

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE  
2 BILL NO. 2197

By: Wolfley of the House

and

Sacchieri of the Senate

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7 [ higher education - Making College More Affordable  
8 Act - research universities - in-state students -  
9 meal plan - noncodification - codification -  
10 effective date -

11 emergency ]  
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14 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

15 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law not to be  
16 codified in the Oklahoma Statutes reads as follows:

17 This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Making College  
18 More Affordable Act".

19 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
20 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 3218.7-2 of Title 70, unless  
21 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

22 Research universities within The Oklahoma State System of Higher  
23 Education shall not require any in-state student to purchase a meal  
24 plan as a condition:

1. Of enrollment; or

2. For residing in on-campus housing.

SECTION 3. This act shall become effective July 1, 2025.

SECTION 4. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Passed the House of Representatives the 27th day of March, 2025.

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Presiding Officer of the House  
of Representatives

Passed the Senate the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate