

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 February 11, 2020

3 **AS AMENDED**

4 SENATE BILL NO. 1144

5 By: Paxton

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7 **[income tax - refund checkoffs - Y.M.C.A. Youth and**
8 **Government program - effective date]**
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11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

12 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 68 O.S. 2011, Section 2368.17, as
13 last amended by Section 1, Chapter 51, O.S.L. 2015 (68 O.S. Supp.
14 2019, Section 2368.17), is amended to read as follows:

15 Section 2368.17. A. Each state individual income tax return
16 form for tax years which begin after December 31, 2015, and each
17 state corporate tax return form for tax years beginning after
18 December 31, 2015, shall contain a provision to allow a donation
19 from a tax refund for the benefit of the Oklahoma chapter of the
20 Y.M.C.A. Youth and Government program. Pursuant to Section 2368.18
21 of this title, all income tax checkoffs provided for in state
22 statute shall expire four (4) years after enactment, unless
23 reauthorized by the Legislature. The income tax checkoff provided
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1 for in this section is hereby reauthorized beginning with the tax
2 year which begins on January 1, 2020.

3 B. Except as otherwise provided for in this section, all monies
4 generated pursuant to subsection A of this section shall be paid to
5 the State Treasurer by the Oklahoma Tax Commission and placed to the
6 credit of the Oklahoma Youth and Government Revolving Fund created
7 in subsection C of this section.

8 C. There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving
9 fund to be designated the "Oklahoma Youth and Government Revolving
10 Fund" administered by the State Department of Education. The fund
11 shall be a continuing fund, not subject to fiscal year limitations,
12 and shall consist of all the monies received by the State Department
13 of Education pursuant to the provisions of subsection A of this
14 section. All monies accruing to the credit of the fund are
15 appropriated and may be budgeted and expended by the State
16 Department of Education at the beginning of each fiscal year for the
17 purpose of providing grants to the Oklahoma chapter of the Y.M.C.A.
18 Youth and Government program for purposes of educating young people
19 regarding government and the legislative process. Expenditures from
20 the fund shall be made upon warrants issued by the State Treasurer
21 against claims filed as prescribed by law with the Director of the
22 Office of Management and Enterprise Services for approval and
23 payment.

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1 D. If a taxpayer makes a donation pursuant to subsection A of
2 this section in error, such taxpayer may file a claim for a refund
3 at any time within three (3) years from the due date of the tax
4 return. Such claims shall be filed pursuant to the provisions of
5 Section 2373 of this title. Prior to the apportionment set forth in
6 this section, an amount equal to the total amount of refunds made
7 pursuant to this subsection during any one (1) year shall be
8 deducted from the total donations received pursuant to this section
9 during the following year and such amount deducted shall be paid to
10 the State Treasurer and placed to the credit of the Income Tax
11 Withholding Refund Account.

12 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2020.

13 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON FINANCE
14 February 11, 2020 - DO PASS AS AMENDED
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