: donm@health.ok.gov.

[OAR Docket #16-745; filed 9-8-16]

TITLE 310. OKLAHOMA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CHAPTER 15. CLINICAL TRIALS ON THE USE OF CANNABIDIOL

[OAR Docket #16-746]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

- Subchapter 1. Purpose and Definitions
- 310:15-1-2. Definitions [AMENDED]
- Subchapter 3. Physician Application and Reporting
- 310:15-3-1. Physician application [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

These proposed regulations, if adopted, will implement the agency's requirements from House Bill Number 2835, from the 2nd Session of the 55th Oklahoma Legislature (2016), codified at 63 O.S. §§ 2-801 through 2-805. The proposed regulations would remove the age limitation for clinical trials on the use of cannabidiol as required by the House Bill.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma State Board of Health; Title 63 O.S. Section 1-104; Title 63 O.S. §§ 2-801 through 2-805

COMMENT PERIOD:

October 3, 2016, through November 3, 2016. Interested persons may informally discuss the proposed rules with the contact person identified below; or may, through November 3, 2016, submit written comment to the contact person identified below; or may, at the hearing, ask to present written or oral views.

PUBLIC HEARING:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303 (A), the public hearing for the proposed rulemaking in this chapter shall be on November 3, 2016, at the Oklahoma State Department of Health, 1000 Northeast Tenth Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1207, in room 1102 beginning at 10:00 a.m. Those wishing to present oral comments should be present at that time to register to speak. The hearing will close at the conclusion of those registering to speak. Interested persons may attend for the purpose of submitting data, views or concerns, orally or in writing, about the rule proposal described and summarized in this Notice.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

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COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

The proposed rules may be obtained for review from the contract person identified below or via the agency website at www.health.ok.gov.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S., §303(D), a rule impact statement is available through the contact person identified.

CONTACT PERSON:

Donald D. Maisch, General Counsel, Oklahoma State Department of Health, 1000 N.E. 10th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1207; phone (405) 271-6017, e-mail: donm@health.ok.gov.

[OAR Docket #16-746; filed 9-8-16]

TITLE 310. OKLAHOMA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CHAPTER 515. COMMUNICABLE DISEASE AND INJURY REPORTING

[OAR Docket #16-747]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

- Subchapter 1. Disease and Injury Reporting
- 310:515-1-1.1. Definitions [AMENDED]
- 310:515-1-2. Diseases to be reported [AMENDED]
- 310:515-1-3. Diseases to be reported immediately [AMENDED]
- 310:515-1-4. Additional diseases, conditions, and injuries to be reported [AMENDED]
- 310:515-1-6. Additional diseases may be designated [AMENDED]
- 310:515-1-7. Control of Communicable Diseases Manual [AMENDED]
- 310:515-1-8. Organisms/specimens to be sent to the Public Health Laboratory [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposal updates the existing rules in accordance with recommendations from the Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists (CSTE), the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and local health care partners pertaining to reportable diseases. The proposal amends the lists of reportable diseases, in order to clarify those conditions and diseases that are required to be reported to the Department. The proposal also adds conditions of public health importance that require investigation and implementation of prevention activities, including the addition of carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae as isolates required to be submitted to the Public Health Laboratory for additional characterization. These changes minimally increase the reporting burden placed upon clinicians and laboratories, and do not adversely affect the public health disease control and prevention activities.

The proposal removes the reference to a "non-versioned/non-codified" document which could further specify requirements of reporting. This change will eliminate any possibility of requirements that are not stated in rule. The proposal will also change the current level of blood lead that must be reported within one week from greater than 10 µg/dL to greater than 5 µg/dL. The proposed rules also change the blood lead level to be reported within 1 month from less than 10 µg/dL to less than 5 µg/dL. This is in accordance with CDC guidelines and the newly established reference level for elevated blood lead. This proposal changes the current reporting guidance for hepatitis C to include persons of all ages, and lowers the alanine aminotransferase (ALT) levels for reporting from 400 to 200. This modification is in accordance with the CSTE case definition for hepatitis C that was revised effective January 1, 2016. Lastly, the proposal will more clearly specify which syphilis tests are required for reporting to the Department.

With these changes, the Department will receive timely reporting of information on suspected cases of infection and thus be better equipped to respond quickly and effectively to disease outbreaks or unusual or uncommon adverse health conditions.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma State Board of Health; Title 63 O.S. § 1-104; and Title 63 O.S., §§ 1-502 and 1-503

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COMMENT PERIOD:

October 3, 2016, through November 3, 2016. Interested persons may informally discuss the proposed rules with the contact person identified below; or may, through November 3, 2016, submit written comment to the contact person identified below; or may, at the hearing, ask to present written or oral views.

PUBLIC HEARING:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303 (A), the public hearing for the proposed rulemaking in this chapter shall be on November 3, 2016, at the Oklahoma State Department of Health, 1000 Northeast Tenth Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1207, in room 1102 beginning at 10:00 a.m. Those wishing to present oral comments should be present at that time to register to speak. The hearing will close at the conclusion of those registering to speak. Interested persons may attend for the purpose of submitting data, views or concerns, orally or in writing, about the rule proposal described and summarized in this Notice.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Business entities affected by these proposed rules are requested to provide the agency with information, in dollar amounts if possible, on the increase in the level of direct costs such as fees, and indirect costs such as reporting, recordkeeping, equipment, construction, labor, professional services, revenue loss, or other costs expected to be incurred by a particular entity due to compliance with the proposed rule. Business entities may submit this information in writing through November 3, 2016, to the contact person identified below.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

The proposed rules may be obtained for review from the contact person identified below or via the agency website at www.health.ok.gov.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S., §303(D), a rule impact statement is available through the contact person identified.

CONTACT PERSONS:

Kristy Bradley, State Epidemiologist, Oklahoma State Department of Health, 1000 N.E. 10th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1207; phone (405) 271-7637, e-mail KristyB@health.ok.gov

[OAR Docket #16-747; filed 9-8-16]

**TITLE 310. OKLAHOMA STATE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
CHAPTER 663. CONTINUUM OF CARE
AND ASSISTED LIVING**

[OAR Docket #16-748]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 15. Resident Rights and Responsibilities
310:663-15-4. Prohibited restrictions and fees [NEW]

SUMMARY:

This proposal adds OAC 310:663-15-4 as new rule to address requirements in statute related a resident's freedom of choice in physician and pharmacist and prohibits any financial penalty or fee for their choice. This change enacts the authorizing statute at Title 63 O.S. Section 1-890.3(A)(8). This change enumerates the resident rights and defines the responsibilities to be observed by each facility and its staff.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma State Board of Health; Title 63 O.S. Section 1-104; Title 63 O.S. Section 1-890.3(A)(8).

COMMENT PERIOD:

October 3, 2016 through November 3, 2016. Interested persons may informally discuss the proposed rules with Michael Cook, Director, Long Term Care Service, Oklahoma State Department of Health; or may, before November 3, 2016, submit written comment to Michael Cook, Director, Long Term Care Service, Oklahoma State Department of Health, 1000 N.E. 10th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1207, or by e-mail to MikeC@health.ok.gov; or may, at the hearing, ask to present written or oral views.

PUBLIC HEARING:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303 (A), the public hearing for the proposed rulemaking in this chapter shall be on November 3, 2016, at the Oklahoma State Department of Health, 1000 Northeast Tenth Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1207, in room 1102 beginning at 10:00 a.m. Those wishing to present oral comments should be present at that time to register to speak. The hearing will close at the conclusion of those registering to speak. Interested persons may attend for the purpose of submitting data, views or concerns, orally or in writing, about the rule proposal described and summarized in this Notice.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Business entities affected by these proposed rules are requested to provide the agency with information, in dollar amounts if possible, on the increase in the level of direct costs such as fees, and indirect costs such as reporting, recordkeeping, equipment, construction, labor, professional services, revenue loss, or other costs expected to be incurred by a particular entity due to compliance with the proposed rule. Business entities may submit this information in writing through November 3, 2016, to Michael Cook, Director, Long Term Care Service, Oklahoma State Department of Health, 1000 N.E. 10th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1207, or by e-mail to MikeC@health.ok.gov.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

The proposed rules may be obtained for review from staff of the Long Term Care Service, Oklahoma State Department of Health, 1000 N.E. 10th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1207, via electronic mail

request to MikeC@health.ok.gov, or via agency website at www.health.ok.gov.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S., §303(D), a rule impact statement is available at the location listed above for obtaining copies of the rule.

CONTACT PERSON:

Michael Cook, Director, Long Term Care Service, Oklahoma State Department of Health, 1000 N.E. 10th

Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73117-1207, or by e-mail to MikeC@health.ok.gov.

[OAR Docket #16-748; filed 9-8-16]

Executive Orders

As required by 75 O.S., Sections 255 and 256, Executive Orders issued by the Governor of Oklahoma are published in both the *Oklahoma Register* and the *Oklahoma Administrative Code*. Executive Orders are codified in Title 1 of the *Oklahoma Administrative Code*.

Pursuant to 75 O.S., Section 256(B)(3), "Executive Orders of previous gubernatorial administrations shall terminate ninety (90) calendar days following the inauguration of the next Governor unless otherwise terminated or continued during that time by Executive Order."

TITLE 1. EXECUTIVE ORDERS

1:2016-31.

EXECUTIVE ORDER 2016-31

I, Mary Fallin, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, pursuant to the power vested in me by Section 2 of Article VI of the Oklahoma Constitution, hereby declare the following:

1. Due to Earthquakes beginning Saturday, September 3, 2016, and that are continuing, which have caused damage to public and private properties within the State of Oklahoma; and said damages have caused an undue hardship on the citizens of this state, there is hereby declared an emergency that threatens the lives and property of the people of this State and the public's peace, health, and safety. The county included in this declaration is:

Pawnee County

This declaration may be amended as conditions warrant.

2. It may be necessary to provide for the rendering of mutual assistance among the State and political subdivisions of the State with respect to carrying out disaster emergency functions during the continuance of the State of emergency pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Emergency Management Act of 2003.

3. State agencies, in responding to this disaster emergency, may make necessary emergency acquisitions to fulfill the purposes of this proclamation without regard to limitations or bidding requirements on such acquisitions.

4. The State Emergency Operations Plan has been activated and resources of all State departments and agencies available to meet this emergency are hereby committed to the reasonable extent necessary to protect lives and to prevent, minimize, and repair injury and damage. These efforts shall be coordinated by the Director of the Department of Emergency Management with comparable functions of the federal government and political subdivisions of the State.

5. This Executive Order shall terminate at the end of thirty (30) days.

Copies of this Executive Order shall be distributed to the Director of Emergency Management who shall cause the

provisions of this order to be implemented by all appropriate agencies of state government.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed at Oklahoma City, this 3rd day of September 2016.

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Mary Fallin

ATTEST:
Chris Bengé
Secretary of State

[OAR Docket #16-740; filed 9-3-16]

1:2016-32.

EXECUTIVE ORDER 2016-32

I, Mary Fallin, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, hereby direct the appropriate steps be taken to fly all American and Oklahoma flags on State property at half-staff from 5:00 p.m. on Friday, September 9, 2016, until 8 a.m. on Monday, September 12, 2016, to honor the victims of the September 11, 2001, terrorist attack on America.

This executive order shall be forwarded to the Division of Capital Assets Management, who shall cause the provisions of this order to be implemented by all appropriate agencies of state government.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, this 8th day of September, 2016.

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Mary Fallin

ATTEST:
Chris Bengé
Secretary of State

[OAR Docket #16-749; filed 9-8-16]

