

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021)

3 HOUSE BILL 2723

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to prisons and reformatories;
8 amending 57 O.S. 2011, Section 332.4, which relates
9 to compensation and meetings of the Pardon and Parole
10 Board; modifying compensation for Chair and members
11 of the Board; and providing an effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 57 O.S. 2011, Section 332.4, is
14 amended to read as follows:

15 Section 332.4 A. The Chair of the Pardon and Parole Board
16 shall be selected by the Board. The Chair of the Pardon and Parole
17 Board shall receive ~~Twenty-four Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars~~
18 ~~(\$24,800.00)~~ Forty-nine Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$49,600.00)
19 per annum, payable monthly, in the following allotment:

20 1. ~~Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00)~~ Eight Hundred Dollars
21 (\$800.00) for preparation for said meeting; and

22 2. ~~One Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-seven Dollars (\$1,667.00)~~
23 Three Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-four Dollars (\$3,334.00) for the
24 regular monthly Board meeting.

1 B. The members of the Board shall receive ~~Twenty-two Thousand~~
2 ~~Eight Hundred Dollars (\$22,800.00)~~ Forty-five Thousand Six Hundred
3 Dollars (\$45,600.00) per annum, payable monthly in the following
4 allotment:

5 1. ~~Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00)~~ Eight Hundred Dollars
6 (\$800.00) for preparation for said meeting; and

7 2. ~~One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00)~~ Three Thousand
8 Dollars (\$3,000.00) for the regular monthly Board meeting.

9 C. 1. Failure of any member to attend one Board meeting in any
10 calendar year, except for justifiable excuse as determined by the
11 Chair pursuant to written policy established by the Board, shall
12 preclude the right of the member to receive his or her monthly
13 compensation established by subsection A or B of this section.

14 2. In addition, any member who fails to attend two or more
15 Board meetings in any calendar year except for extraordinary
16 circumstances as determined by the Chair pursuant to written policy
17 established by the Board shall be deemed to have committed official
18 misconduct as such term is defined by Section 93 of Title 51 of the
19 Oklahoma Statutes. To initiate a removal from office pursuant to
20 this paragraph, the Board shall pass a resolution by a majority of
21 the members of the Board detailing the alleged misconduct. Such
22 removal shall be subject to the provisions of Chapter 3 of Title 51
23 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

1 3. Failure to attend meetings of the Board, pursuant to the
2 policy established by the Board, shall constitute cause for removal
3 pursuant to Section 10 of Article VI of the Oklahoma Constitution.

4 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2021.

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