

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 February 8, 2021

3 SENATE BILL NO. 698

By: Weaver

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6 An Act relating to local health services; amending 63  
7 O.S. 2011, Section 1-201, which relates to county  
8 board of health; modifying membership for certain  
9 counties; and providing an effective date.

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

11 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 63 O.S. 2011, Section 1-201, is  
12 amended to read as follows:

13 Section 1-201. There is hereby created in each county of the  
14 state a county board of health, which shall consist of five (5)  
15 members, who shall serve without compensation, and who shall be  
16 residents of the county, appointed as follows:

17 ~~(a)~~ A. The State Commissioner of Health shall appoint one  
18 member, whose term shall expire on June 30, 1964, and each four (4)  
19 years thereafter.

20 ~~(b)~~ B. The State Commissioner of Health shall appoint another  
21 member, whose term shall expire on June 30, 1965, and each four (4)  
22 years thereafter. However, in any county of this state with a  
23 population of more than two hundred twenty-five thousand (225,000),  
24 but not more than five hundred thousand (500,000), according to the

1 latest Federal Decennial Census, such member shall be appointed by  
2 the board of county commissioners of such county beginning upon  
3 expiration of the term of the current member as of the effective  
4 date of this act.

5 ~~(e)~~ C. The judge of the district court shall appoint one  
6 member, who shall be the holder of a school administrator's  
7 certificate issued by the State Board of Education, and whose term  
8 of office shall expire on June 30, 1966, and each four (4) years  
9 thereafter.

10 ~~(d)~~ D. The ~~Board of County Commissioners~~ board of county  
11 commissioners shall appoint one member, who shall be a doctor of  
12 medicine, doctor of osteopathy, or, if no doctor of medicine or  
13 doctor of osteopathy is available, the board of county commissioners  
14 may appoint a dentist, optometrist, or registered nurse. The term  
15 of office of such member shall expire on June 30, 1967, and each  
16 four (4) years thereafter.

17 ~~(e)~~ E. The board of county commissioners shall appoint another  
18 member who may be a member of the board of county commissioners, and  
19 who shall serve at the pleasure of the board of county  
20 commissioners.

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

22 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
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