

NOTICE OF RULEMAKING INTENT

TITLE 780. OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION CHAPTER 10. ADMINISTRATION AND SUPERVISION

RULEMAKING ACTION:

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PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 3. State Technical Assistance, Supervision, and Services

780: 10-3-2. Career guidance and counseling, career information, disability services, integrated academics, innovation support services, essential skills, and career development [AMENDED]

Subchapter 5. Finance

780: 10-5-2. Audits [AMENDED]

SUMMARY

The proposed amendments to Subchapter 3 provide language for the newly enacted Oklahoma National Guard CareerTech Assistance Act as outlined in 70 O.S. 14-140.1. All eligible guard members must apply to the Educational Service Office of the Military Department and submit the approved application to the Department of CareerTech and the technology center. Eligible members may transfer benefits to qualifying dependents in accordance with 70 O.S. § 14-140.1. Amendments further clarify that audit reports which reflect Federal expenditures of \$1,000,000, rather than \$750,000 or more shall be in accordance with the provisions of 2CFR200 Subpart F.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma State Board of Career and Technology Education; 70 O.S. 2021, § 14-103, 70 O.S. § 14-103.1, 70 O.S. § 14-103.2, and 70 O.S. § 14-104, as amended.

COMMENT PERIOD:

Written and oral comments will be accepted until 5 p.m. Central Time on January 2, 2026, at the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education, at 1500 W. Seventh Avenue, Stillwater, OK 74075-2723, Attn: Gina Hubbard, or by email to gina.hubbard@careertech.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held on Thursday, January 8, 2026, at 1:00 p.m. Central Time at the OK Department of CareerTech, Alexander Conference Room, 1500 W. Seventh Avenue, Stillwater, OK. Each person will be allowed a maximum of 5 (five) minutes to speak and must sign in at the door by 1:05 p.m.

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, about the increase in the level of direct costs, indirect costs, or other costs expected to be incurred by the business entity due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing through January 8, 2026, at the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education, at 1500 W. Seventh Avenue, Stillwater, OK 74075-2723, Attn: Gina Hubbard, or by email to gina.hubbard@careertech.ok.gov.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed changes may be obtained from Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education, at 1500 W. Seventh Avenue, Stillwater, OK 74075-2723, or by email to gina.hubbard@careertech.ok.gov. The proposed rules may also be viewed on the agency's website at [2026 Proposed Rule Changes](#).

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S., §303(D), a rule impact statement will be prepared and be available for review beginning December 16, 2025, at Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education, at 1500 W. Seventh Avenue, Stillwater, OK 74075-2723, or by email to gina.hubbard@careertech.ok.gov. The proposed rules may also be viewed on the agency's website at [2026 Proposed Rule Changes](#).

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