

**TITLE 610. STATE REGENTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION  
CHAPTER 25. STUDENT FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

**RULEMAKING ACTION:**

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

**PROPOSED RULES:**

Subchapter 23. Oklahoma Higher Learning Access Program  
610:25-23-2. Eligibility of participants [AMENDED]

**SUMMARY:**

During the 2022 Legislative session, the Oklahoma Legislature passed and the Governor signed into law SB 1673, which modifies the Oklahoma Higher Learning Access Program (“Oklahoma’s Promise”). These rules implement the provisions of SB 1673 by modifying the family income limit for students applying for Oklahoma’s Promise. Beginning in the 2022-2023 school year, students are eligible to enroll in the program if the federal adjusted gross income of the student’s parent(s) does not exceed: \$60,000 per year for parents who have one or two dependent children; \$70,000 per year for parents who have three or four dependent children; or \$80,000 per year for parents who have five or more dependent children. These rule revisions also remove outdated language, update a citation and reorganize a paragraph for increased clarity.

**AUTHORITY:**

Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education; 70 O.S. §§ 2605 and 3206

**COMMENT PERIOD:**

Interested persons may submit written comments to Chris Turner Jr., Associate General Counsel, Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, 655 Research Parkway, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73104, [cturner@osrhe.edu](mailto:cturner@osrhe.edu), by 5:00 p.m., January 3, 2023.

**PUBLIC HEARING:**

A public hearing has not been scheduled; however, pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(B)(9), “persons may demand a hearing” by contacting Chris Turner Jr., Associate General Counsel, Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, 655 Research Parkway, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73104, 405-225-9289, [cturner@osrhe.edu](mailto:cturner@osrhe.edu), by 5:00 p.m., January 3, 2023.

**REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:**

N/A

**COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:**

Copies of the proposed rules will be made available at the office of the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, 655 Research Parkway, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73104, and on the agency’s website at <https://www.okhighered.org> on and after December 1, 2022.

**RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:**

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(D), a rule impact statement will be made available on the agency’s website at <https://www.okhighered.org> on and after December 1, 2022.

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